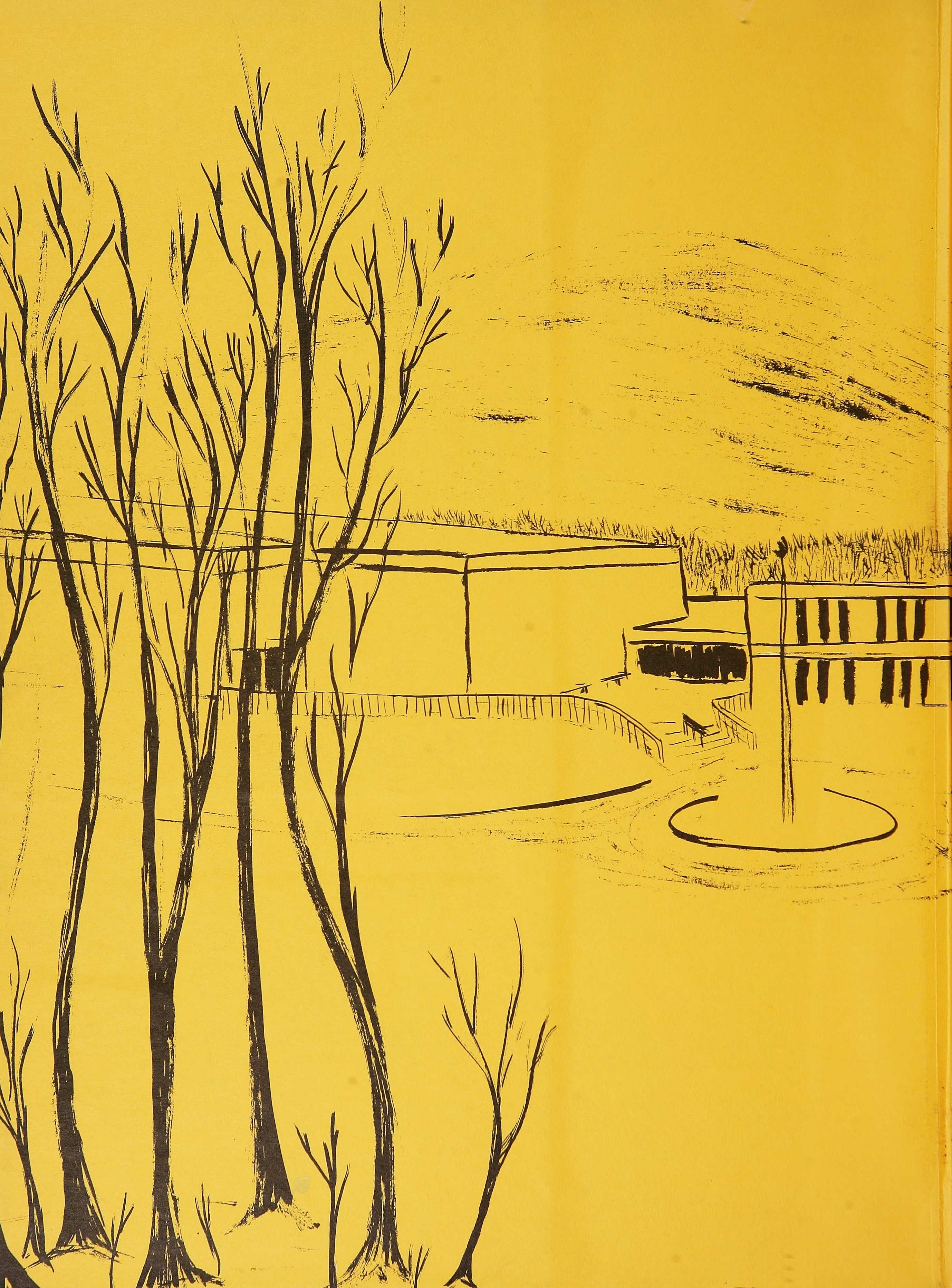


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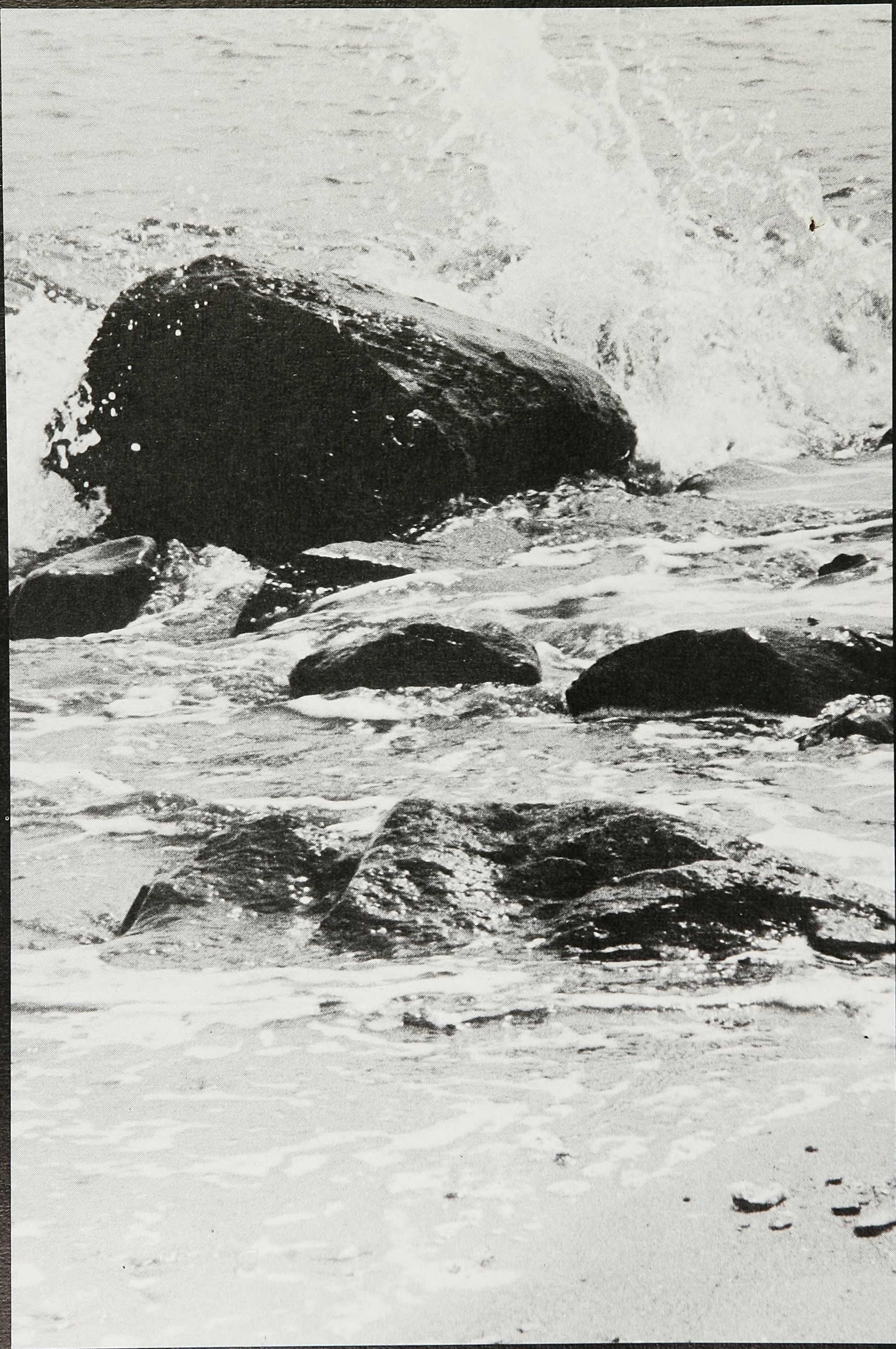




We
Dedicate
This
Yearbook,

As we
Dedicate
Ourselves,

To the
Pursuit
Of our
Ideals.



Manitou, an Indian word, means a force . . . a power within everything . . .



. . . making that thing better in its own special qualities.



Manitou is . . .



. . . the essence of nature,



believed to be



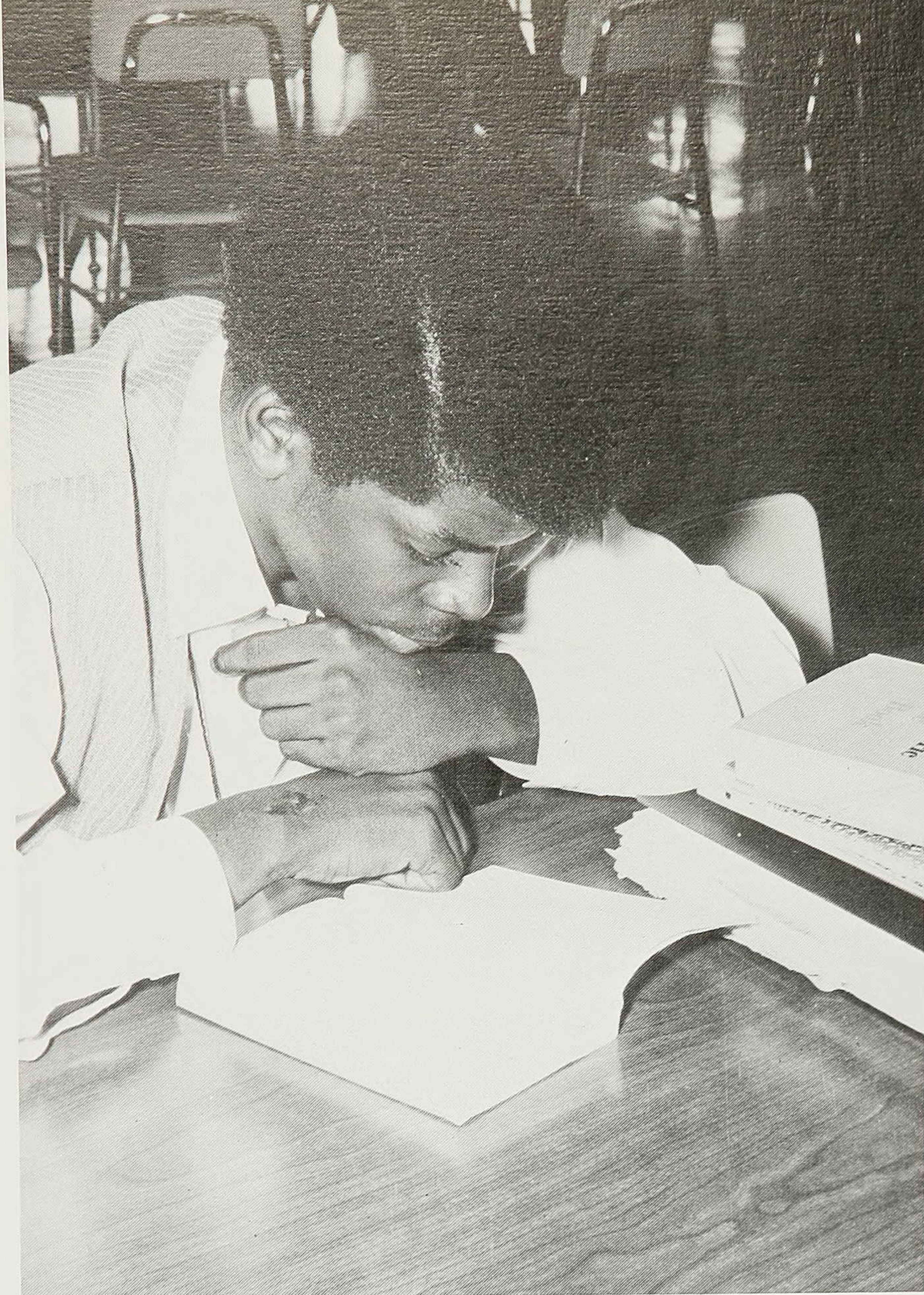
indestructible.

Manitou is also contained in people as the force of accomplishment.





A man's capacity for manitou can be increased by study or the acquisition of skill.



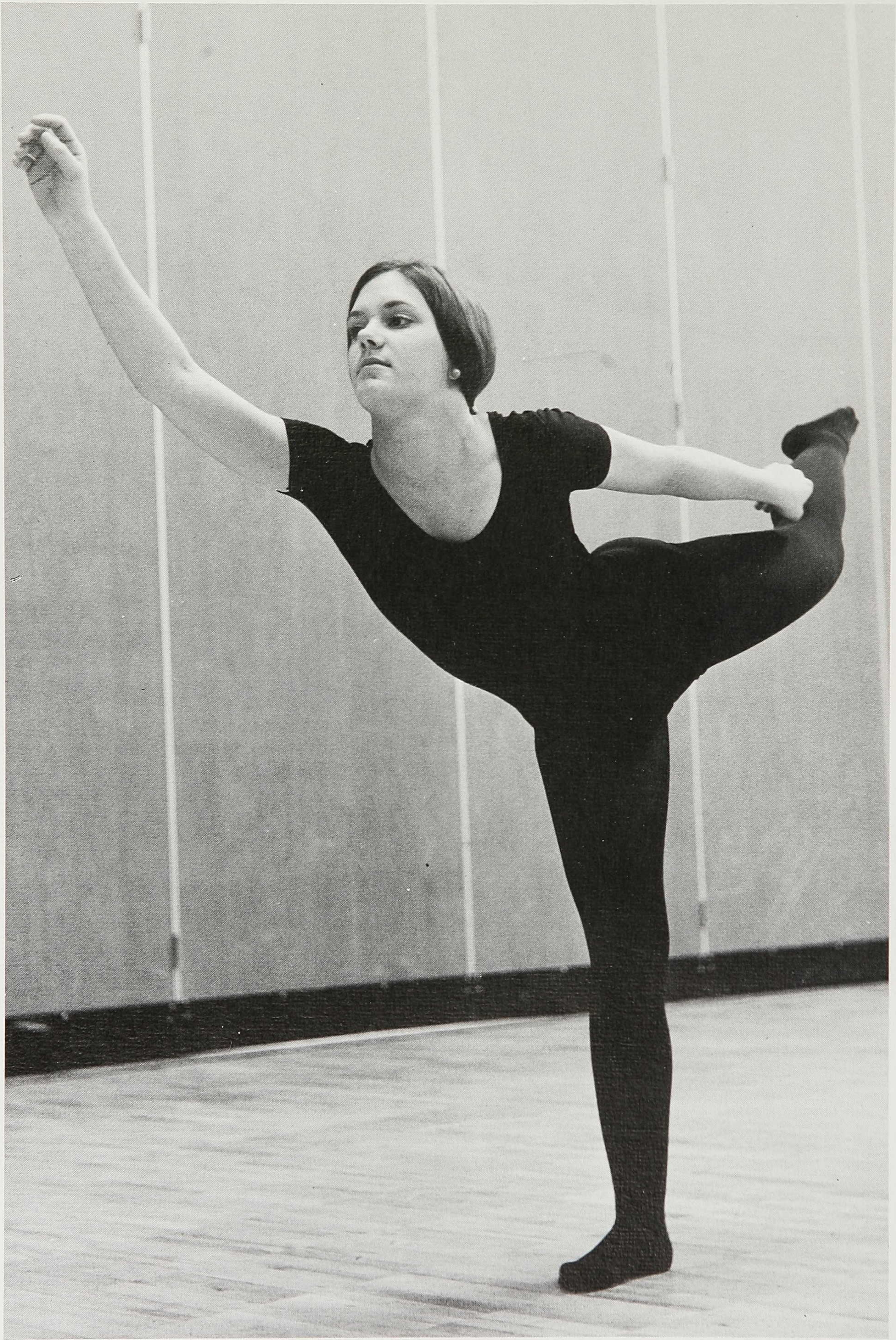
A man who has manitou
is smarter . . .





. . . or stronger . . .

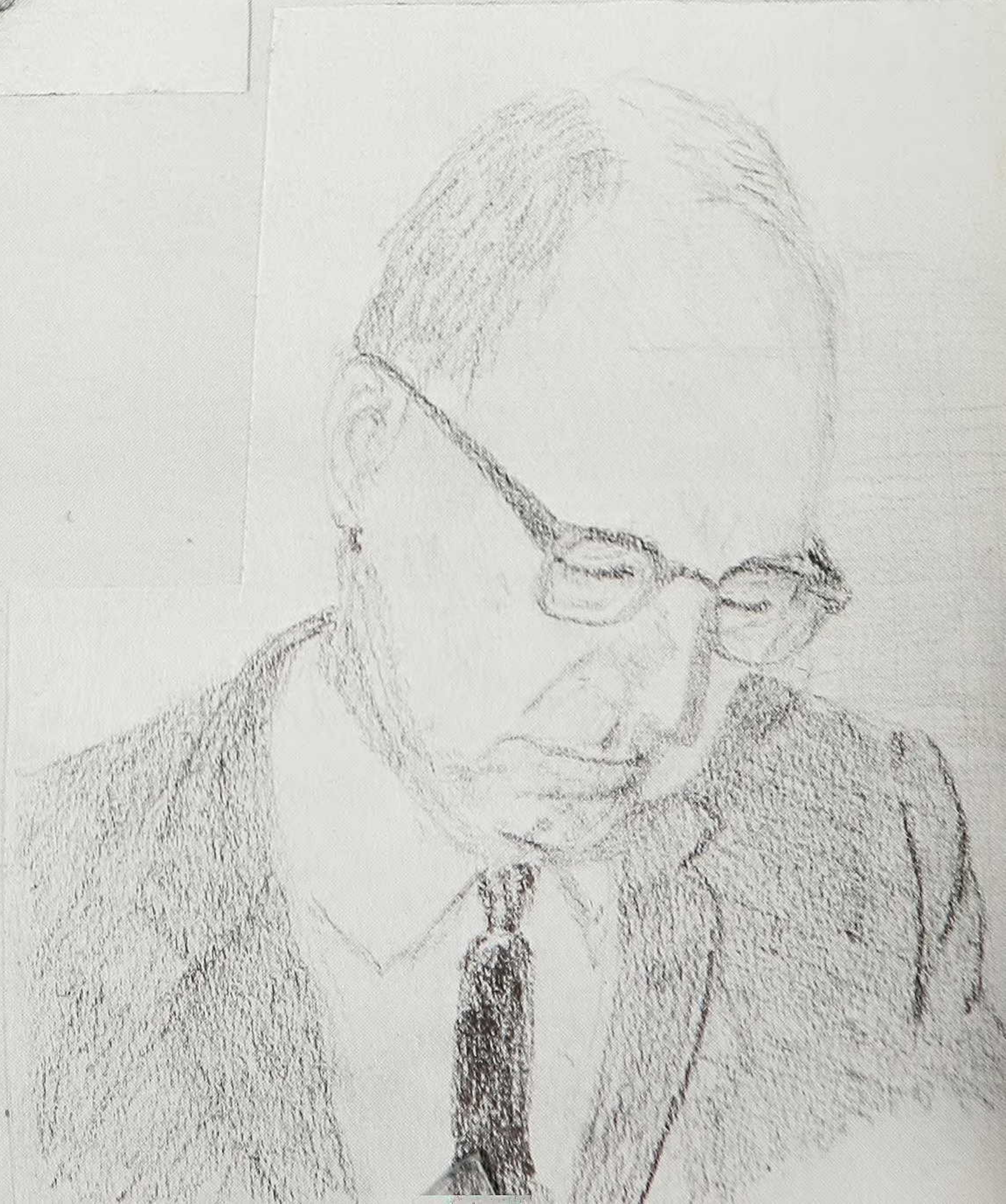
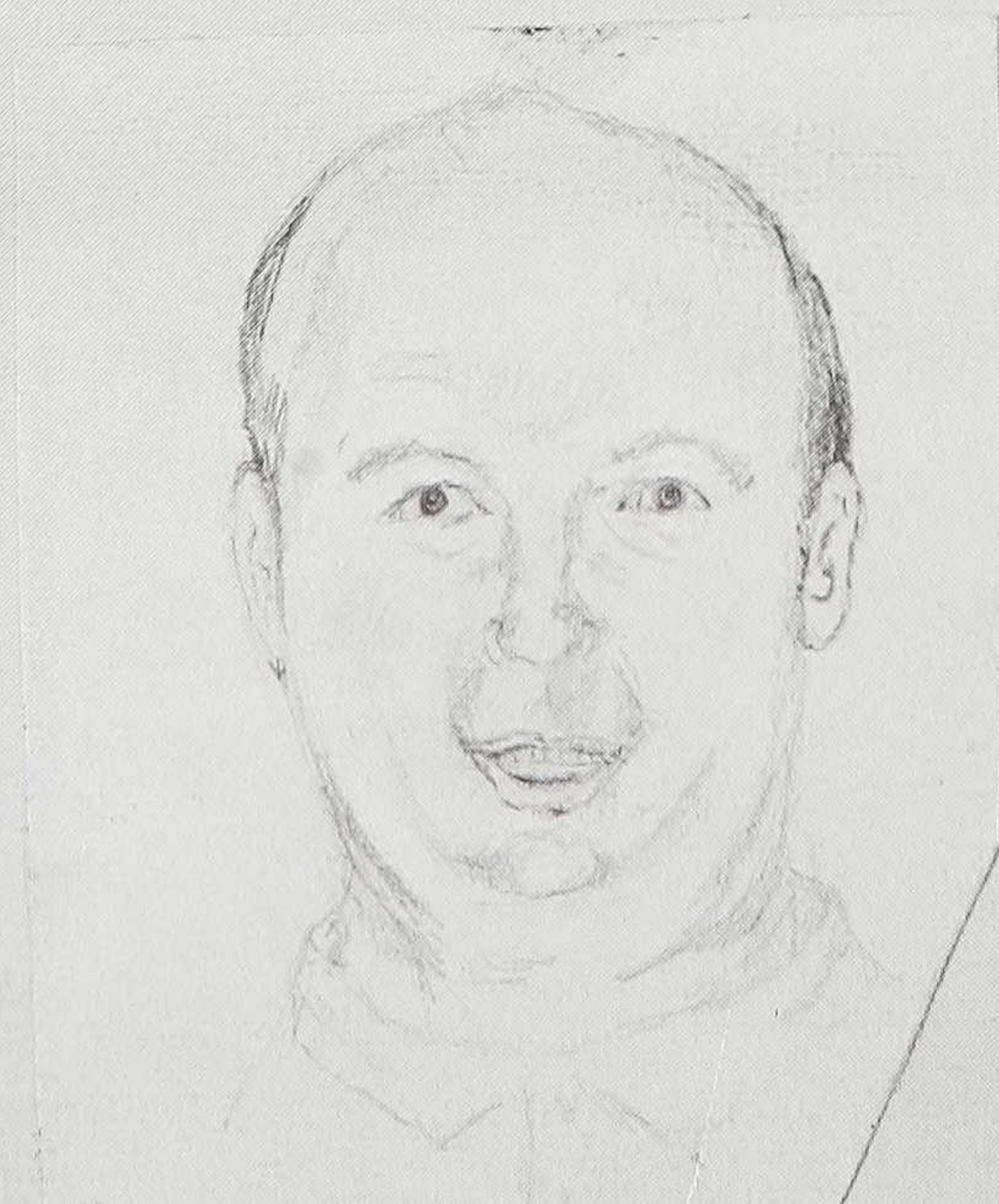
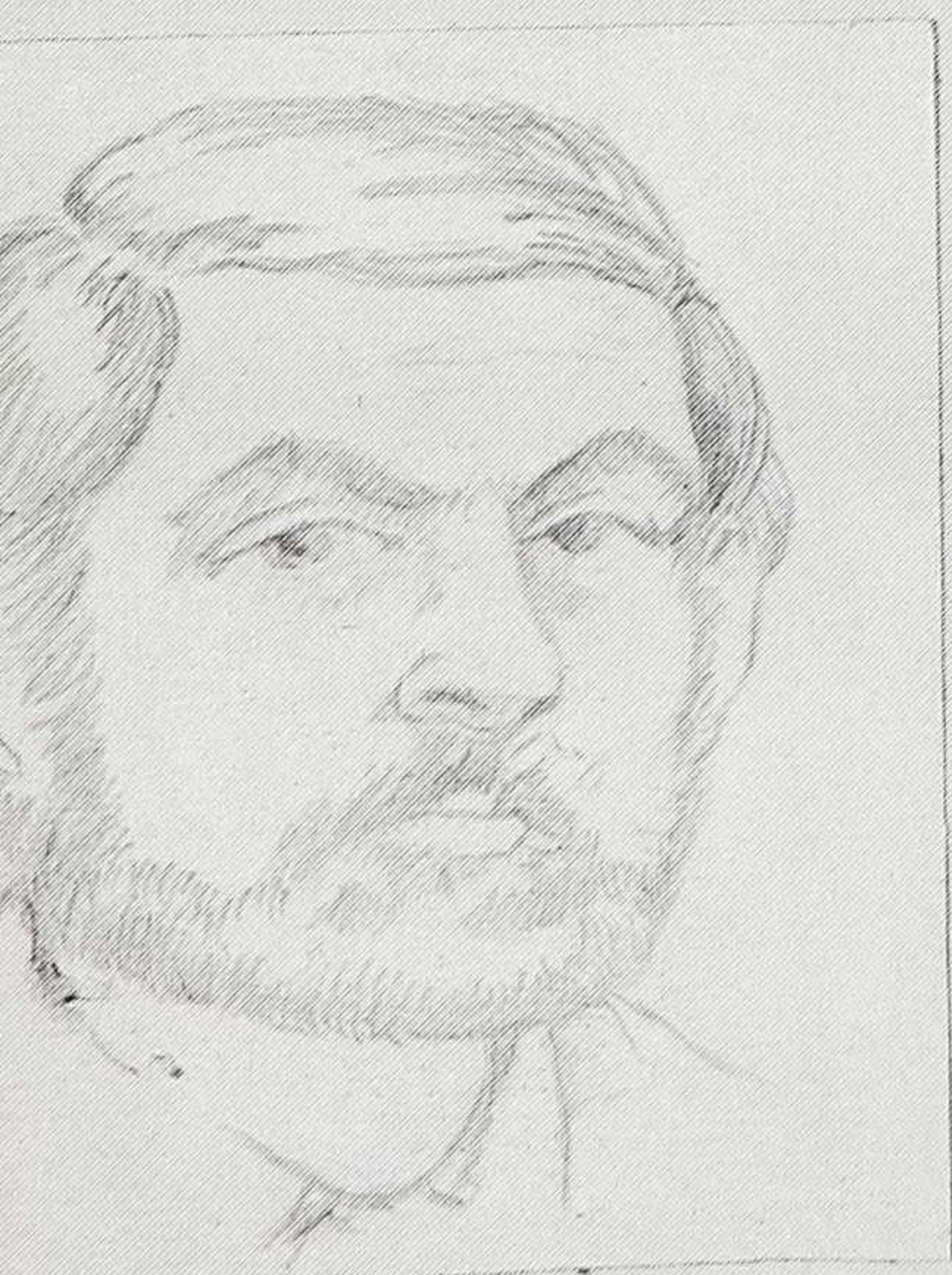


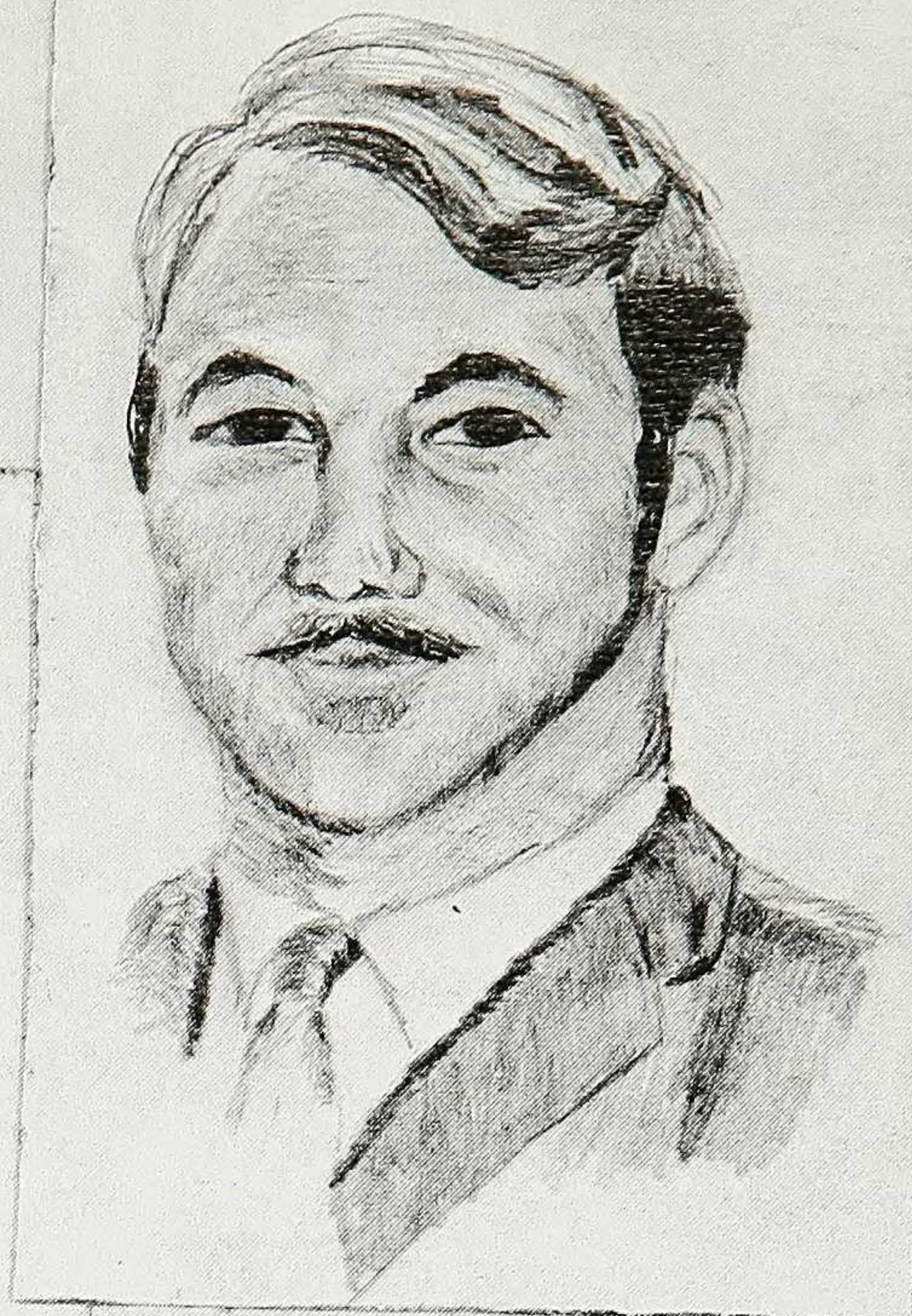


. . . or more graceful,



according to his nature.







Mr. Johann,
Principal



Mr. Coughlin, Vice Principal

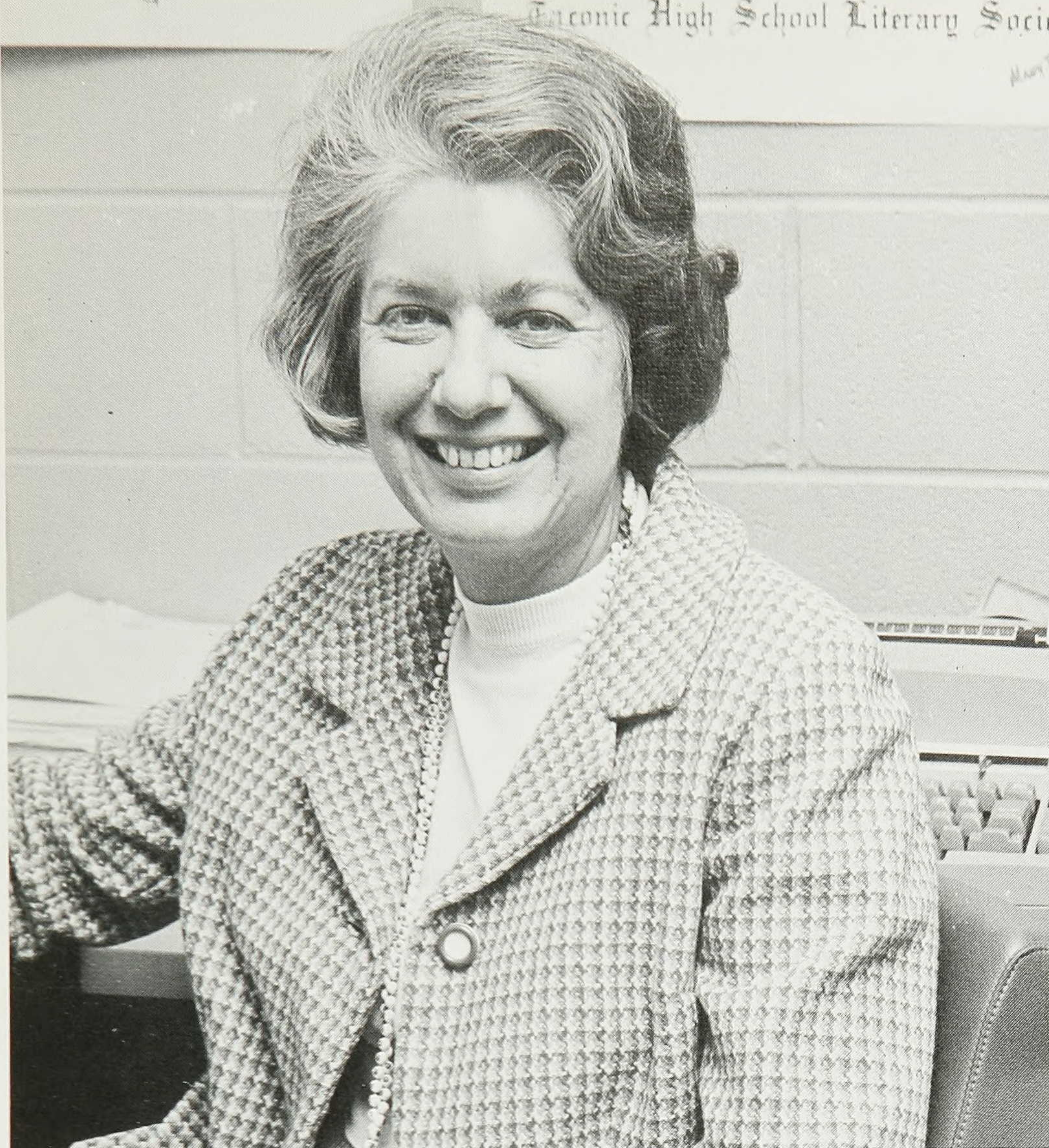
The opening of a new high school creates many problems. However, within a short time Mr. Johann and his staff had most of these problems worked out and were working on the others. This year the school is running smoothly and efficiently and we wish to thank Mr. Johann and the administration for their efforts to make our school a great one.



Mr. Dehey, Vocational Director



Mr. Burns, Co-operative Coordinator



Mrs. Schlawin, Department Head

ENGLISH

Communication of our ideas is an important skill. The English Department, under the direction of Mrs. Schlawin, has sought through the discussion of writing skills and literature to aid students in self-expression. Many of the after-school activities concerned with self-expression, both oral and written, such as Brave Talk, Mantra, and the Debating Club, are under the direction of the English Department.



(front row) Mrs. Schlawin, Miss Homich, Mrs. Forsgard, Miss Lewis, Mrs. Perrotta. (middle row) Miss Karpeck, Miss Burnett, Miss Nolan, Miss Tierney, Mr. Stevens. (back row) Mr. Roberts, Mr. DiNicola, Mr. Bercury, Mr. McGill, Mr. Kasuba.

SOCIAL STUDIES

The study of history is an aid in the understanding of people. The Social Studies Department now offers Black Studies, Psychology, Political Science, and Economics in addition to its regular history courses, all geared toward the better understanding of people. Department Head, Dr. Mulkeen, has helped to form courses which would be more meaningful to the students and enjoyed more by students and teachers.



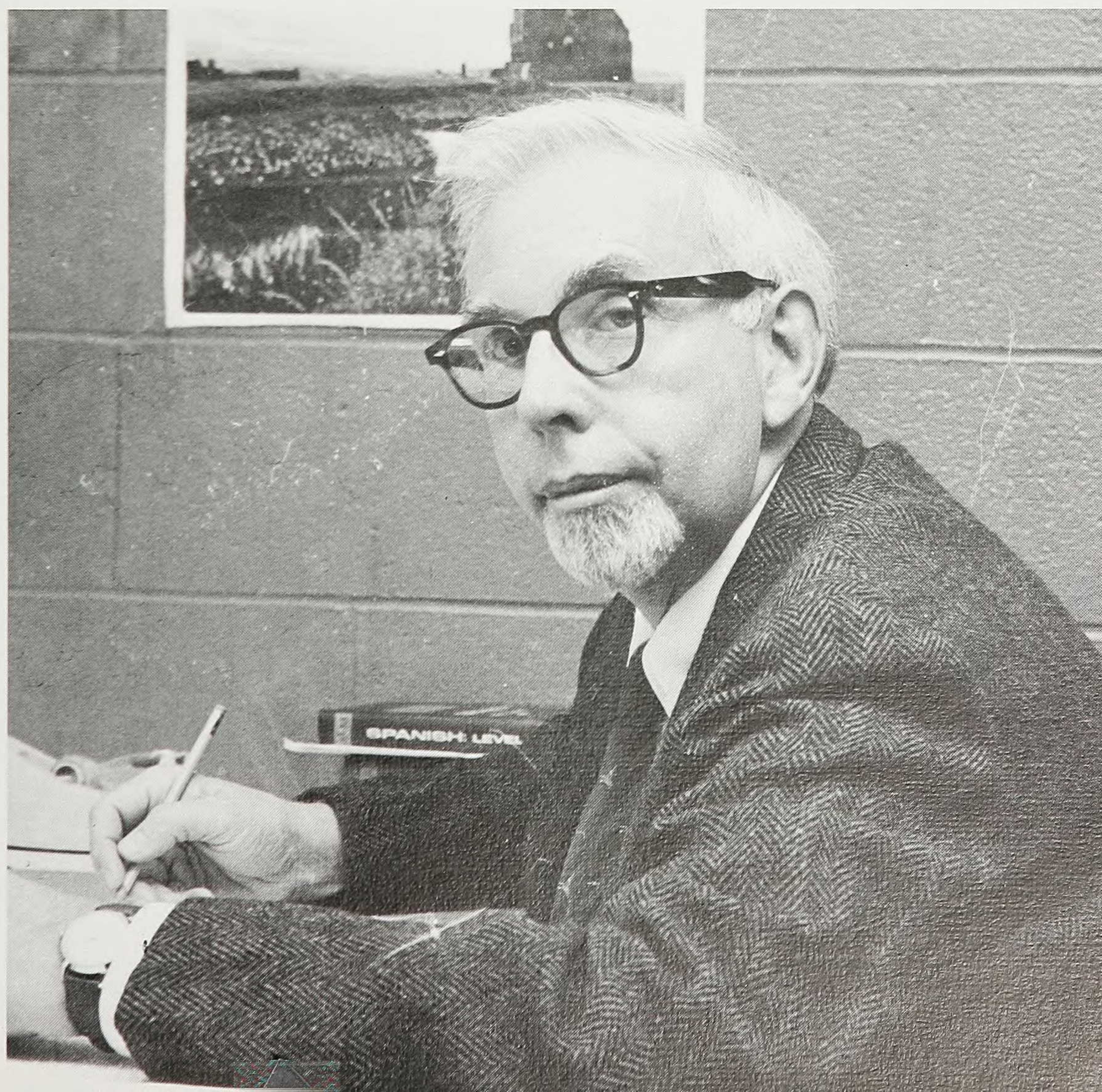
Dr. Mulkeen, Department Head



(front row) Mr. Callaghan, Mr. Sapp, Mr. Christopolis, Mr. Meaney, Mr. Sage. (back row) Mr. Biron, Mr. Kidney, Mrs. Bacote, Mr. Connelly, Dr. Mulkeen, Mr. Willetz.



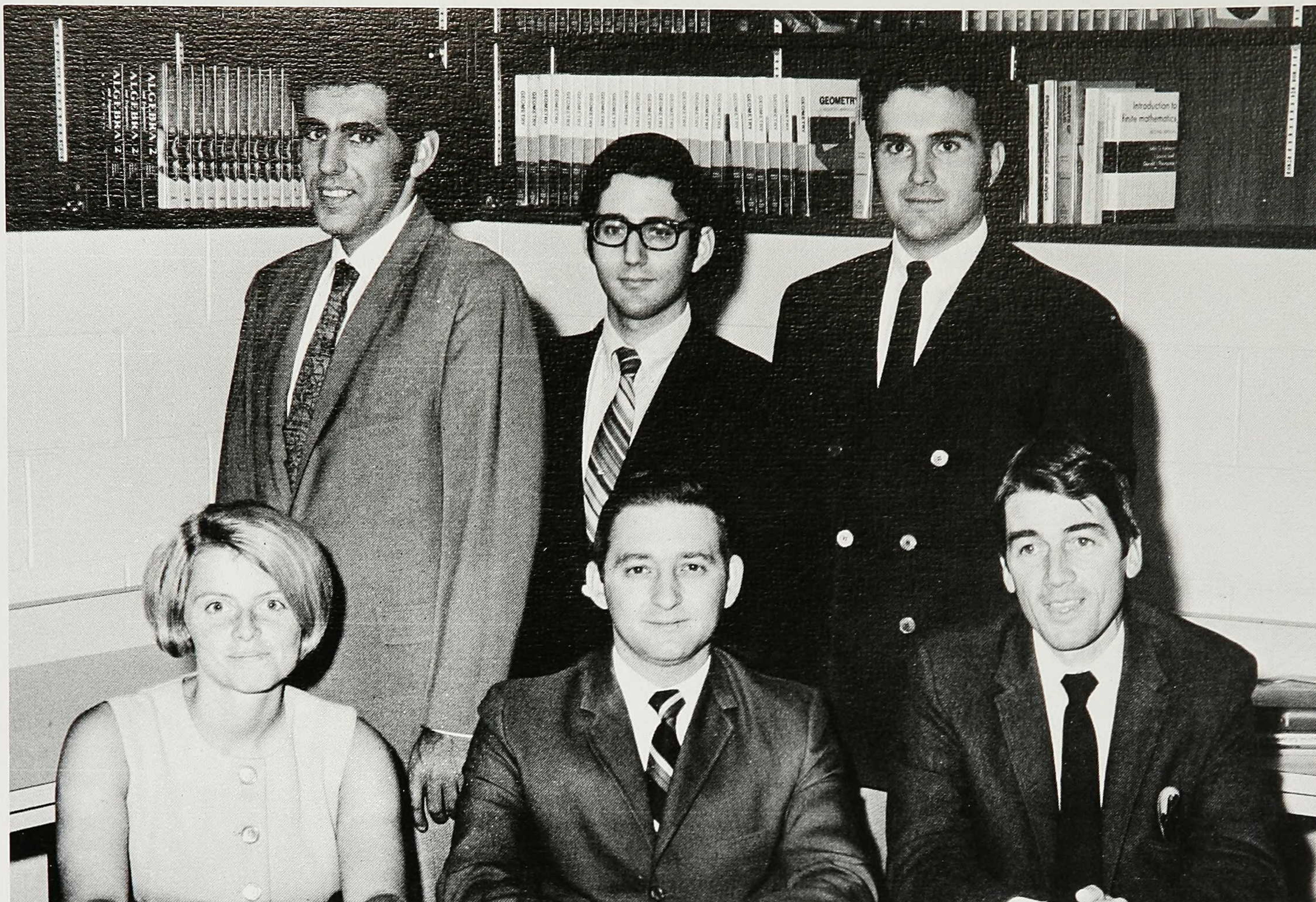
(L to R) Mr. Gravelle, Miss Baltasar, Miss Caesar, Mr. Hall, Miss Scelsi, Mr. Edwards.



FOREIGN LANGUAGE

Through the knowledge of a foreign language, many friends can be made and the ideas of different countries explored. It is most important today to communicate with peoples of other lands and so Taconic's Foreign Language Department, under the direction of Mr. Edwards, has tried to give students a workable knowledge of a language. With the aid of a new language lab, records, and movies, they have done an admirable job.

Mr. Edwards, Department Head



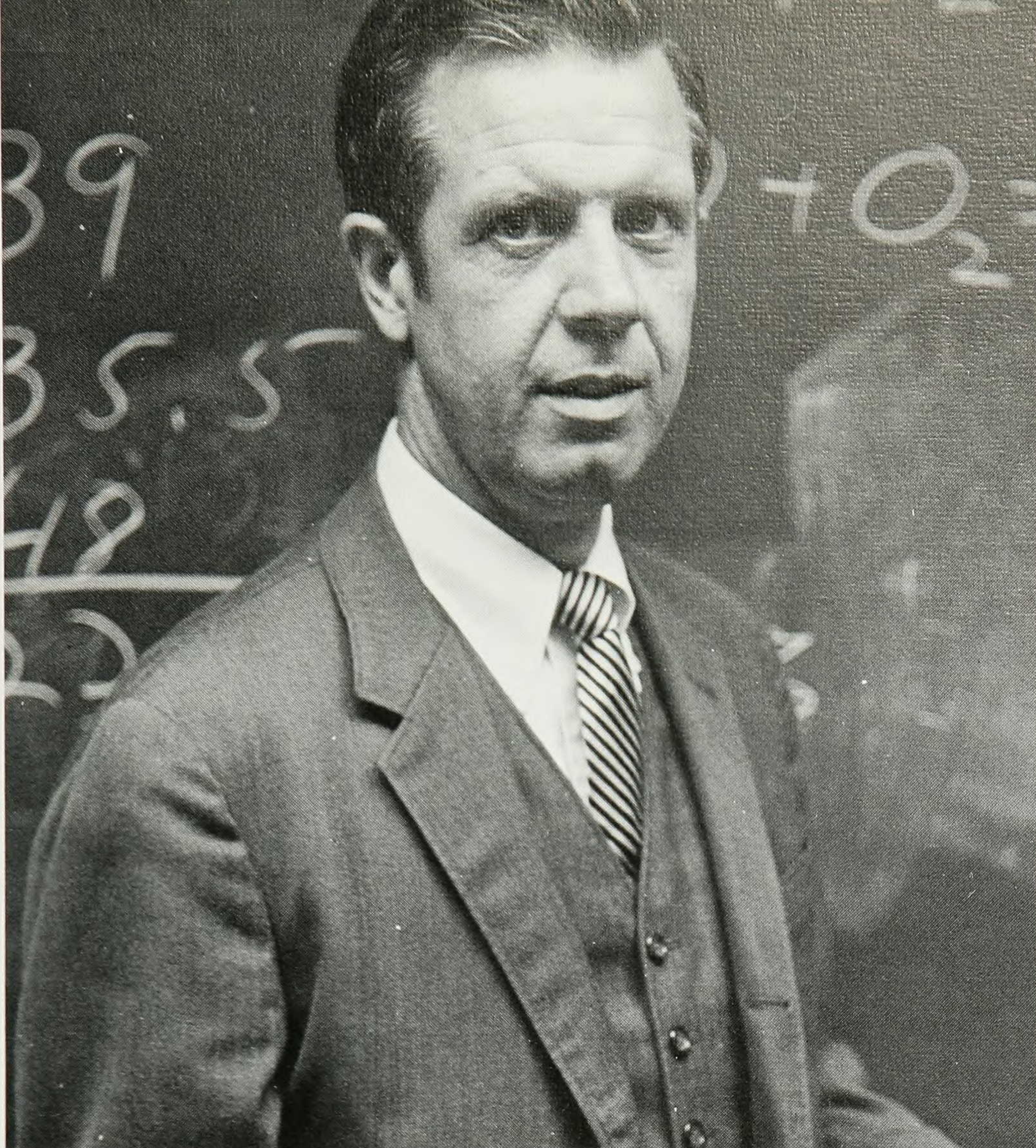
(front row) Mrs. McMahon, Mr. Landy, Mr. Davis. (back row) Mr. Curley, Mr. Cooper, Mr. Boteze.

MATHEMATICS

Mathematics is becoming increasingly important in a world that is becoming increasingly technological. The Math Department, under the direction of Mr. Landy, is helping students to meet the demands of today's world by offering many different courses in mathematics, such as finite math, algebra, trigonometry, geometry, and even calculus, for those adventuresome souls who fear nothing. A basic knowledge of math is important for any job and the Math Department has provided this for its students.



Mr. Landy, Department Head



Mr. Blowe, Department Head

SCIENCE

Chemistry, Biology, and Physics are all studies of the world in which we live. A better understanding of this world by more people would be helpful in solving many of its problems. Headed by Mr. Blowe, the Science Department has shown many students the why beyond the facts. Making use of the new laboratory facilities in the school, students are discovering on their own what they have read in textbooks. The Advanced Placement classes provide students with a serious interest in science a chance to perform independent studies.



(left to right) Mrs. Barry, Mr. Murray, Miss Penta, Mr. Blowe, Miss Boivin, Mrs. Anderson, Mr. DeBlois.

BUSINESS

The Business Education Department gives its students a practical working knowledge of office skills, a valuable asset for any job seeker. Mr. Martin, the Department Head, and his staff have prepared each student in the Business Education Department for a rewarding career in the business world.



Mr. Martin, Department Head



(front row) Miss Lazerus, Mrs. Timpane, Mrs. Smith, Mrs. Stephens. (back row) Mr. DiSimoni, Mr. Emery, Mr. Moran, Mr. Martin. Absent, Mr. Byrnes.



Miss Spaulding, Miss Willis, Miss Marvel.

OCCUPATIONAL EDUCATION

Under the guidance of Miss Willis, the Occupational Department has extended its program. This year it is geared towards training girls for job opportunities. Courses offered in a three year period are Homemaking, Child Study, and Job Training. This new course is both enriching and rewarding.



Miss Willis, Department Head



(front row) Mr. Driscoll, Mr. Massery, Mr. Burke, Mr. Harrington. (back row) Mr. Ferris, Mr. O'Connor, Mr. Dunham, Mr. Murphy.

VOCATIONAL

The demand for skilled workers is always great and the Vocational Department is teaching the boys in the Department a trade so they may help fill the need. The new, fully equipped shops have provided practical experience and valuable training. Within the department a student may choose drafting, auto-mechanics, printing, auto body, carpentry, machine, metal fab, food trades, electronics, and electrical.



(seated), Mr. Robertson, Mr. Kraay. (standing) Mr. Connelly, Mr. Plante, Mr. Clark, Mr. Traversa, Mr. Ross.



(front row) Mr. Rossi, Mr. Anderson, Mr. Conte, Mr. Benjamin, Mr. Belisle. (back row) Mr. [unclear], Mr. Collins, Mr. Ross, Mr. Filkins, Mr. Kettles, Mr. Delgreco, Mr. Harvey.

PHYSICAL EDUCATION

The Physical Education Department stresses both individual and team sports. From participation in a team sport, one learns the importance of competition and sportsmanship. All the athletic teams are sponsored by the Physical Education Department, and they should be commended for the fine job they have done.



Coach Brock, Coach Lucaroni, Coach Bard, Coach Morgan



Mr. Bennett, Mrs. Rossbach

ART

In the Art Department, students are learning to use their abilities to express themselves. Creating with their hands their own special achievement has helped many of those who take art courses to better understand art and themselves.

MUSIC

Students with an interest in music and who wish to take electives in the Music Department can choose from a variety of courses. The Music Department stresses expression through music to its students, and the band and chorus are foremost examples of it.



Mr. Forrest, Mr. Ellis



(front row) Mrs. Lamb, Miss Hearn. (back row) Mr. Matthews, Dr. Coakley, Mr. Gionet.



GUIDANCE

For most seniors, the Guidance Department is a familiar place. Here, your Counselor will help you with schedule problems, college applications, or job selections. The Guidance Office is well stocked with college catalogues, brochures, and pamphlets on vocational opportunities, many of which can be taken home.

The door of the Guidance Department is always open to help with any problems that may arise.

Dr. Coakley, Department Head



Mrs. Shepardson, Nurse



Mrs. Wiley, Mrs. Miledeo, Dieticians



Mrs. Dunne, Reading Teacher



Mrs. Vinatier, Media Specialist



Mrs. McKenna.

SECRETARIES

The secretaries play an important role in a school. Their job is to keep the office running smoothly and efficiently. Certainly, Taconic benefits from the work of our secretaries, Mrs. Forrest, Mrs. Cimini, Mrs. Leather, and Mrs. McCartney.

A great deal of paperwork and organization is necessary for the efficient running of a school. The secretaries in the office have not only done their job well, but have also found time to help the students. They make announcements, set up appointments, and act as general mediators between students and administration. The secretarial staff deserves our thanks for the time they have given and the patience they have shown us.



Mrs. Cimini, Mrs. Forrest, Mrs. Leather.



Mrs. Forrest



Mrs. McCartney



Mrs. Gero, Mrs. Mandel

TEACHERS' AIDS

New at Taconic this year are the Teacher Aids. Their main duties are supervising the corridors, cafeterias and study halls, therefore enabling teachers to spend more time helping students.



(seated) Mrs. Carusotto, Mrs. Knappe, Mrs. Stycznski. (standing) Mrs. Norton, Mrs. Cambill.



Mrs. Faustini

CAFETERIA STAFF

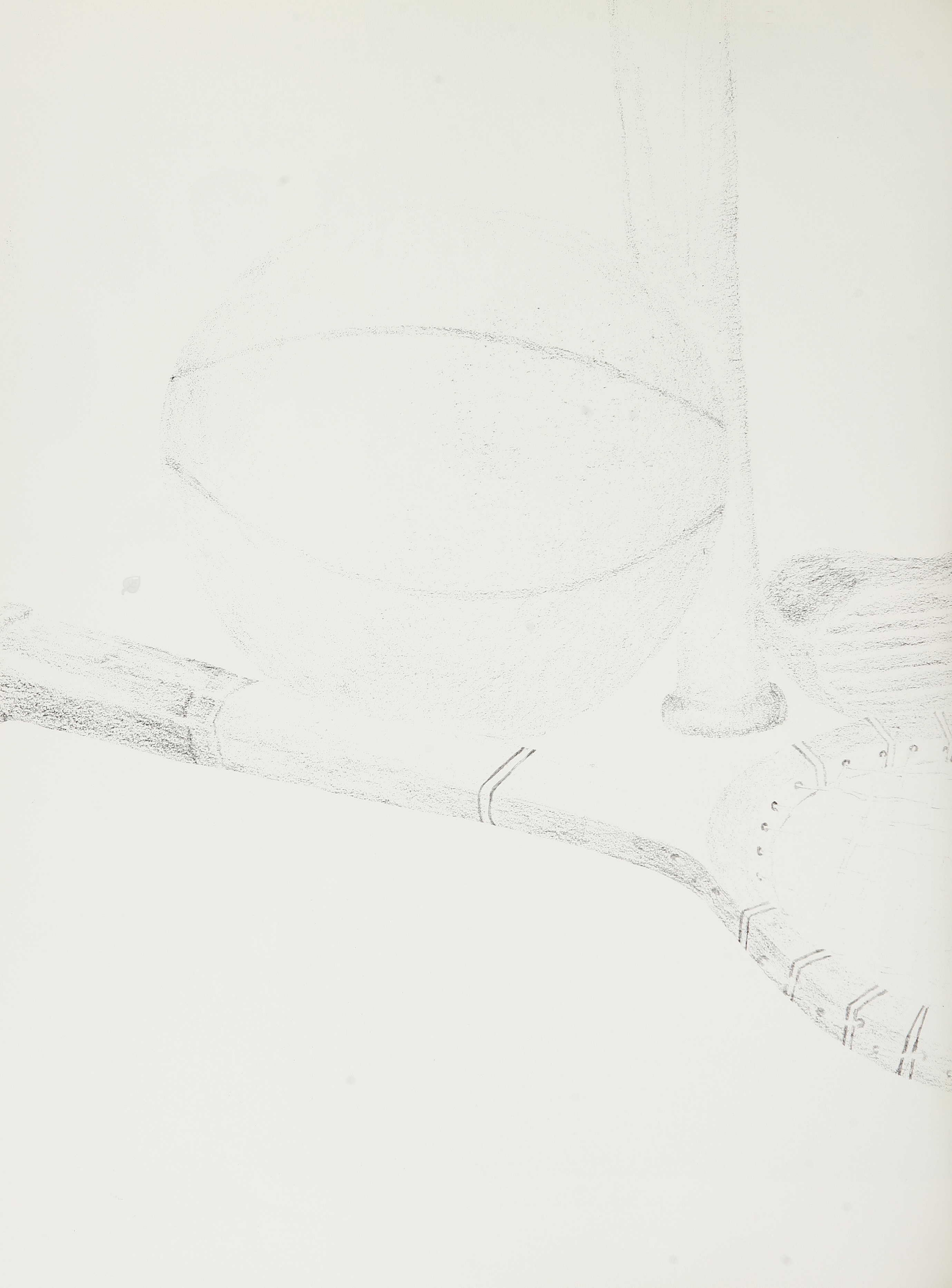


(front row) Mrs. Seddon, Mrs. Oakes, Mrs. Lynch, Mrs. Cetti, Mrs. Abate. (back row) Mrs. Eulian, Mrs. Hogue, Mrs. Chiorgno, Mrs. Marcuri, Mrs. Arnold, Mrs. DiNicola, Mrs. Daub.

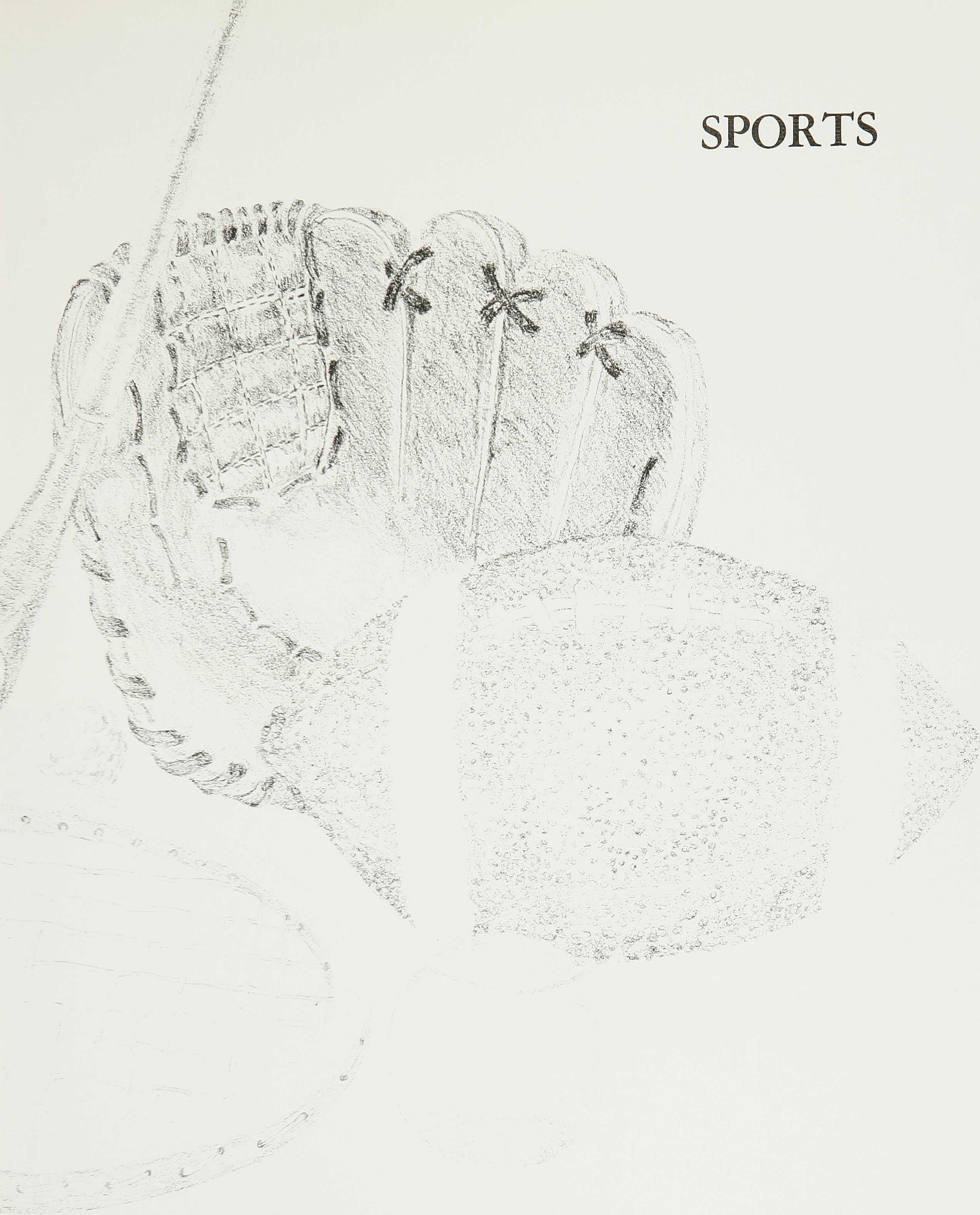


Mr. Williams, Mr. Myron, Mr. Boyle, Mrs. Thibodeau.

CUSTODIANS



SPORTS





Greg Wilson receives helpful advice from Coach Murray during Wahconah game.

FOOTBALL TEAM

The Brave's football team, much improved over last year, compiled a winning season with five victories and two defeats in their first year of Class A competition.

The most exciting game had to be our come-from-behind win over previously unbeaten Drury. Although Taconic was later defeated by Wahconah we tied for second place in the league.

By beating both St. Joe and Pittsfield High, the team became city champions. For this accomplishment, the team received jackets.

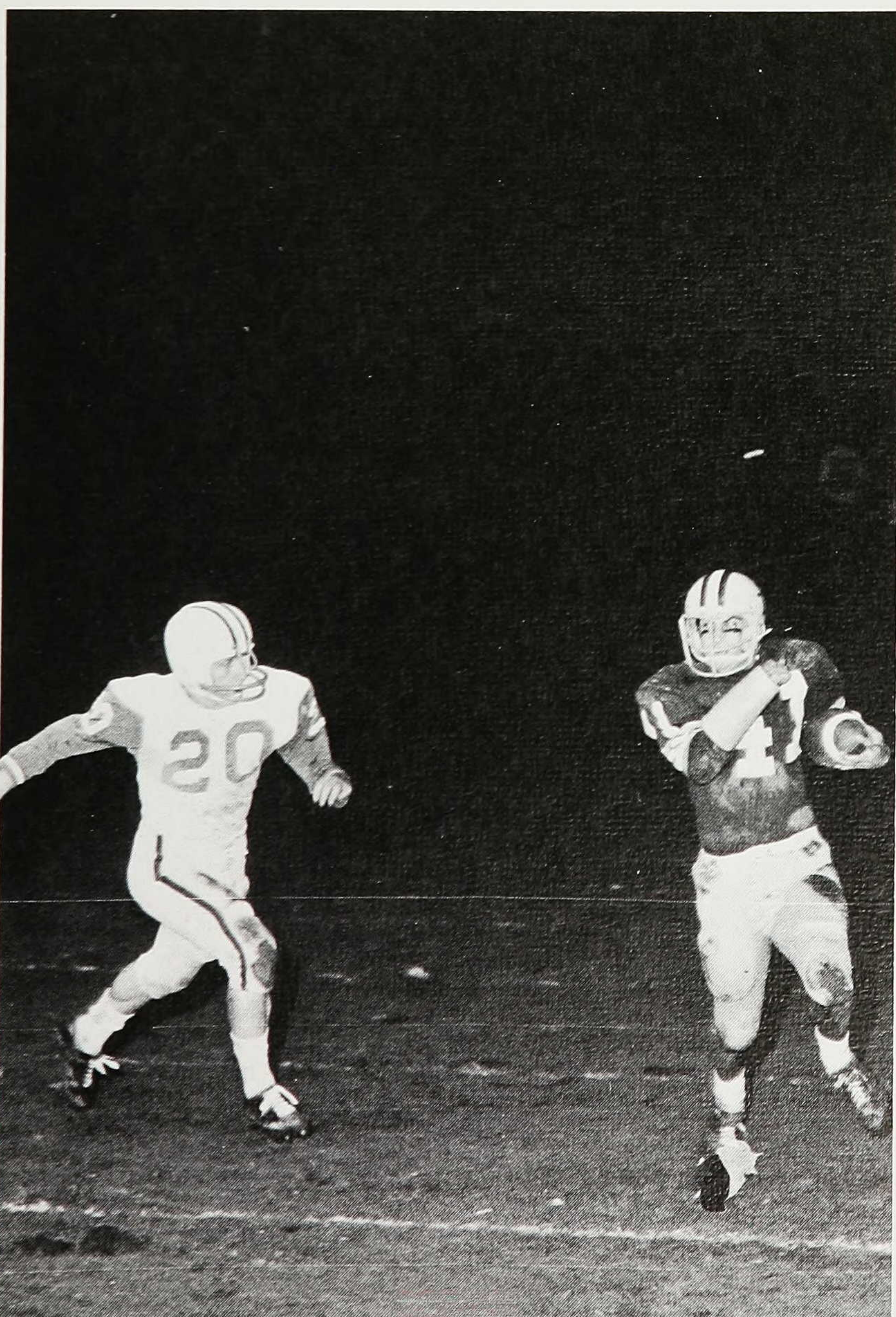


Left to Right 1st Row—P. Massery, D. Blake, K. Dunning, F. Hoffman, G. Sullivan, Capt. B. Street, T. Zwinglestein, C. Jacoby, J. Geer, D. Hornyak, G. Wilson. 2nd Row—G. Wilker, W. Mlynarczk, T. LaBarbera, D. Turner, K. Laube, B. Thompkins, T. Kinnas, S. Gallo, A. Wright, D. Conyers, M. Kupiec, T. Kelly. 3rd Row—J. Curran, C. Revord, R. Conyers, R. Tufo, R. Gingras, B. Disco, B. Choquette, F. Jones,

A. Hoffman, D. Barbour, J. Arseneau, P. Walak. 4th Row—Head Coach Bill Murray, Asst. Coach Jim Disimoni, Asst. Coach Frank Tudryn, B. Hover, J. Mangiarde, K. Ceasar, R. Morse, B. LaBarbera, M. Grandshaw, M. McDermott, J. Saltino, Asst. Coach Dave Lucaroni, Trainer Jay Brock.



Let's go, Taconic Braves!



Here I come, Coach!

Halfback Gary Wilker (41) sprints for the end-zone.



Dan Turner leaps high for a Jacoby toss.

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| Scores: | | | |
| Taconic | 0 | Adams | 14 |
| Taconic | 21 | Monument Mt. | 7 |
| Taconic | 0 | Chicopee | 30 |
| Taconic | 20 | Northampton | 7 |
| Taconic | 39 | Pittsfield | 14 |
| Taconic | 32 | St. Joe | 26 |
| Taconic | 25 | Drury | 24 |
| Taconic | 6 | Wahconah | 18 |



Move over, ref!



Jocoby and LaBarbera for the extra point.



Paul Yansak (22) fights for every inch during Wahconah game.

SOCCER TEAM

With a record of 11-1-2 the Taconic soccer team became Berkshire County Champions.

Led by Co-Captains Dan Giardina and Dick Rocca, the team advanced to the semifinals of the Western Mass. tournament before being stopped by a strong Ludlow High team.

Fine play by five Taconic players, Dick and Dan, Tracey Goodrich, Ken Linehan, and first-year man Jay Collins resulted in their being chosen for the All-Berkshire team. It was the second year for both Linehan and Goodrich. Dick also was awarded the Berkshire County Officials' Sportsmanship trophy.

Outstanding performances by juniors Keith Elskian, John Jansen, Dave Manners, and Jim Schermerhorn and Sophomore Bill Lyons played a big part in the team's successful season.



Coach Gionet watches from sidelines.



1st Row—S. Connors, M. MacNeil, T. Rapkowicz, J. Jansen, R. Hopper, B. Lyons, D. Manners, T. Farley. 2nd Row—J. Manners, T. Goodrich, R. Smith, R. Plumb, K. Eksukian, Co-Captains D. Giardina and D. Rocca, J. Schermerhorn, B. Moon, J. Collins, C.

Zauistowski. 3rd Row—Coach R. Gionet, E. Smith, E. Rud, T. Holland, K. Linehan, M. Zauistowski, L. Quirk, D. Massena, D. Pectrowski, B. Vandergrift, M. Tyler, J. Laramy, J. Jones, and manager B. Pires.



C'mon guys, this is serious!



Two heads are better than one.

Coach Gionet instills confidence during halftime.



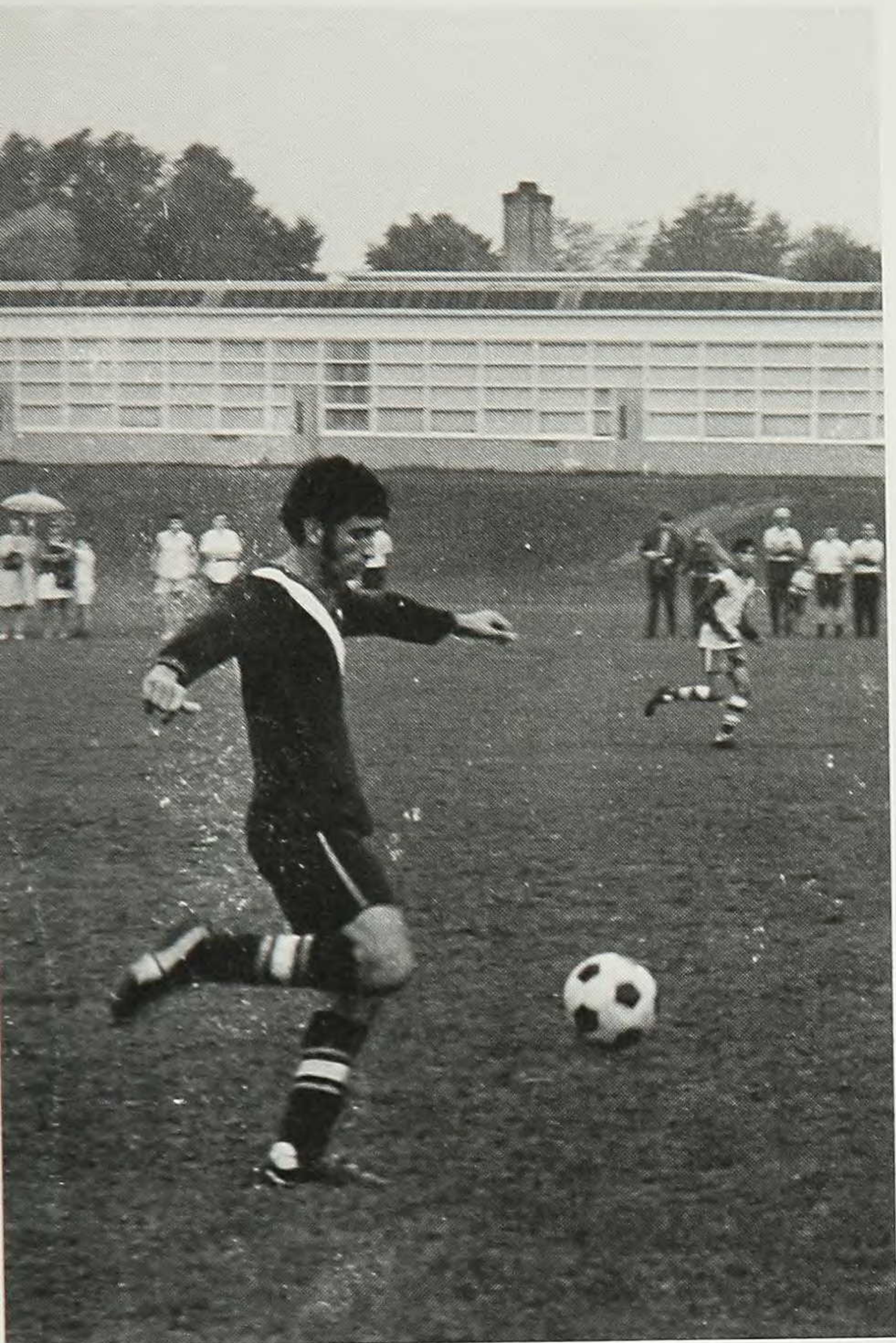
Two-time All-Berkshire goalie Ken Linehan.



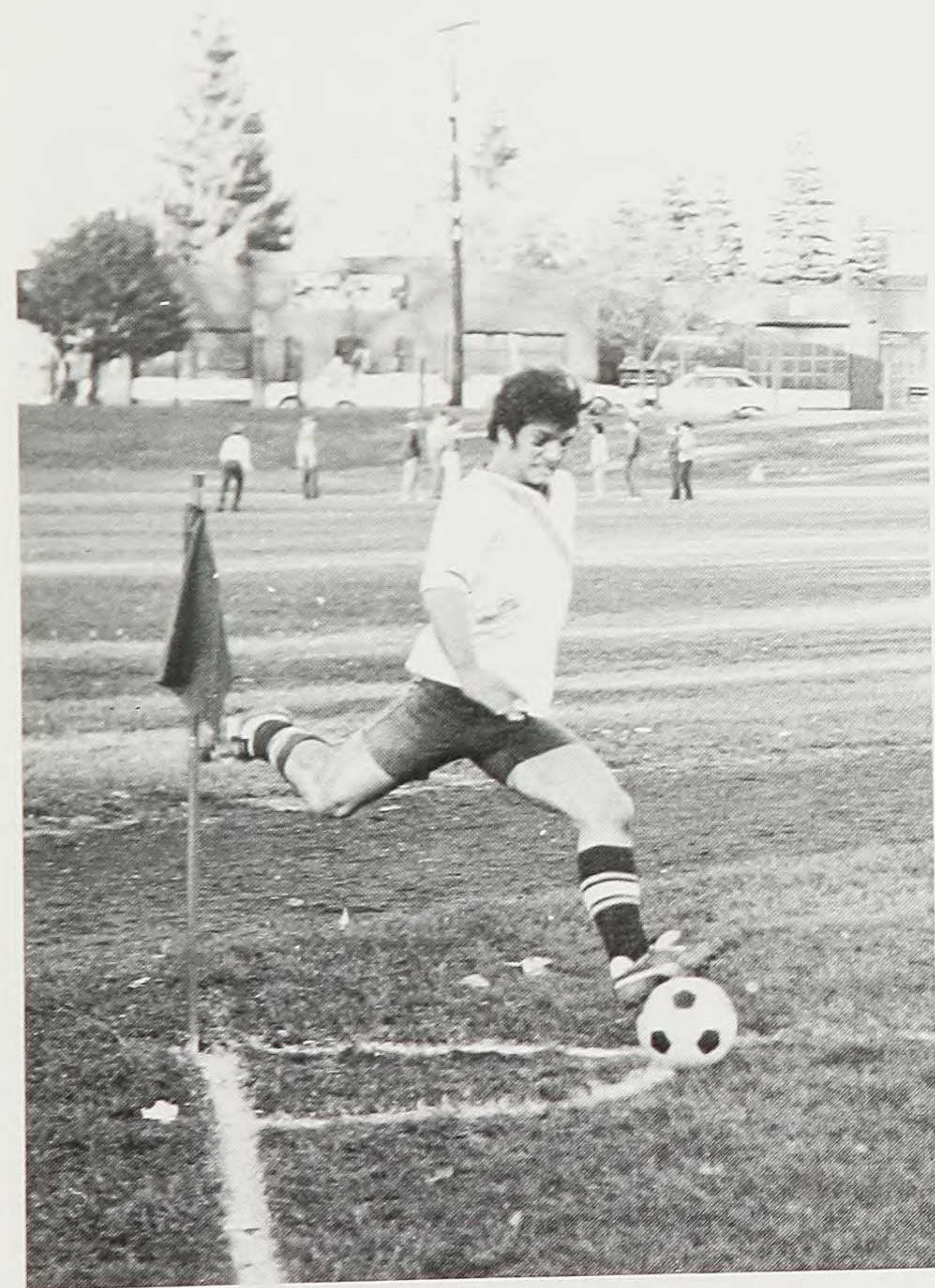
Agile Jim Schermerhorn makes a tricky tackle.

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| Scores: | | | |
| Taconic | 0 | Wahconah | 0 |
| Taconic | 8 | Hoosac Valley | 1 |
| Taconic | 8 | St. Joe (N.A.) | 2 |
| Taconic | 2 | Pittsfield High | 2 |
| Taconic | 2 | Mt. Greylock | 1 |
| Taconic | 1 | Monument Mt. | 0 |
| Taconic | 1 | Lenox High | 0 |
| Taconic | 5 | Lee High | 1 |
| Taconic | 1 | St. Joe (P.) | 0 |
| Taconic | 5 | Hoosac Valley | 2 |
| Taconic | 5 | St. Joe (N.A.) | 0 |
| Taconic | 2 | Monument Mt. | 1 |
| Taconic | 1 | St. Joe (P.) | 2 |
| Taconic | 0 | Wahconah | 0 |
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| Western Mass. Tournament | | | |
| Taconic | 2 | Monument Mt. | 1 |
| Taconic | 0 | Ludlow High | 1 |

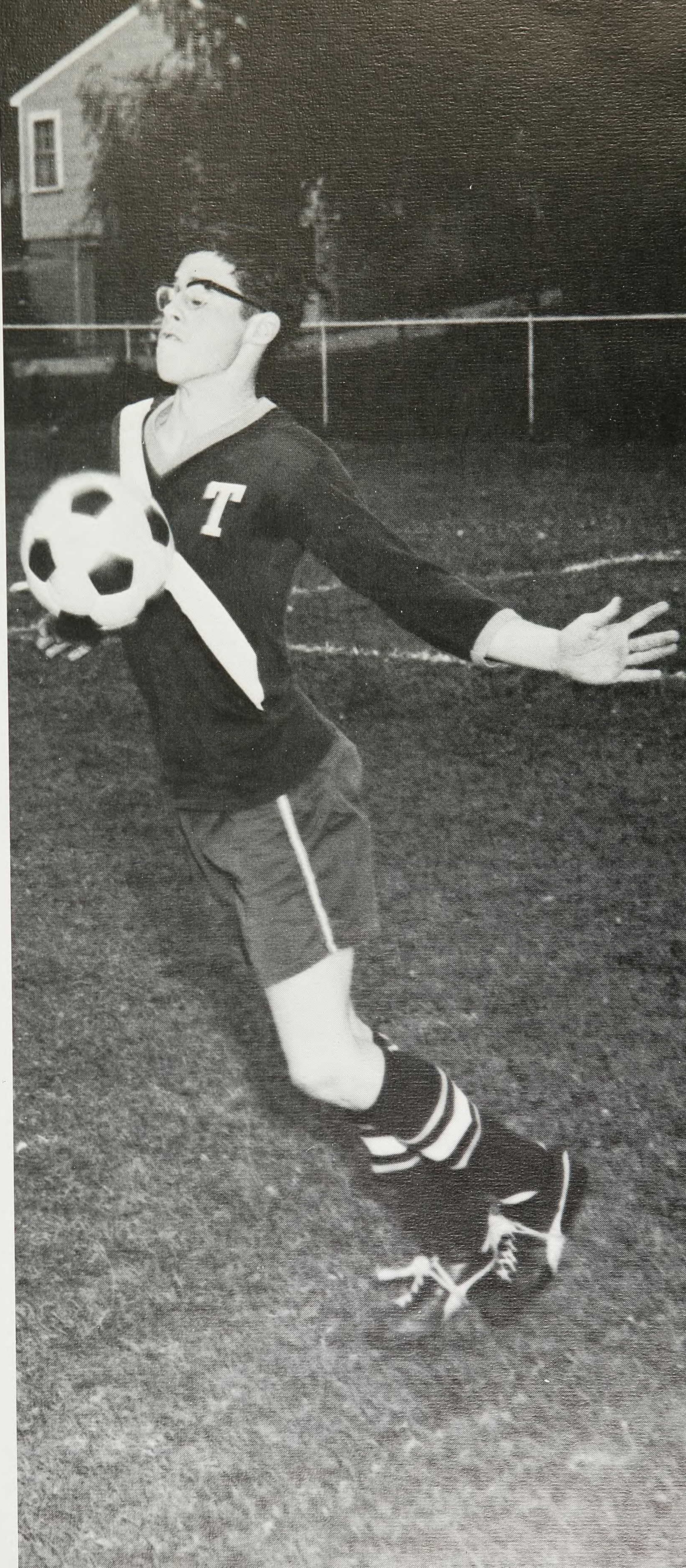
Co-Captain Dan Giardina prepares for powerful upfield
oot.



"And in this corner . . ."



"Look, coach, no hands!"



SKI TEAM



Kneeling: B. Connors, T. Wetherell, S. Elmstrom, B. Sherratt, J. McNerney. Standing: Coach R. Estes, Capt. N. Makes, D. Barris, T. Holland, P. Fayerweather, C. Zuber, B. Green, J. Harrington, S. Evans, Capt. R. Rainforth K. Eksukian, and T. Goodrich.

For the first time, the Taconic Braves Ski Team won the Berkshire Interscholastic meet. Much credit must be given to Co-Captains Nick Makes and Rich Rainforth in their fine Nordic performances, while Tracy Goodrich won the downhill race.

The team is composed of a nucleus of hard-working juniors, and next year's team promises to repeat their title winning performances.



The State Forest jump from the top.



Surprise!



"How do I look, Coach?"



"If only I could move the poles . . ."



Bob Baran spring a long one.



You've got to lean forward, Nick!



Dave Barris goes airborne.



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Brodie
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Bousquets
Interscholastics
State Forest
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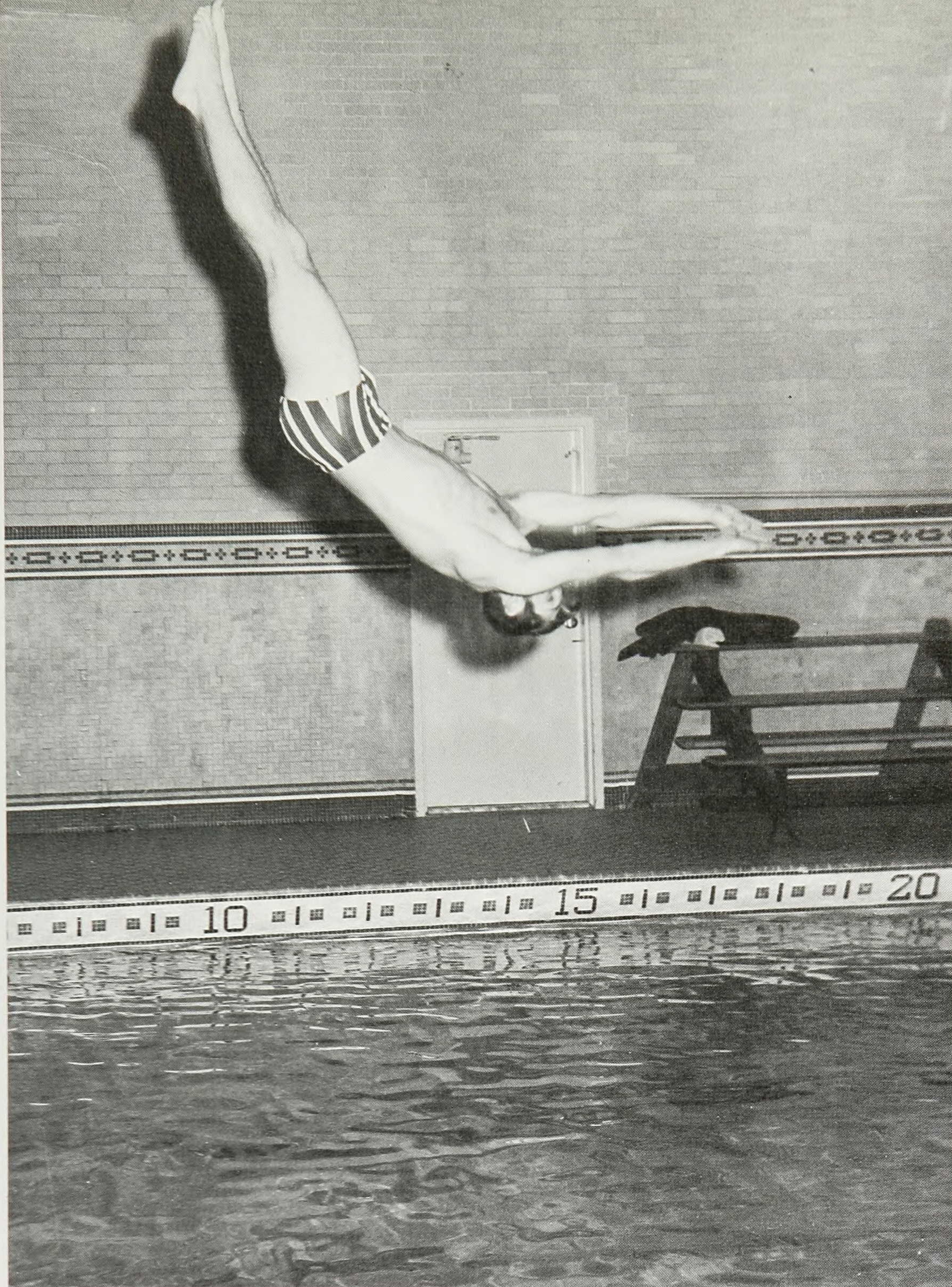
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SWIM TEAM



First Row: S. Strang, Capt. D. Manners, Capt. T. Ruel, J. Ward, K. Fiegel. Top Row: J. Leamon, F. Cook, R. Bartlett, Coach Somerville.

Although the swim team had a poor record in its second season, there were some fine individual performances. Sophomore Fred Cook established himself as a premier freestyle, while junior captain Dave Manners was a great utility man. Since only senior captain Tim Ruel is leaving, there is great hope that the team will regain its Western Mass. title.

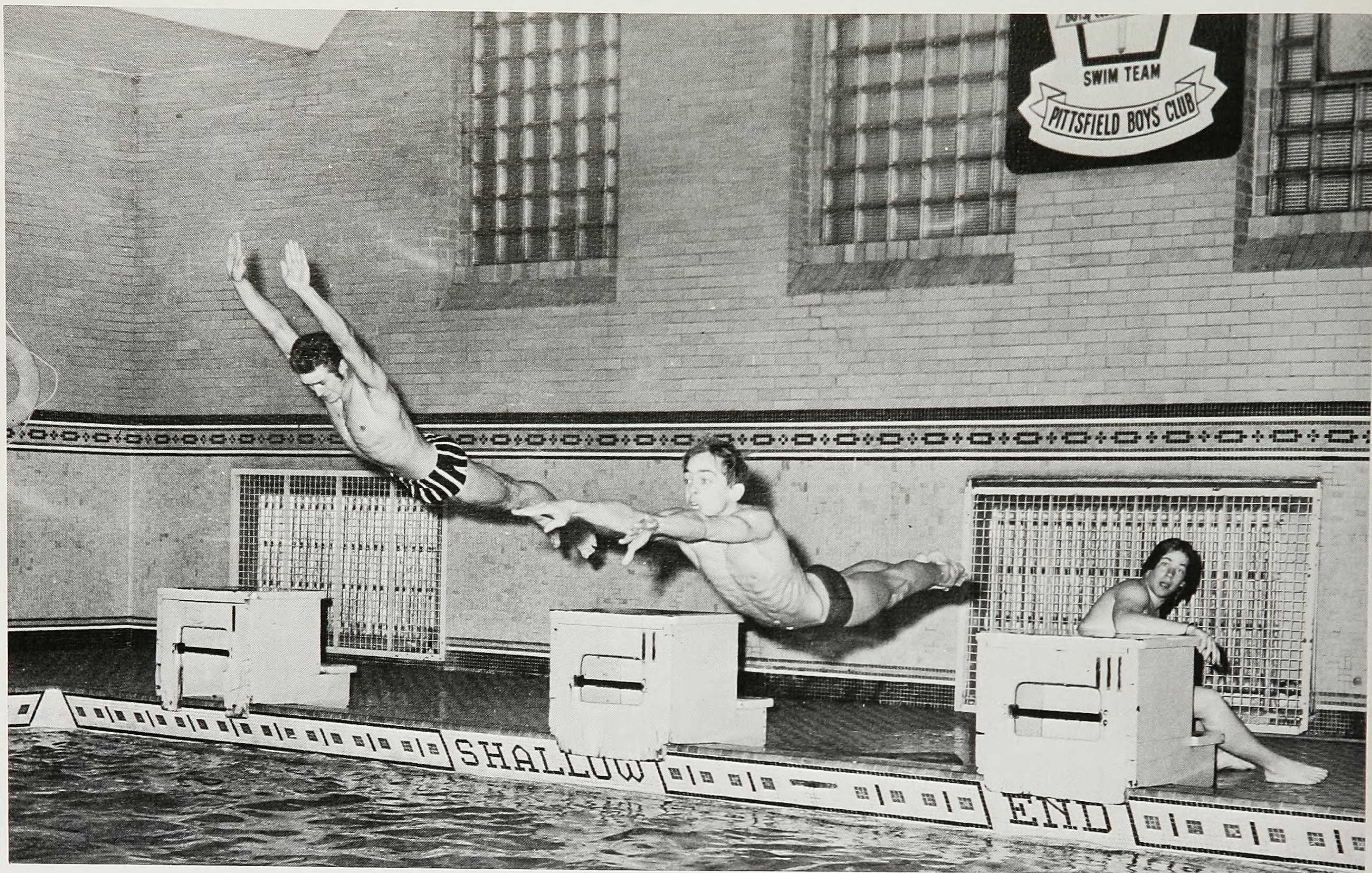


A graceful backdrive.

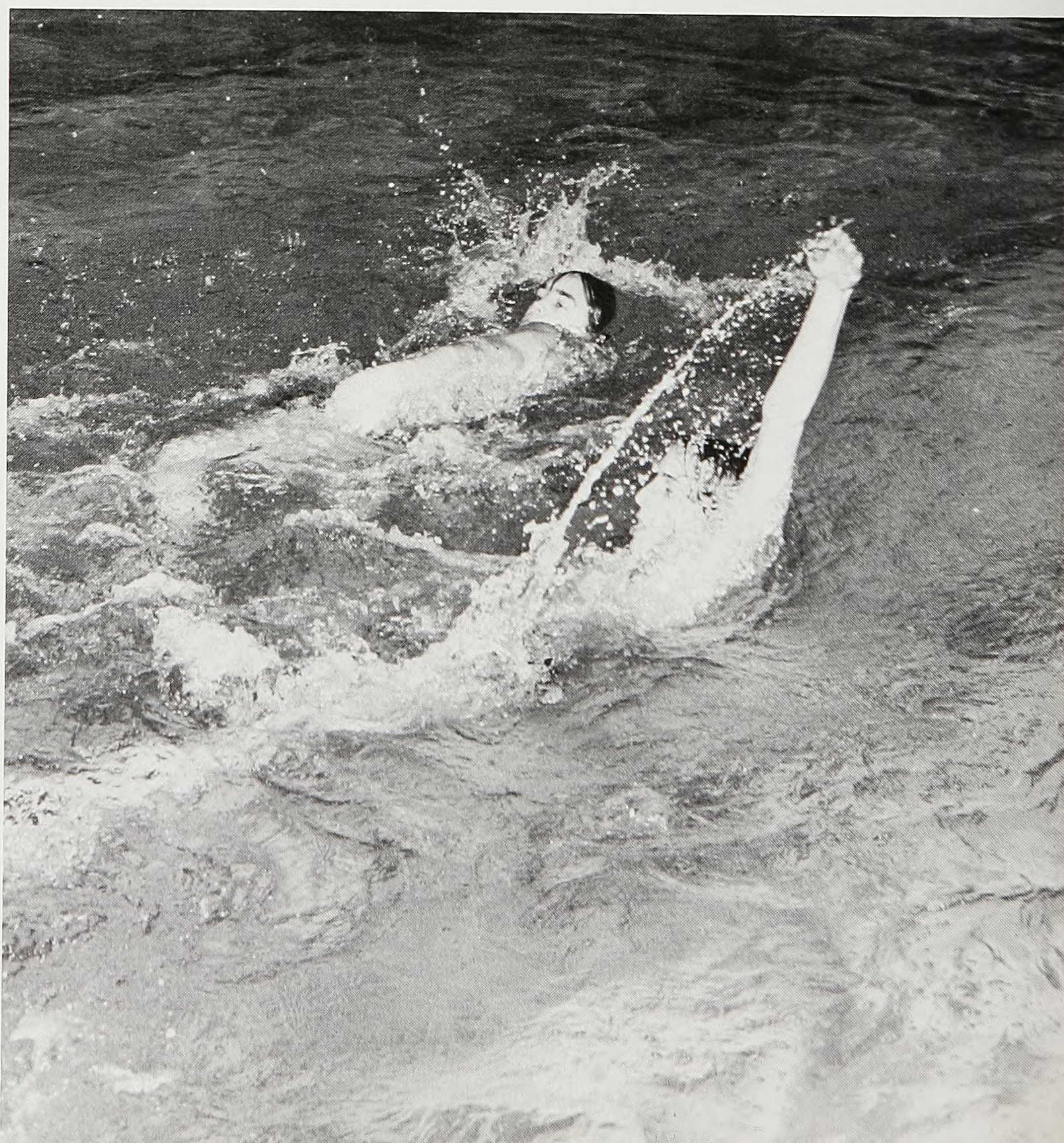
Coach Somerville engages in a poolside chat.

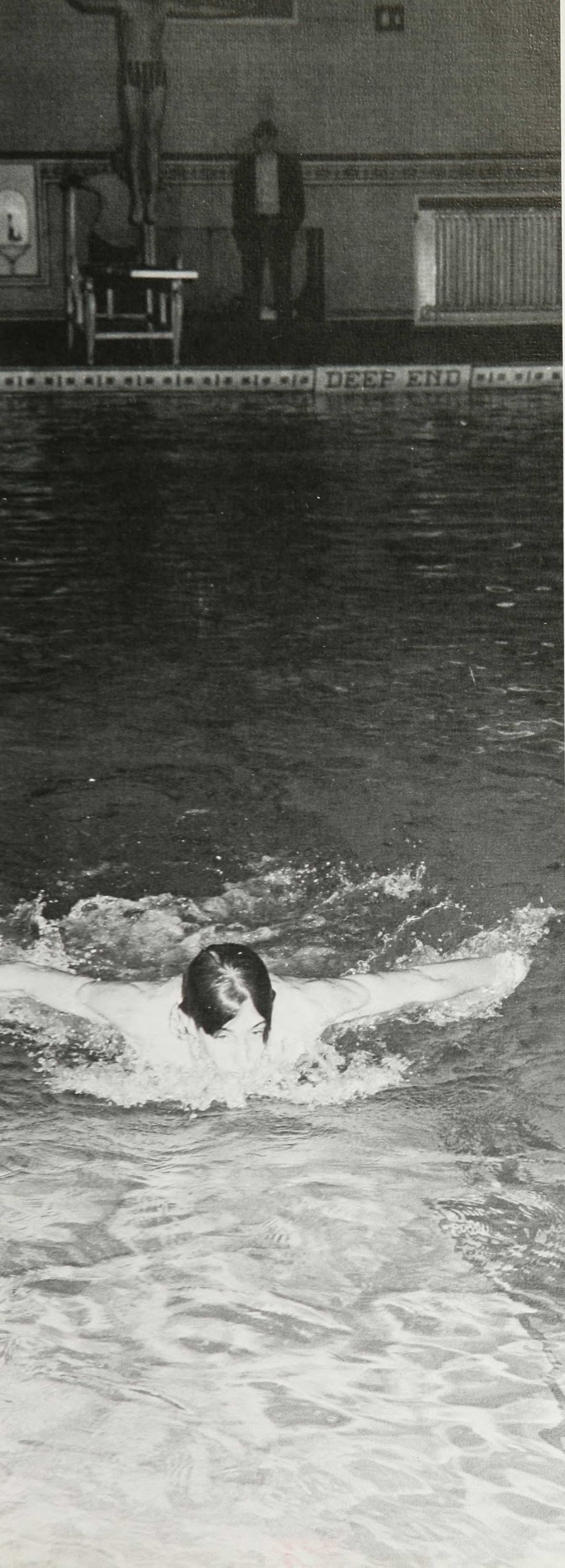


Dave Manners and John Leamon push off as Fred Cook watches.

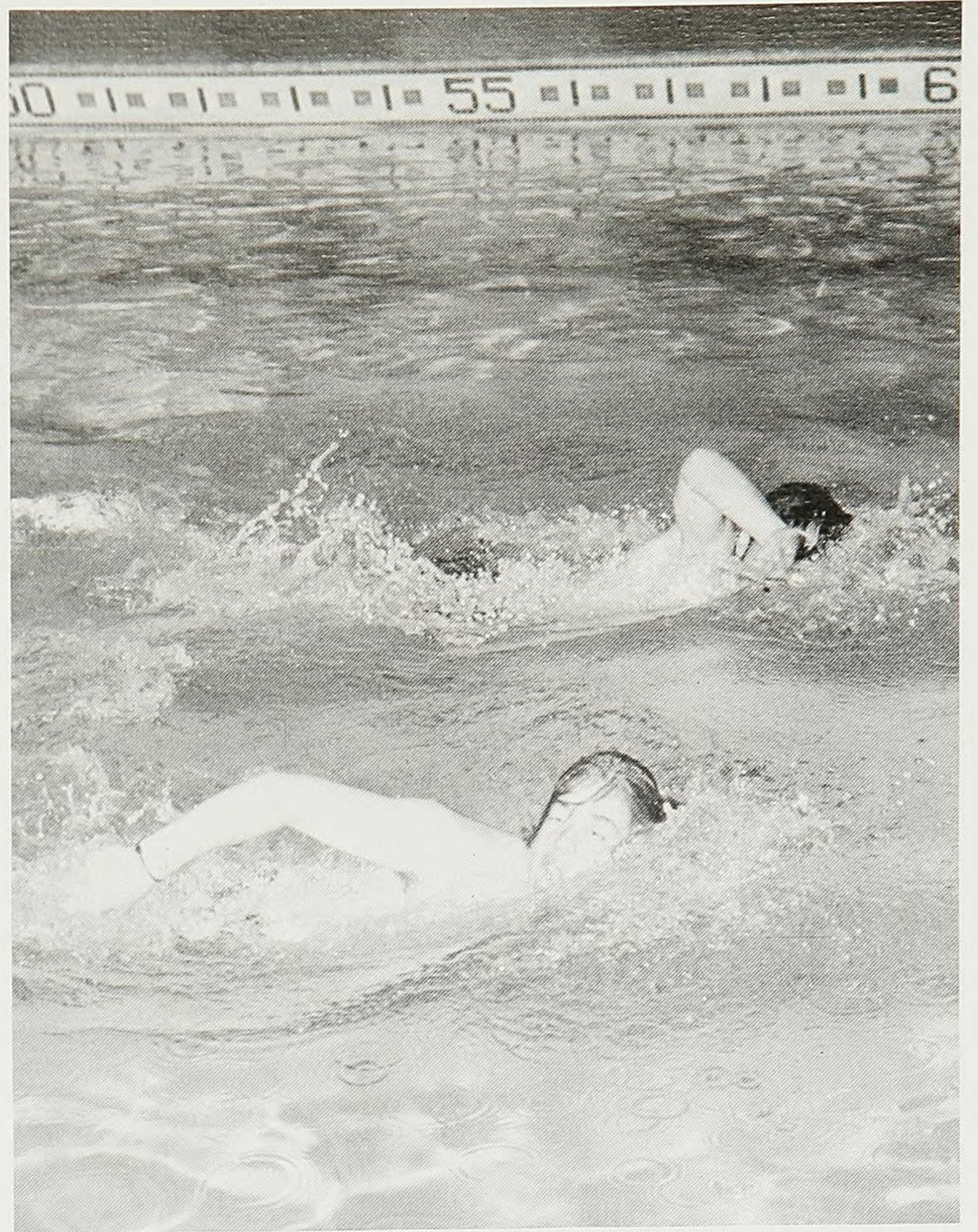


Manners edges Ruel in a close race.

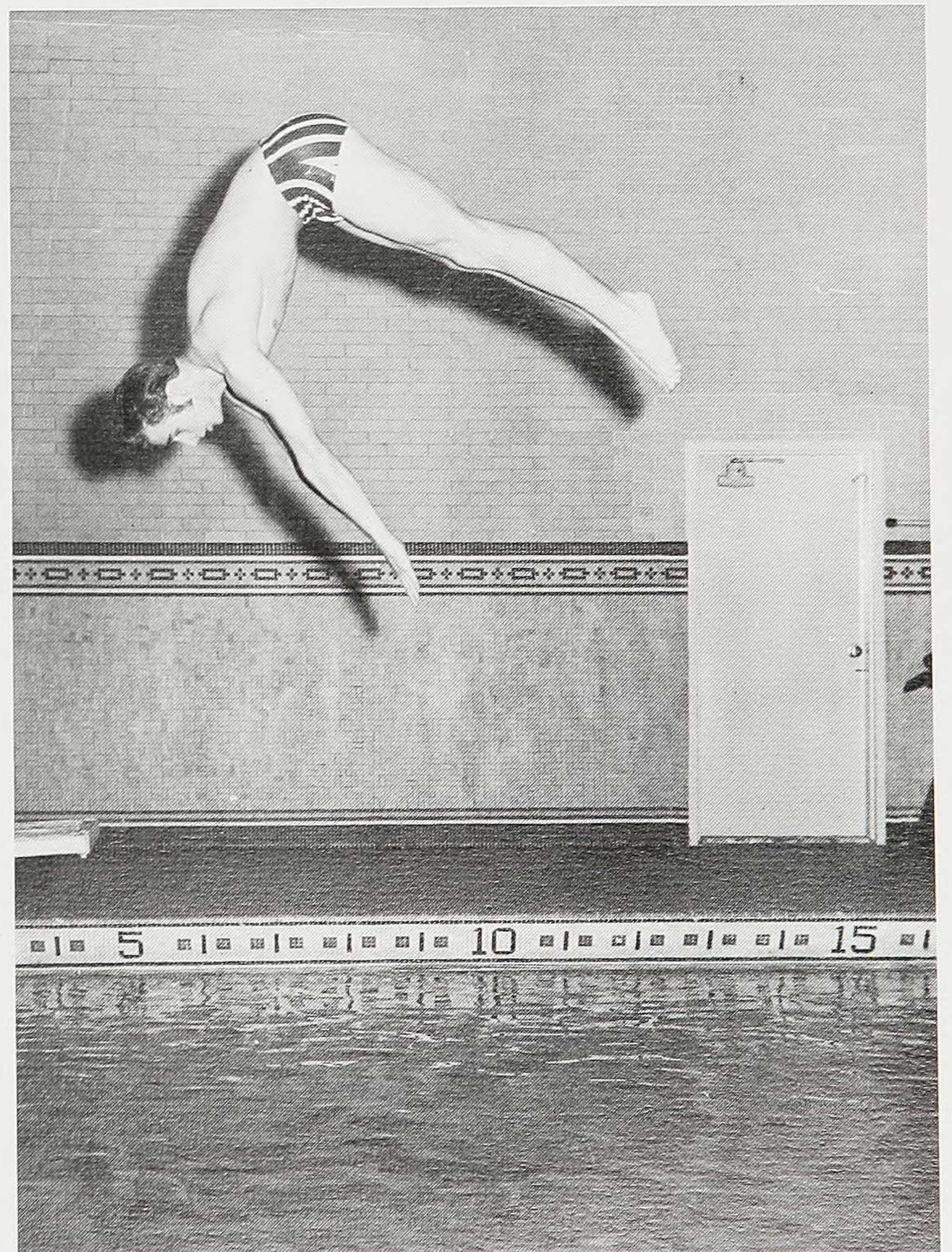




Freestyler Fred Cook has many wins to his credit.



Practice makes perfect.



Captain Tom Ruel displays his butterfly.



Senior veteran Donny Troy on the attack.

The hockey team won the Hennessey League this year. Strong performances were given by seniors Kenny Linehan, Captain Mike Murphy, Donny Troy and Jay Collins. Although the league will be rougher next year, Taconic is greatly favored to repeat their performance.



Kneeling: S. Lampiasi, D. Troy, S. Connors, T. Fitzgerald, D. Archey, G. Gordon, J. Mulloy, T. Kelly. Standing: Coach C. Moffatt, Manager B. Donaldson, E. Mylnarczyk, K. Linehan, J. Collins, C. M. Murphy, D. Curry, J. Magner, P. Walak, T. Roche, Manager J. Curley and E. Smith.

TEAM



"I'll get him from behind."

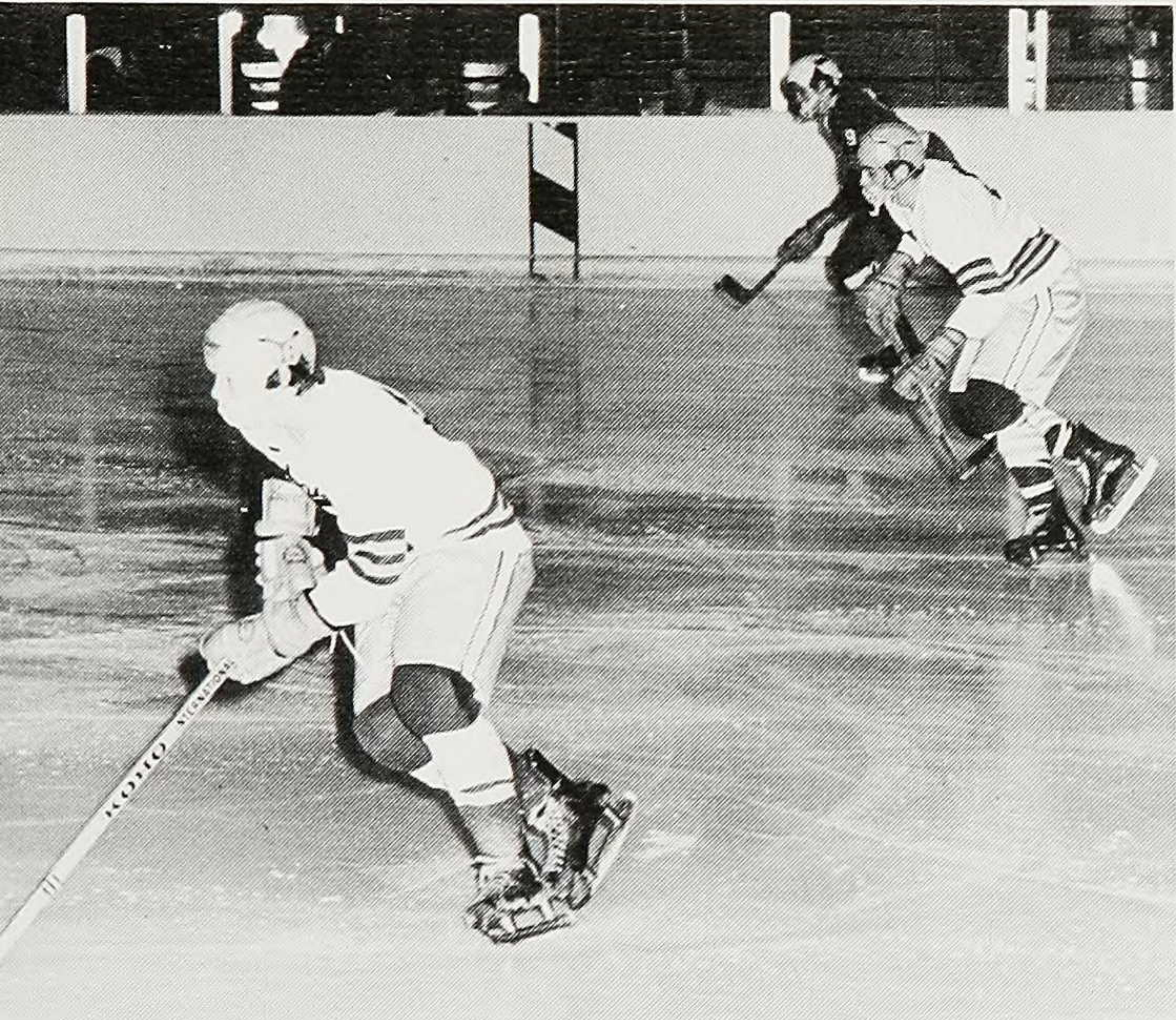


Shaun Connors (3) prepares to pass to Jay Collins.

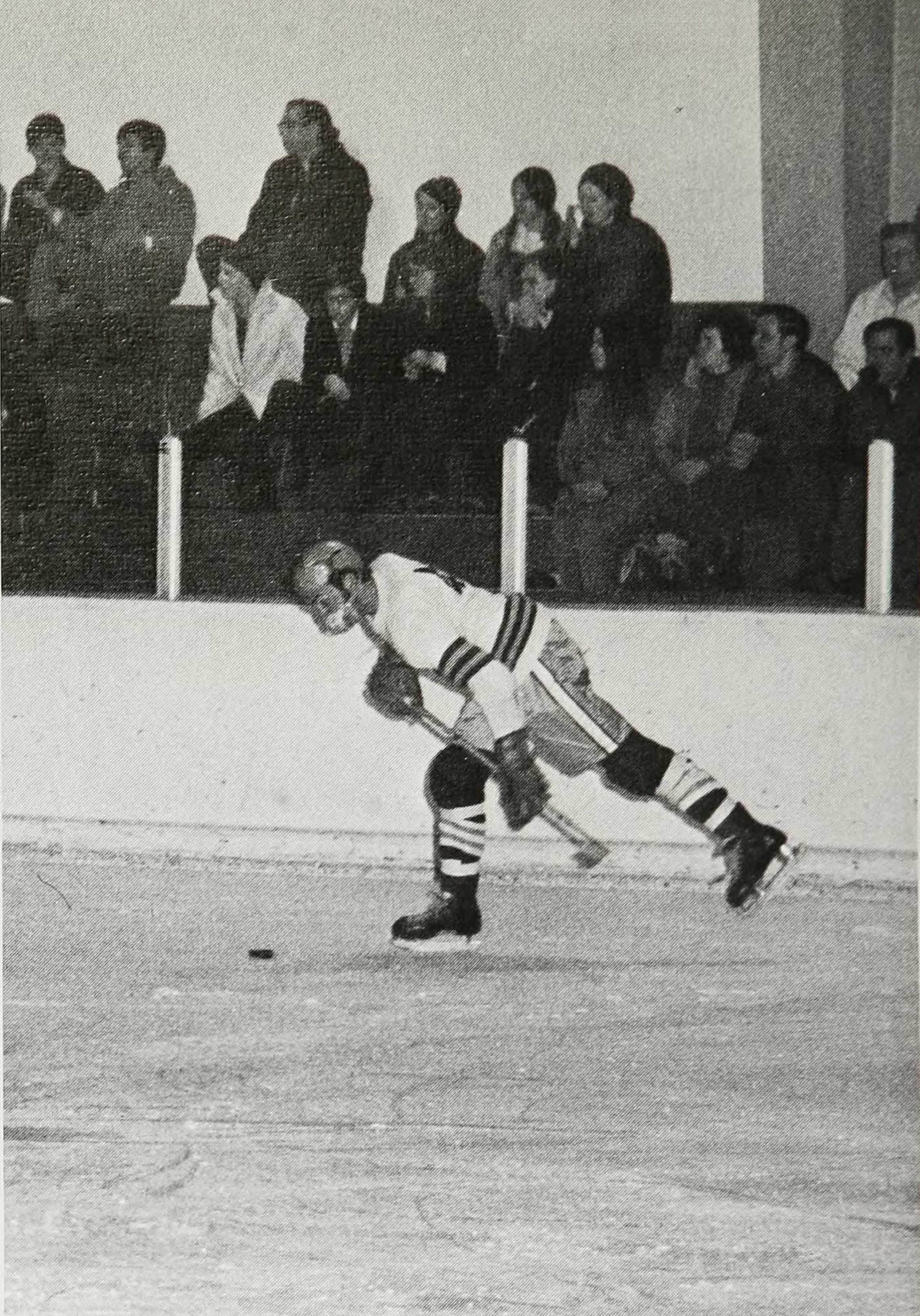


Face off!

| Taconic | | Opponent | |
|---------|------------------|----------|--|
| 0 | West Side | 3 | |
| 5 | West Side | 1 | |
| 3 | Longmeadow | 0 | |
| 10 | St. Joe | 0 | |
| 5 | PHS | 1 | |
| 5 | Mt. Greylock | 2 | |
| 5 | Albany Academy | 1 | |
| 19 | PHS | 0 | |
| 5 | Mt. Greylock | 2 | |
| 9 | Mt. Greylock | 0 | |
| 6 | Troy High | 1 | |
| 7 | Berkshire School | 4 | |
| 10 | St. Joe | 0 | |
| 4 | Chicopee | 2 | |
| 5 | St. Joe | 0 | |
| 6 | Lenox Prep | 8 | |
| 5 | PHS | 1 | |
| 5 | Westfield | 4 | |
| 4 | Classical | 7 | |



Braves on the march.



Linehan's slap shot is devastating.

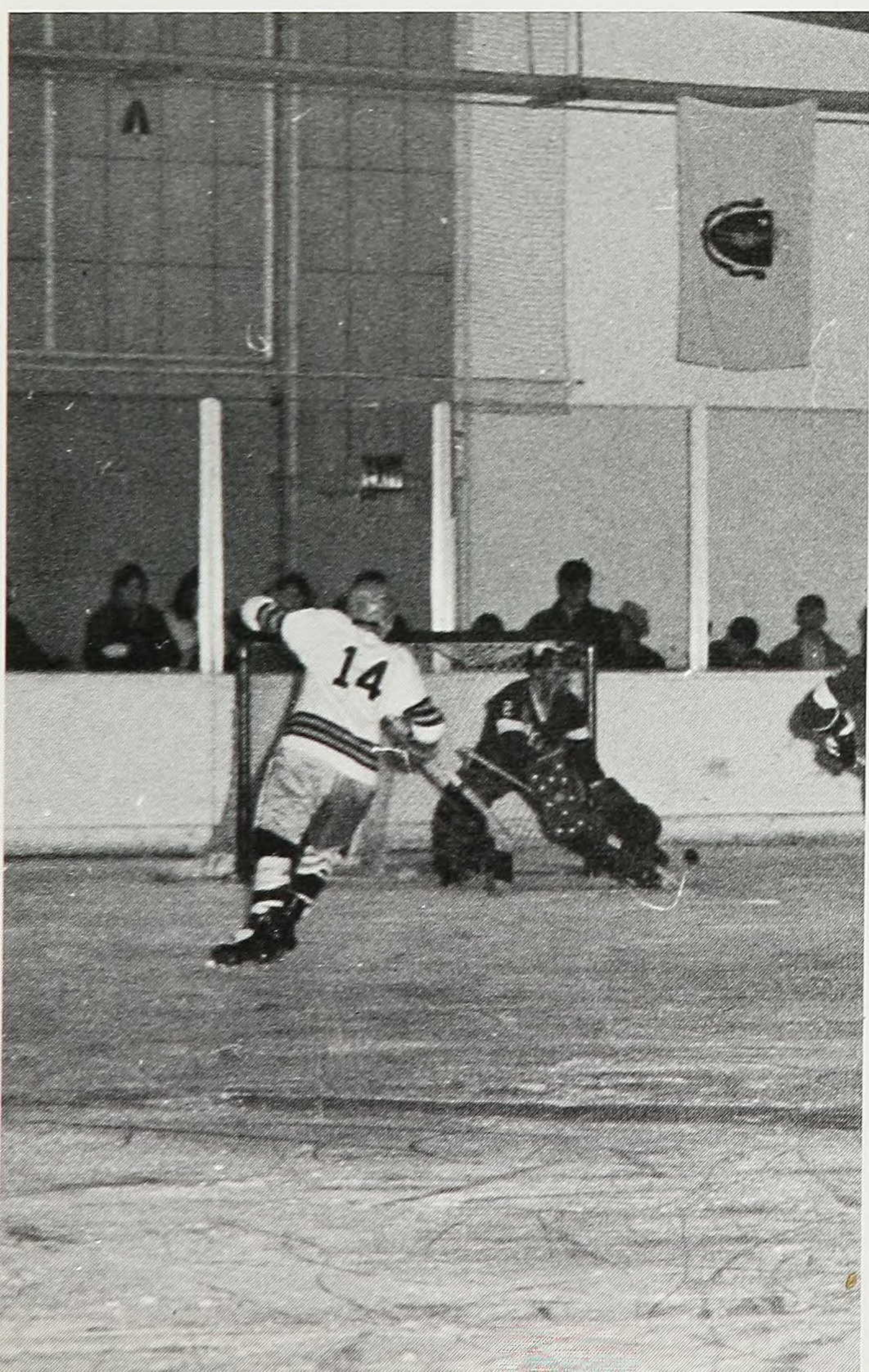


Kenny breezes by an opponent as Donny Troy looks on.

Who's open?



Score!



C'mon Kenny, it's my turn!



BASKETBALL TEAM



Kneeling: J. Racicot, P. Yansak, C. Jacoby, D. Turner, M. Britain. Standing: Manager J. Greer, C. McCarty, L. Black, F. Hoffman, D. Hamling, G. Wilson, K. Dunning, Captain J. Johnson, Coach R. Coakley.



The basketball team finished third in the Northern Berkshire League. Certainly the highlight of the season was our home victory over Drury, while the one-point loss to Wahconah proved very discouraging. Strong performances were given by senior captain Jeff Johnson, Chris Jacoby, Fred Hoffman, and Ken Dunning, while junior Mike Britain sparked our back-court in many a winning effort.

Mike Britain lays one up in Hoosac game.



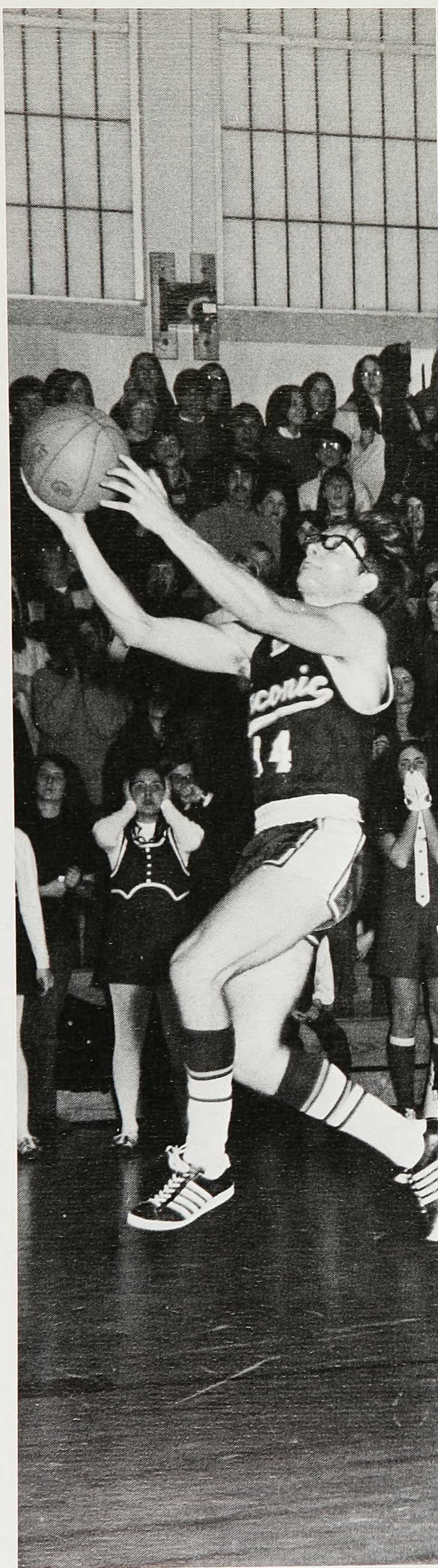
Coach Coakley at the rally for the P.H.S. game.



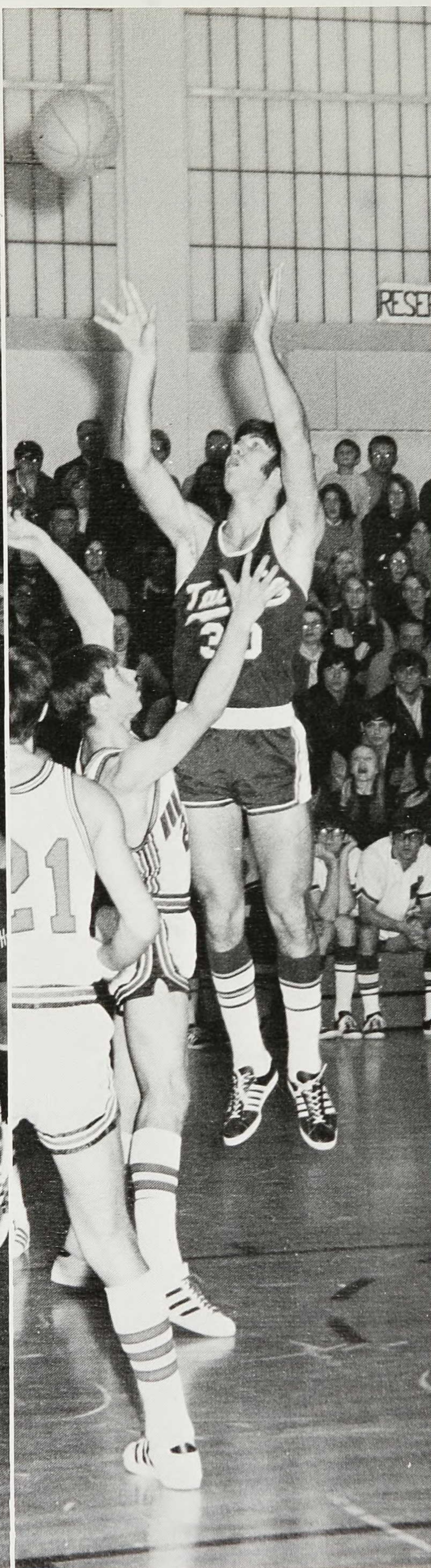
Big Fred Hoffman pops a jumper.



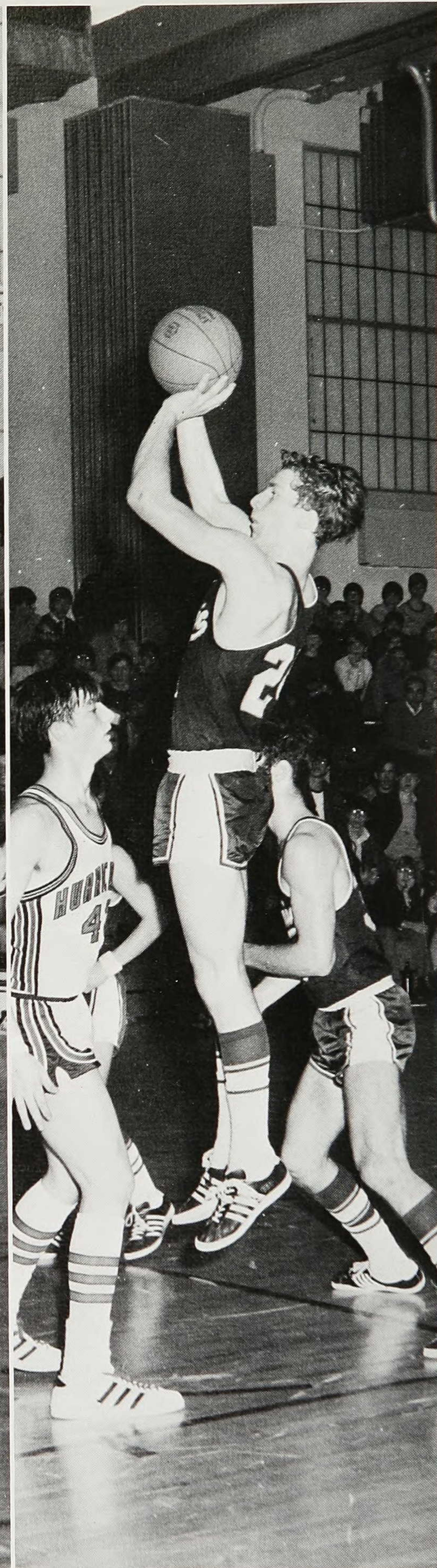
Gregg Wilson fights for room in the close P.H.S. game.



Chris Jacoby make it look easy!



Looks good, Gregg!



Up and In!

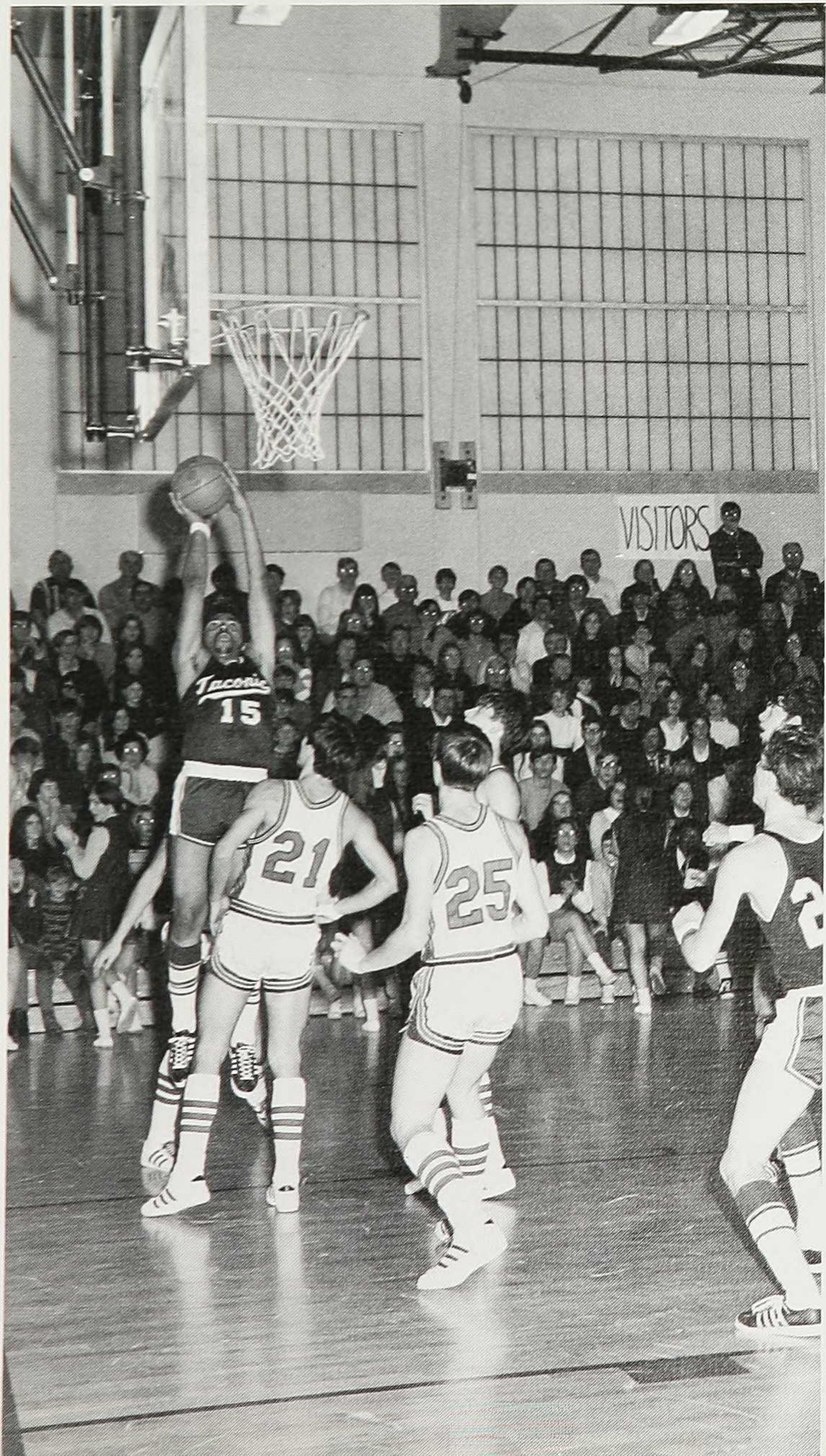
Capt. Johnson doesn't approve of the turn of events.



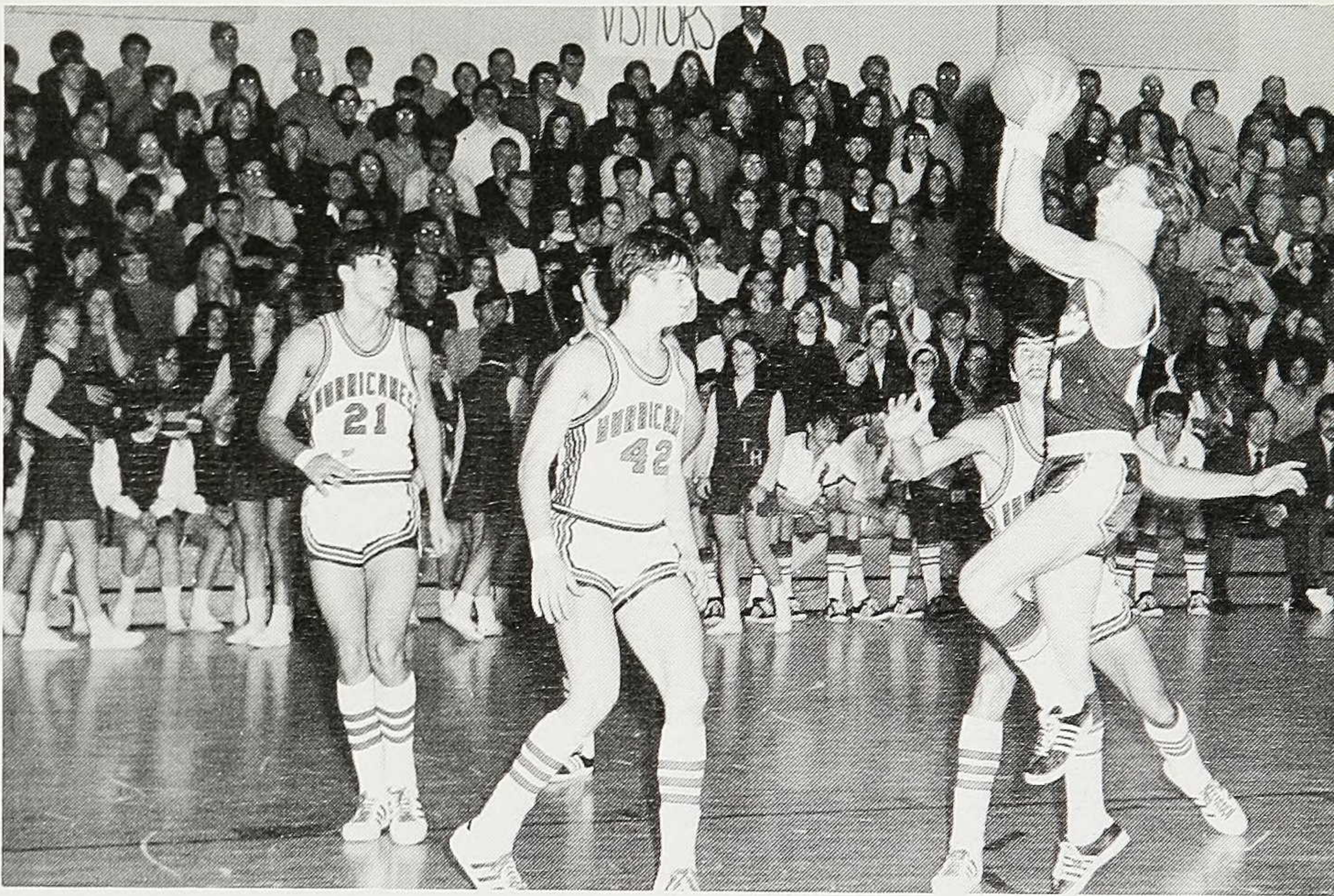
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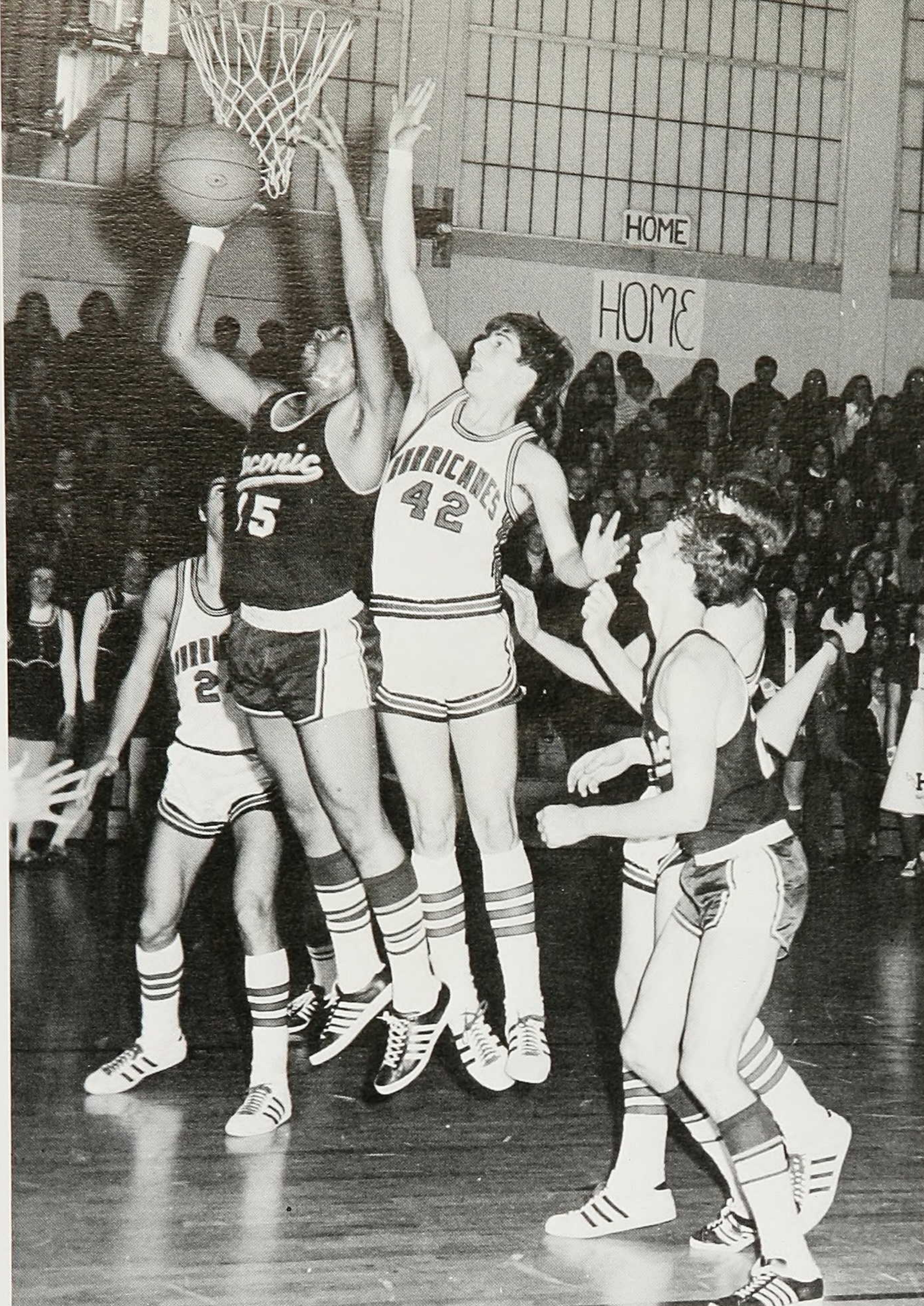
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| Taconic 55 | Chicopee | 40 |
| Taconic 53 | Lee | 55 |
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| Taconic 52 | Lee | 41 |
| Taconic 64 | Classical | 60 |
| Taconic 71 | Monument Mt. | 59 |
| Taconic 71 | P.H.S. | 37 |
| Taconic 55 | P.H.S. | 52 |
| Taconic 40 | Hoosic Valley | 42 |
| Taconic 64 | Hoosic Valley | 41 |
| Taconic 63 | Mt. Greylock | 44 |
| Taconic 67 | Mt. Greylock | 52 |
| Taconic 56 | Drury | 73 |
| Taconic 69 | Drury | 52 |
| Taconic 55 | St. Joseph (N.A.) | 49 |
| Taconic 63 | St. Joseph (N.A.) | 48 |
| Taconic 65 | St. Joseph (P.) | 58 |
| Taconic 56 | St. Joseph (P.) | 61 |
| Taconic 77 | Wahconah | 58 |
| Taconic 50 | Wahconah | 51 |

Stretch!



Ken Dunning played a big role in team's success.





Jeff Johnson shows great effort.



No, it's my ball!



Dunning shoots again.



Up for grabs.

WRESTLING TEAM



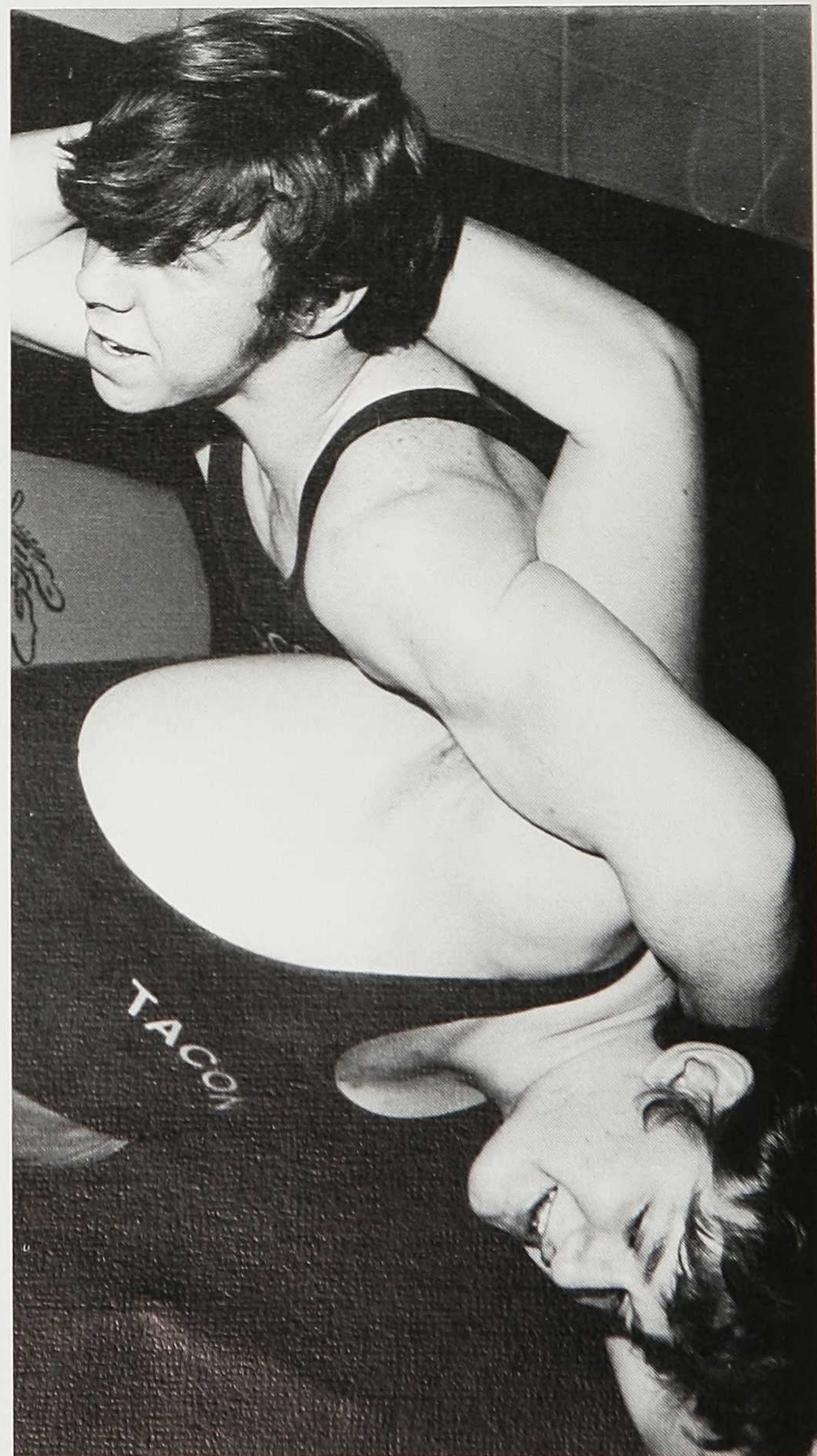
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The Taconic wrestlers, although hampered by injuries, turned in a respectable season. Senior veteran Dave Hornyak capped his career with the Western Mass. heavyweight title, while captains Paul Cormier and Greg Sullivan came in close seconds. Sophomore Jim Mack, a fine wrestler, proved that Taconic will be strong in years to come.

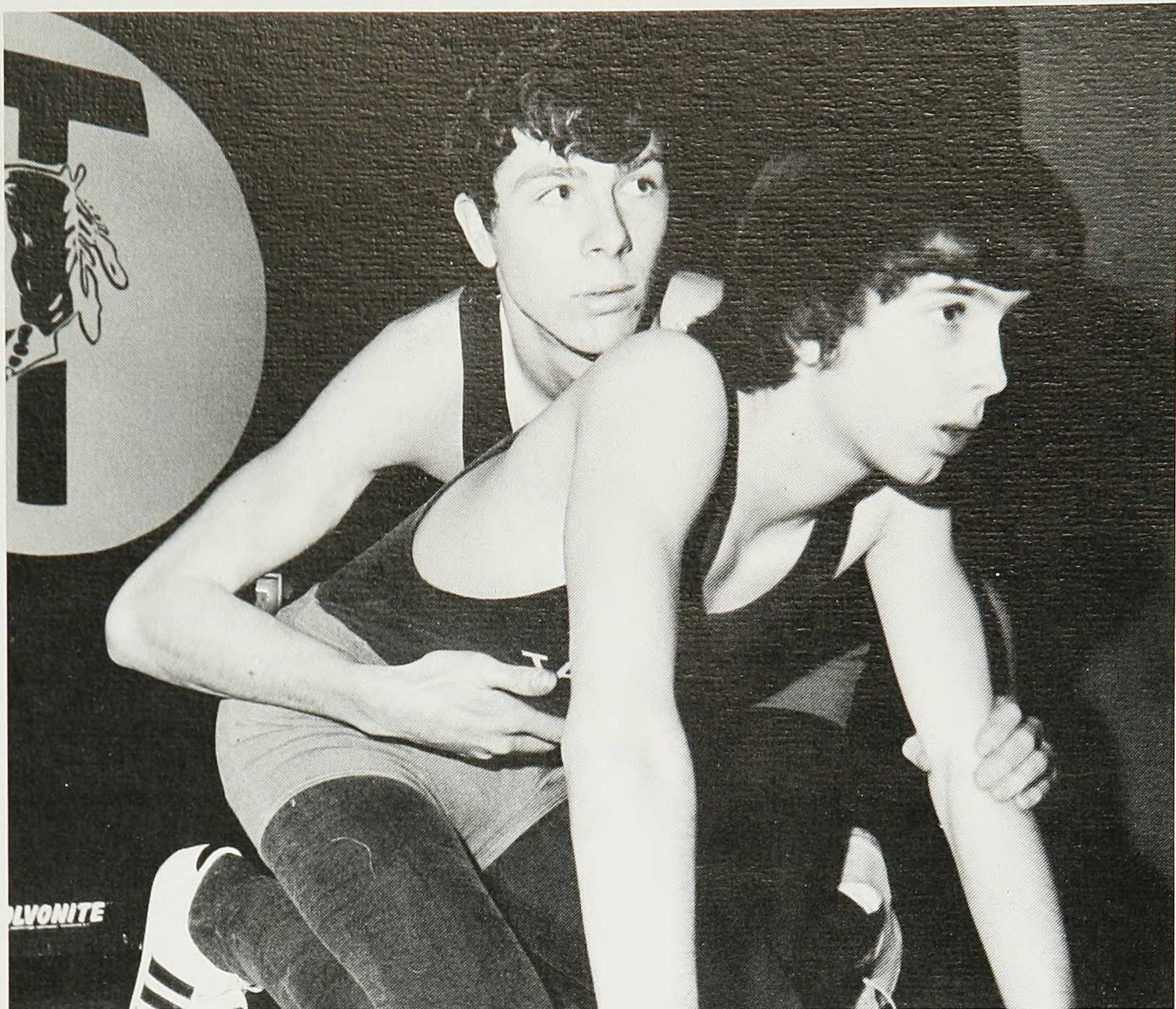
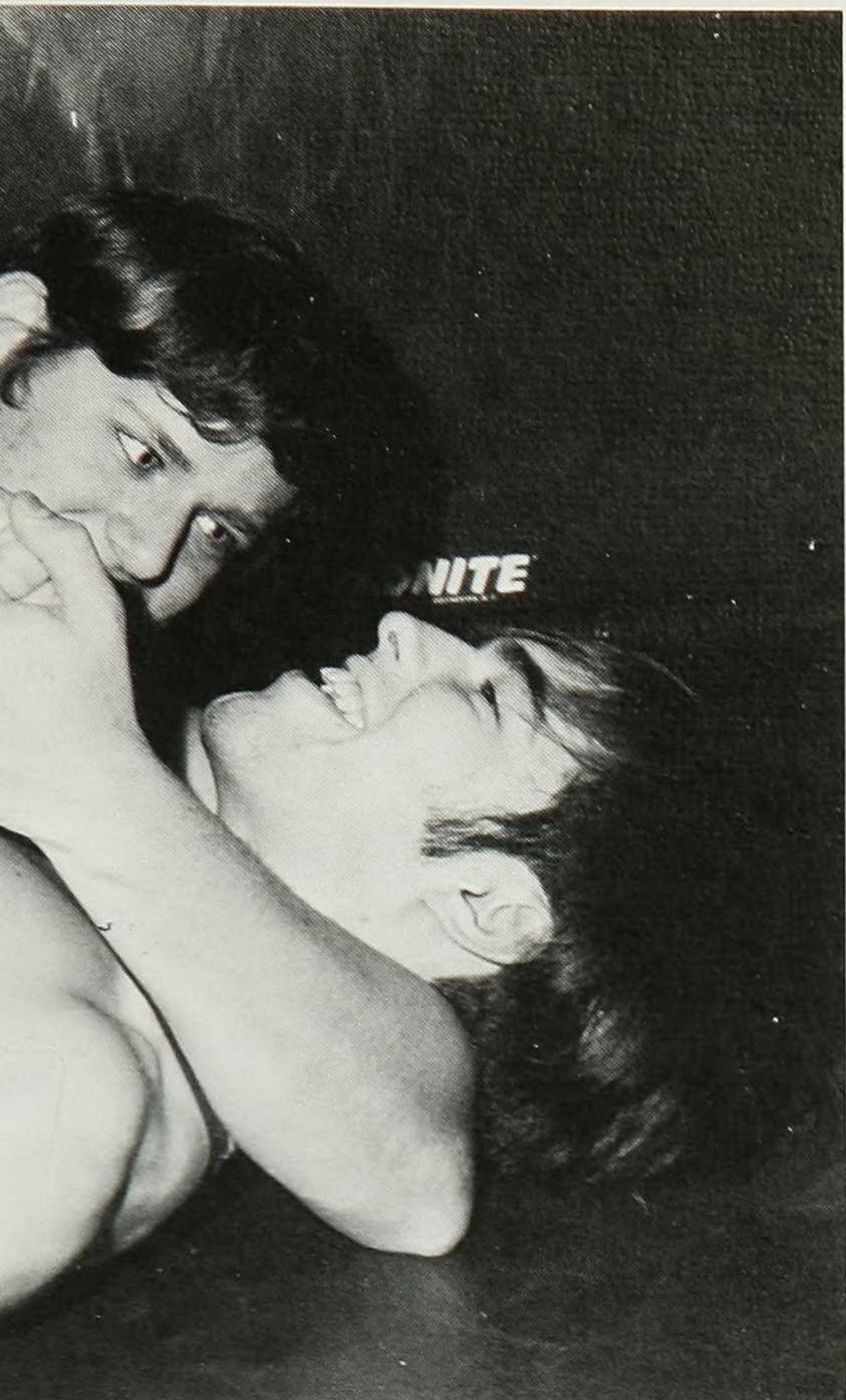
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| 16 | Longmeadow | 34 |
| 9 | Cathedral | 37 |
| 23 | Granby | 33 |
| 18 | St. Joe | 32 |
| 33 | Westfield | 32 |
| 8 | Tech | 38 |
| 33 | Pittsfield | 13 |
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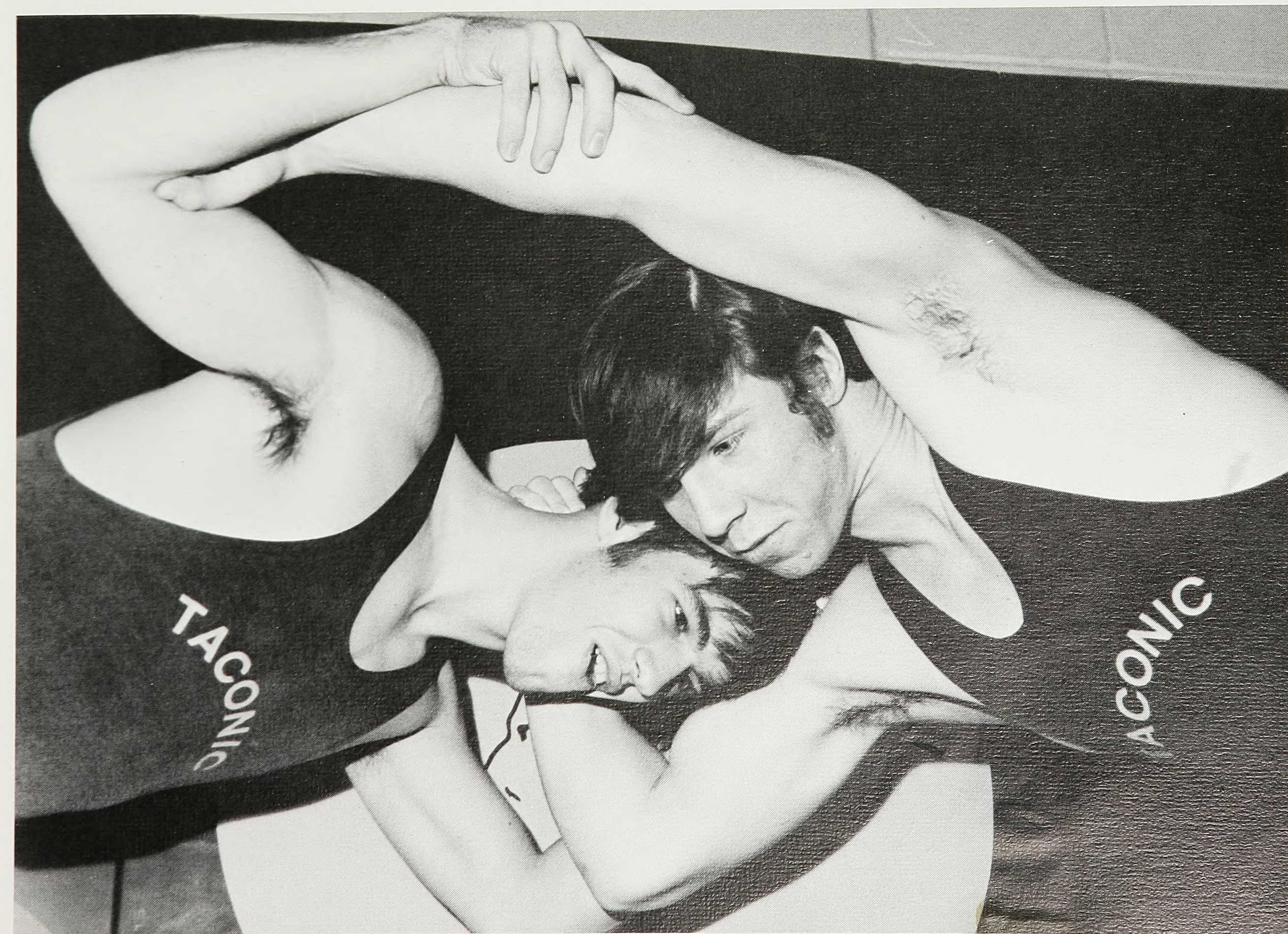
Hey, that's illegal!



Hey, Sully, cut it out!



Ready, Set . . . !



Stop Scratching!

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Carl MacMillan

Diane Kujan

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Cathy Curran

Dan Taylor

Kevin Casey
Ralph Lewis

Fanny King

Bart Dietrich
Tom O. Nordan

Brian M. Dermott

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Bruce Smith

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Dick "Roc"

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Peter Goodnick


Nick Mikes

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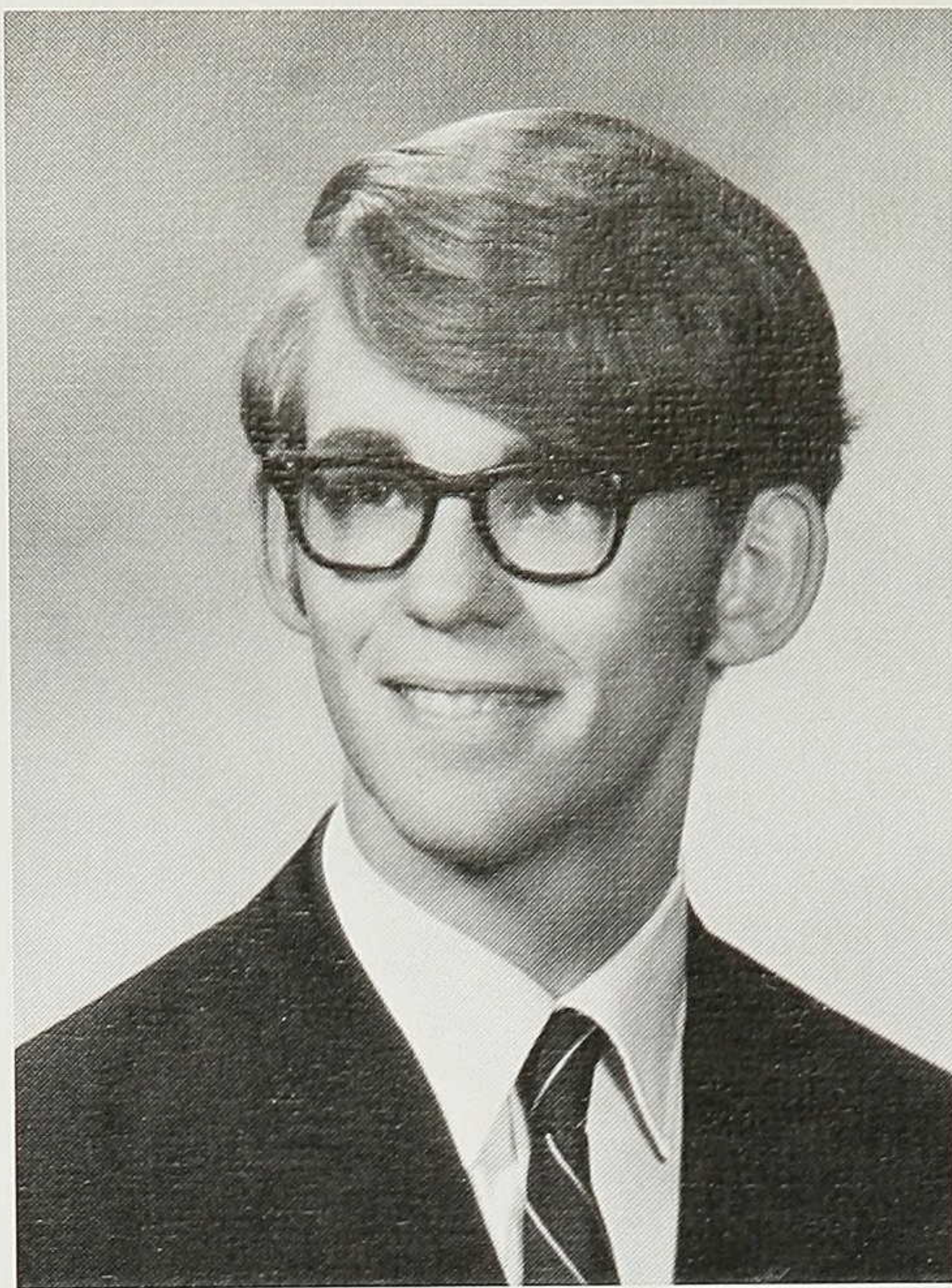
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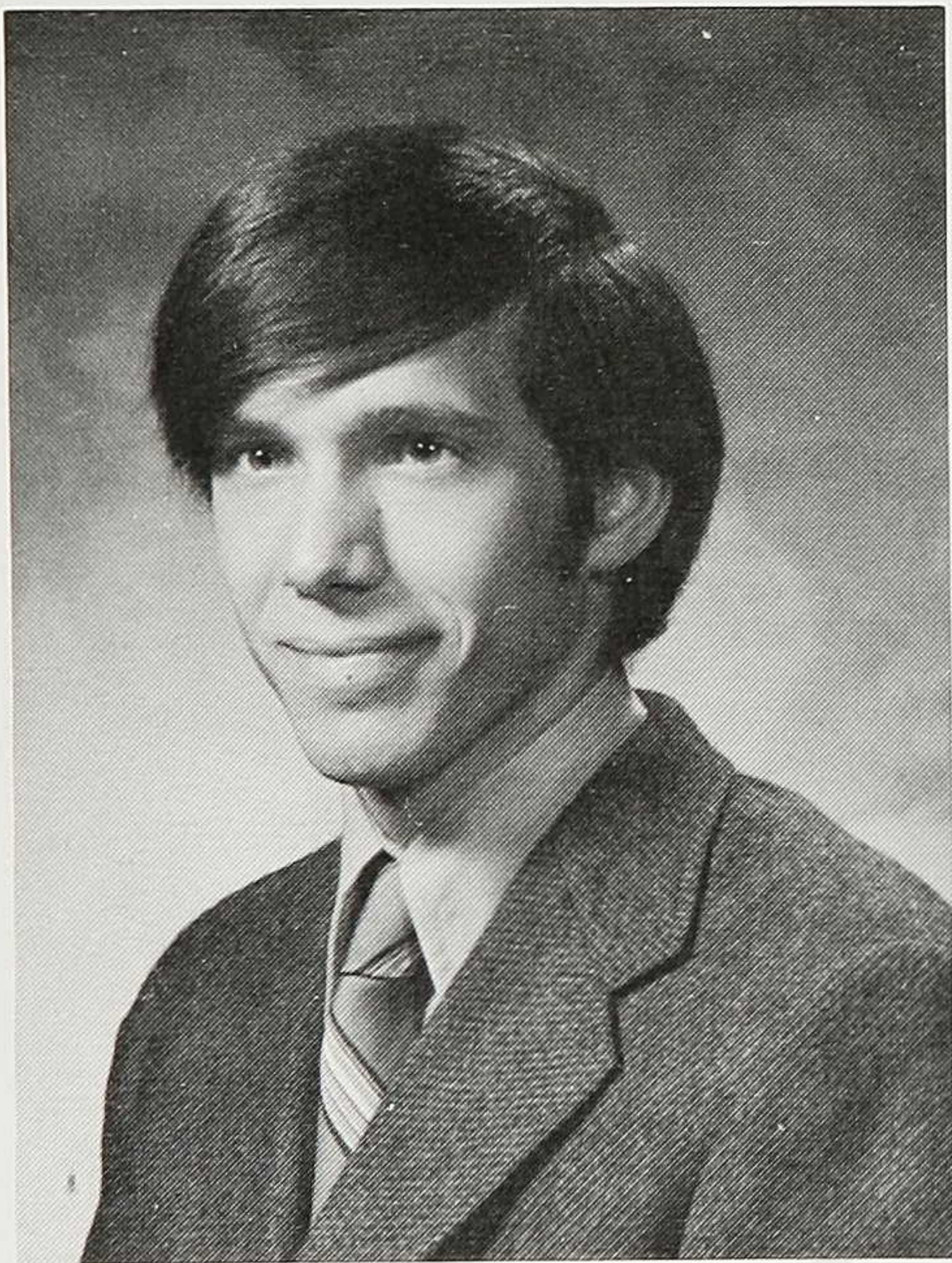
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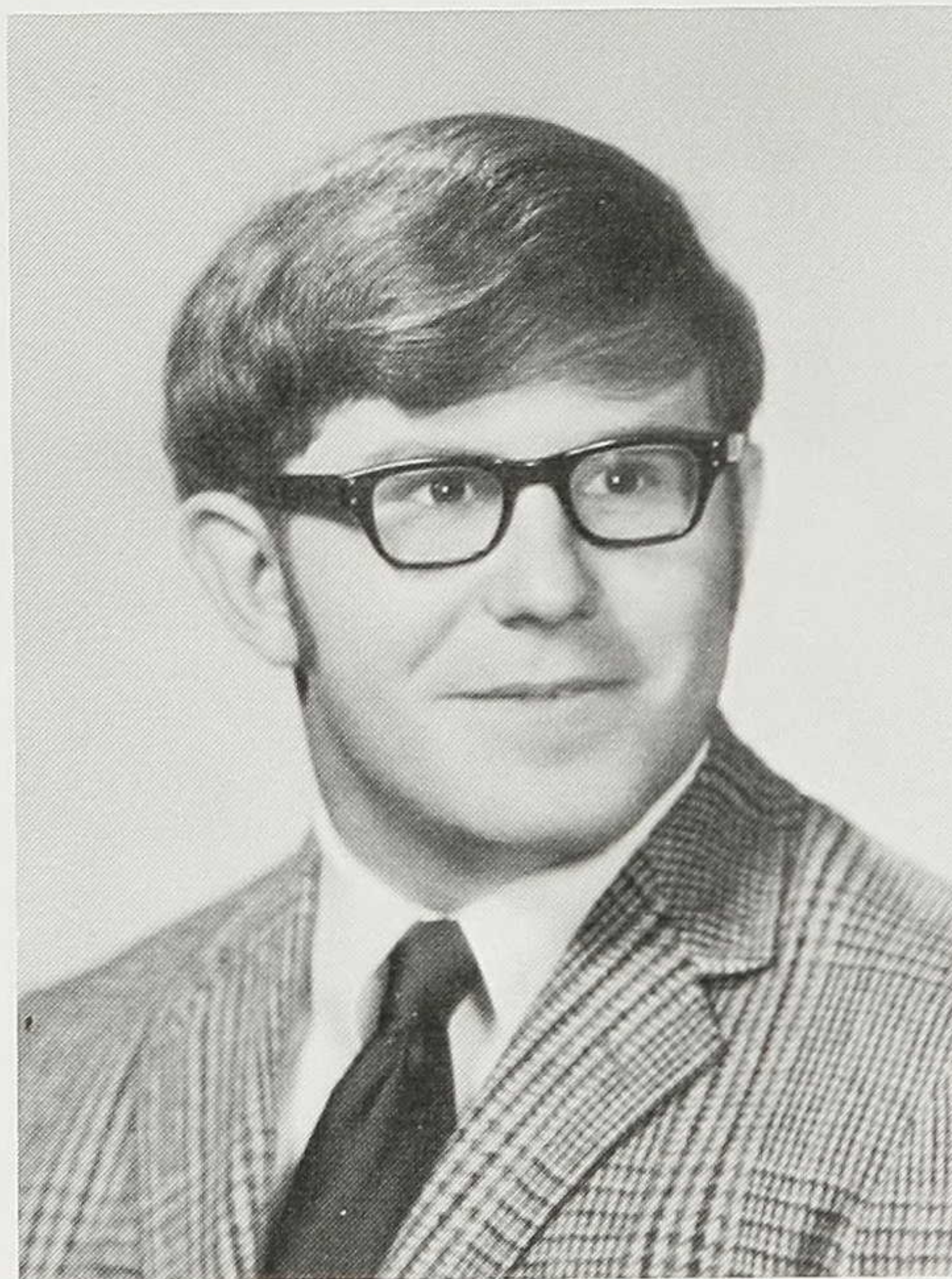
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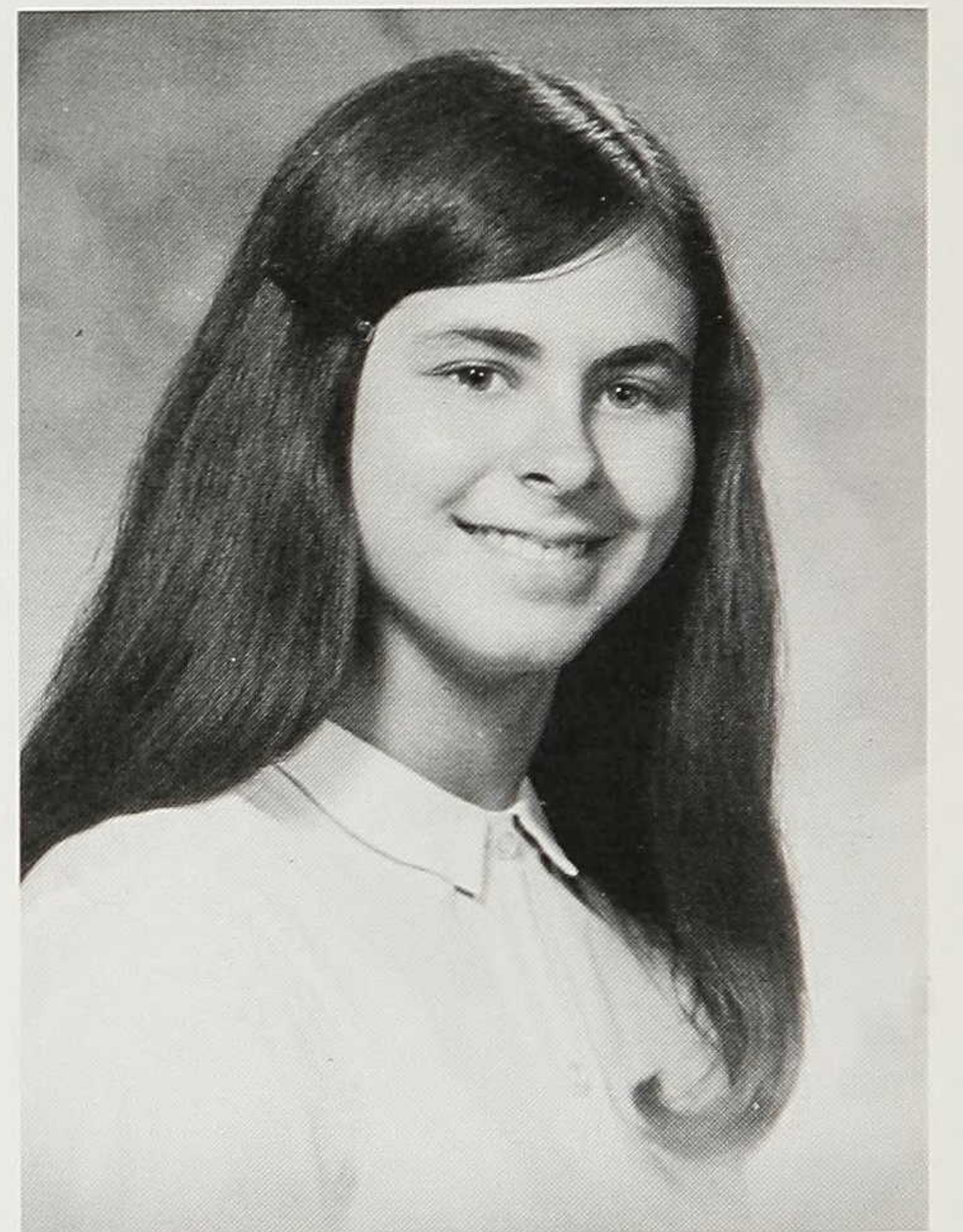
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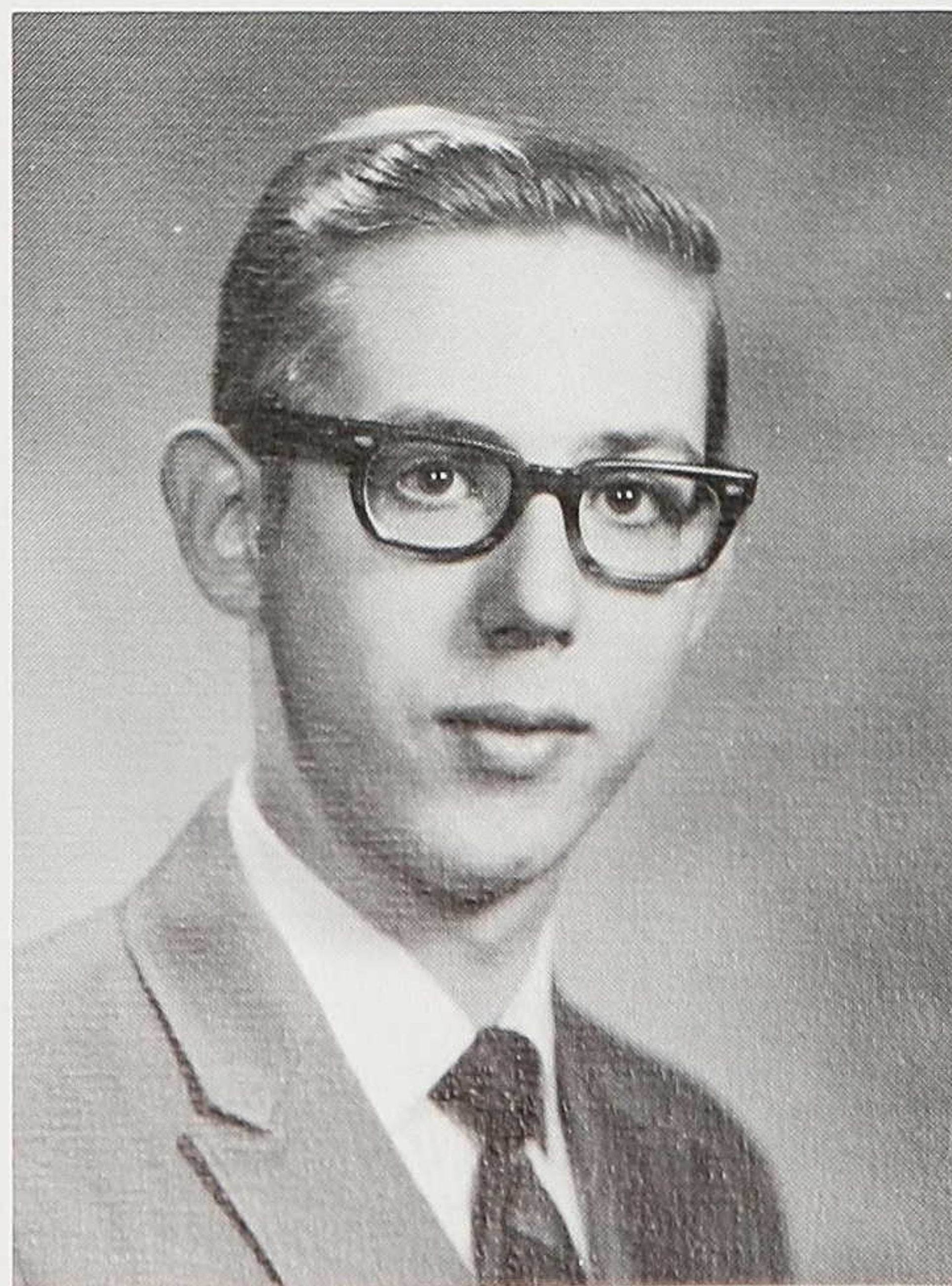
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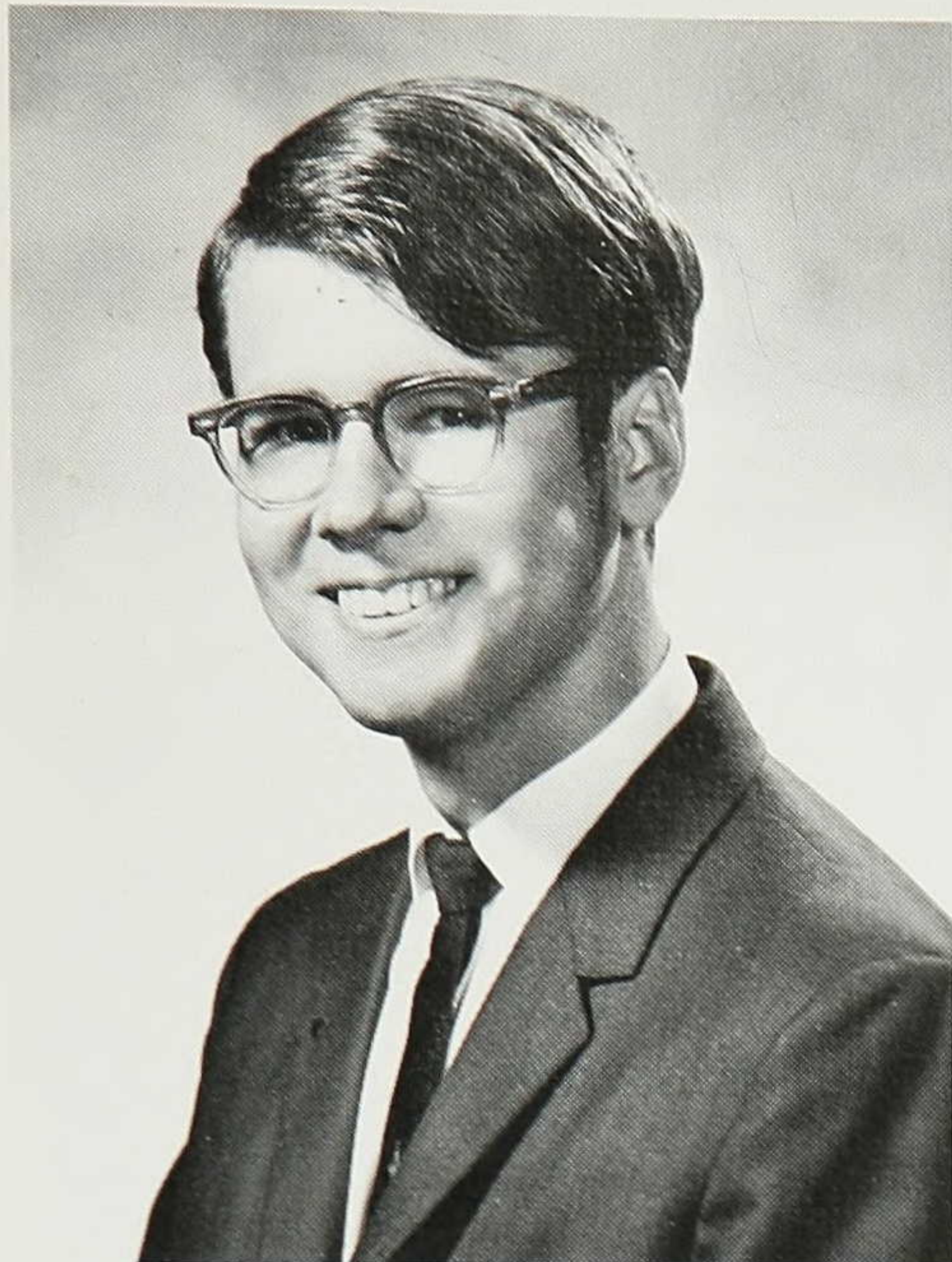
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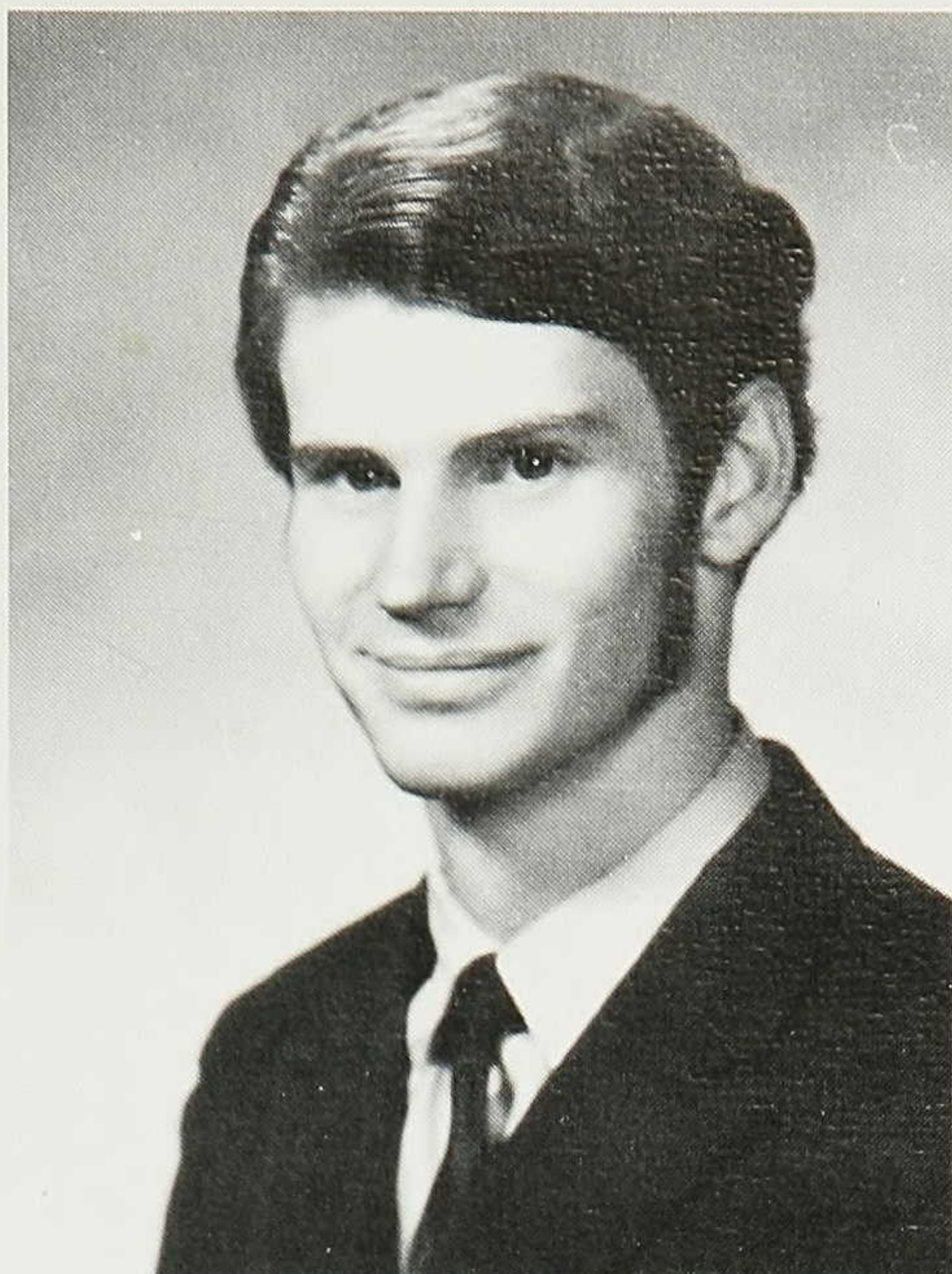
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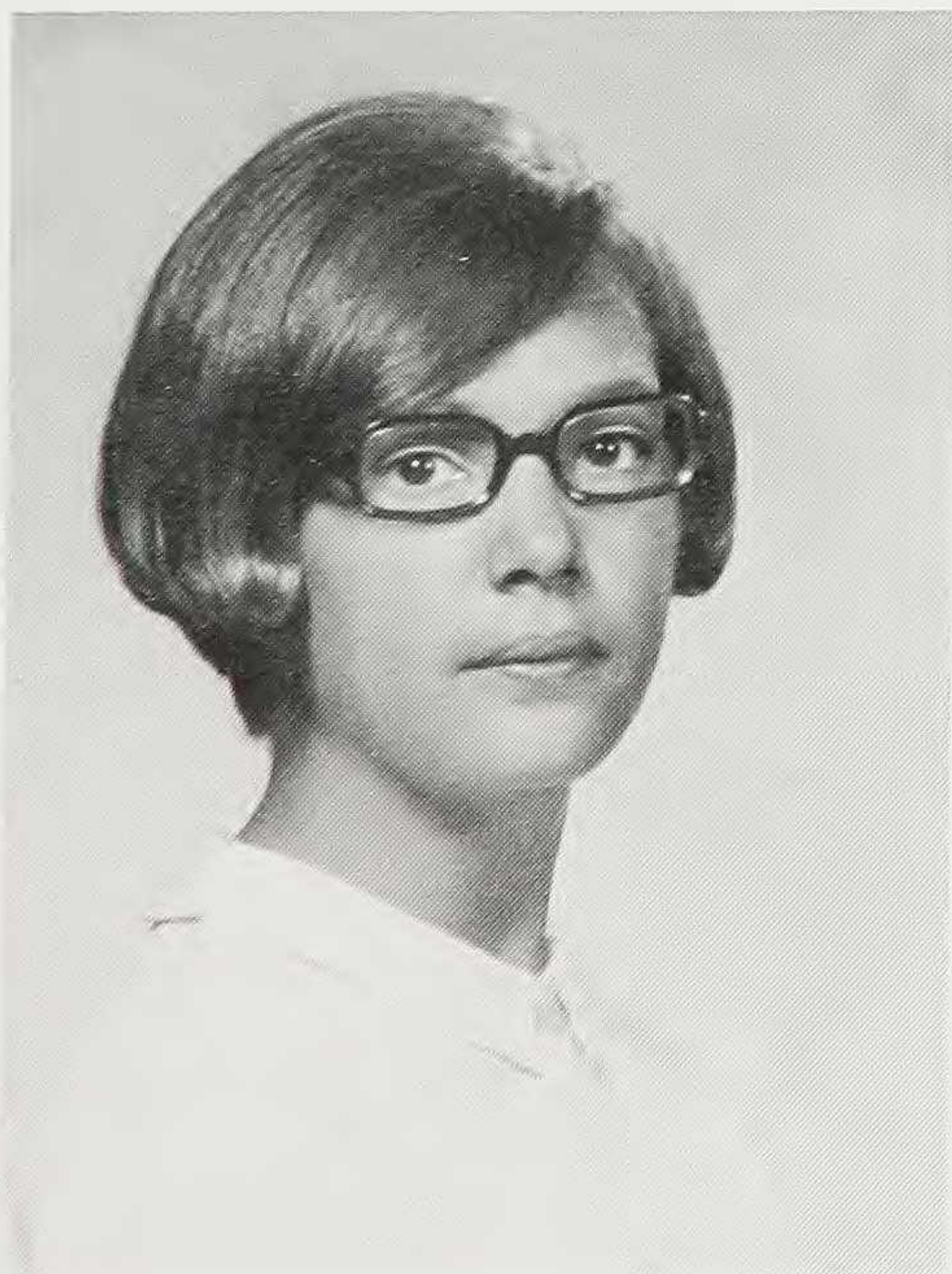
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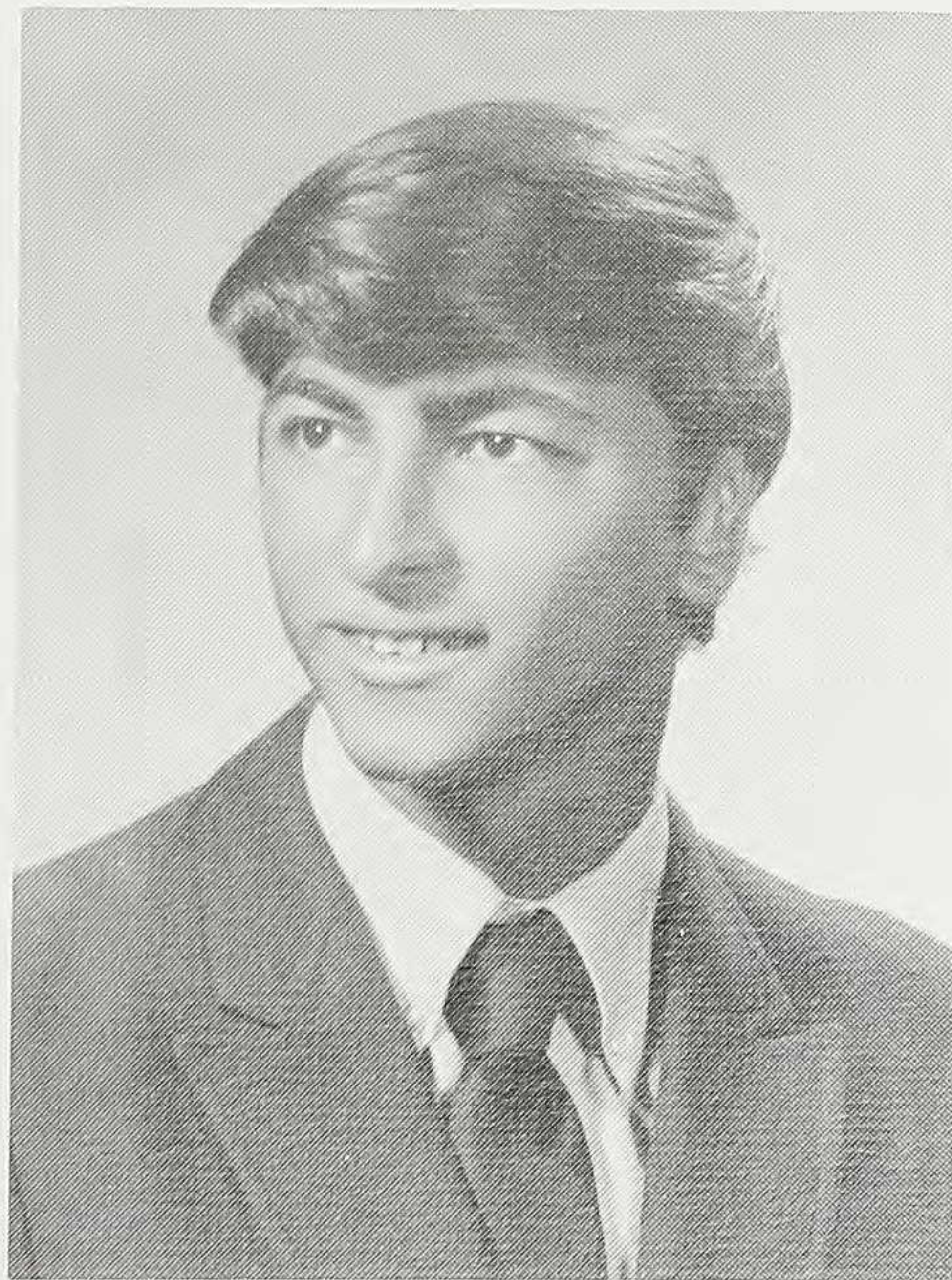
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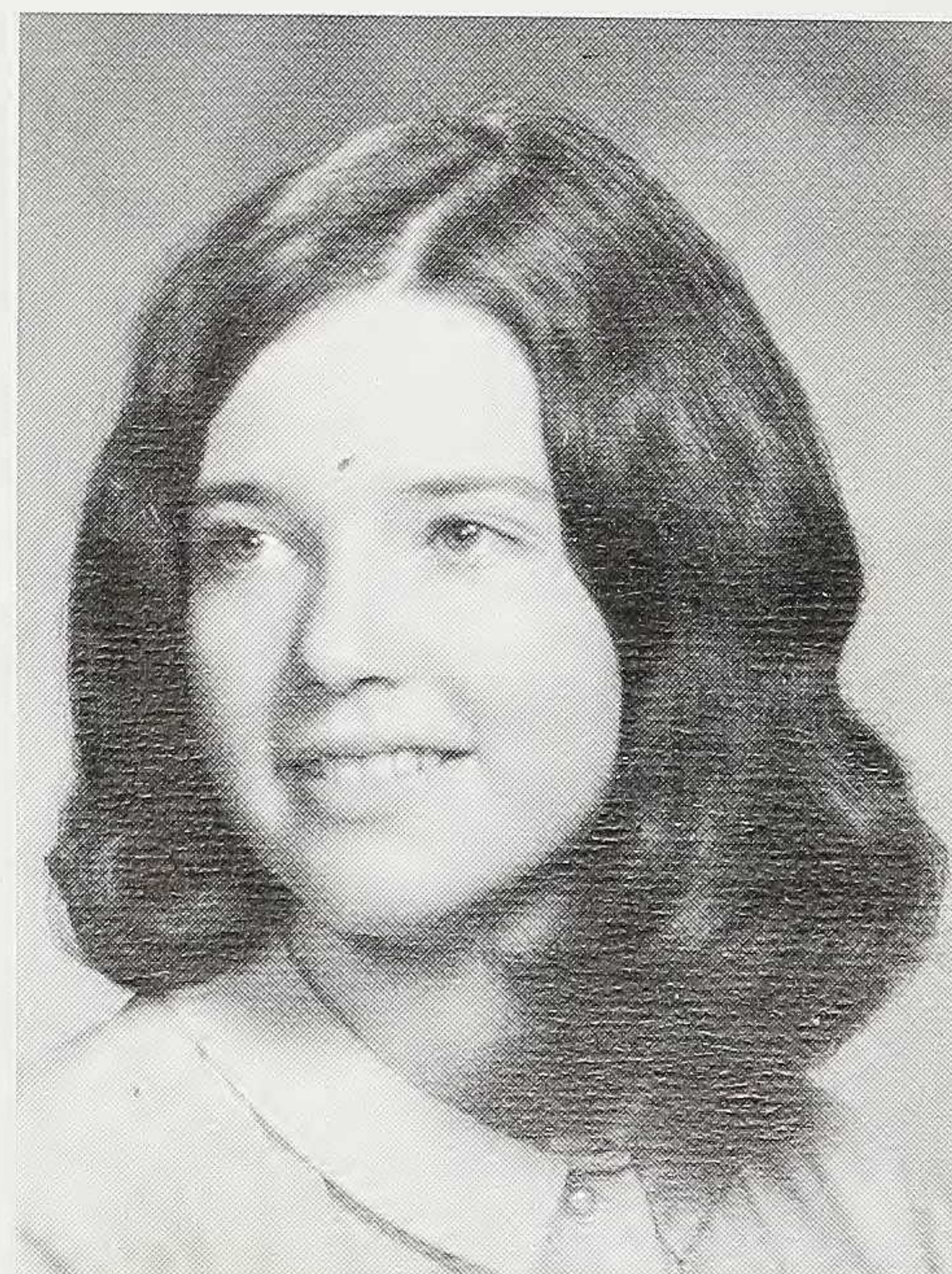
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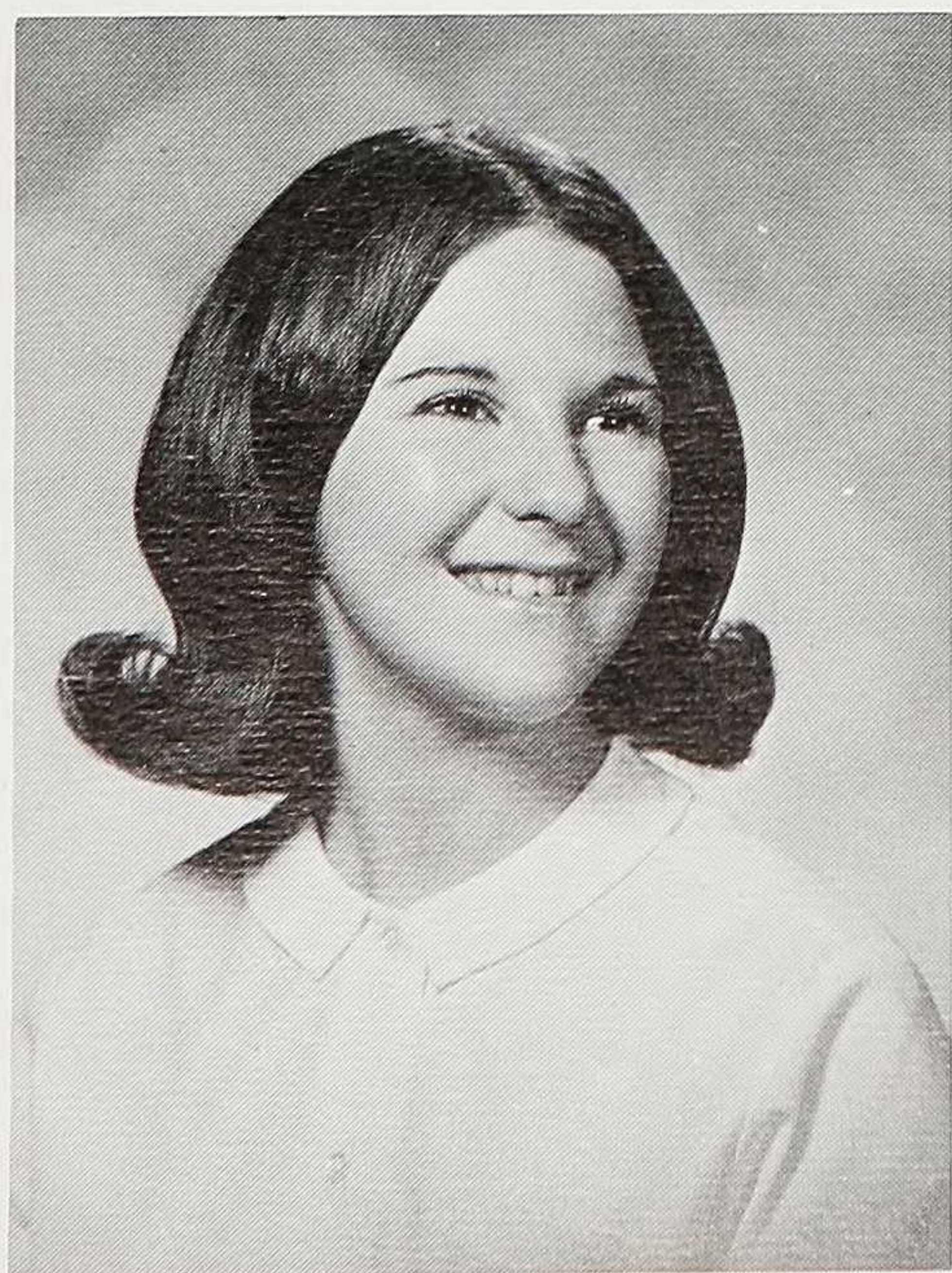
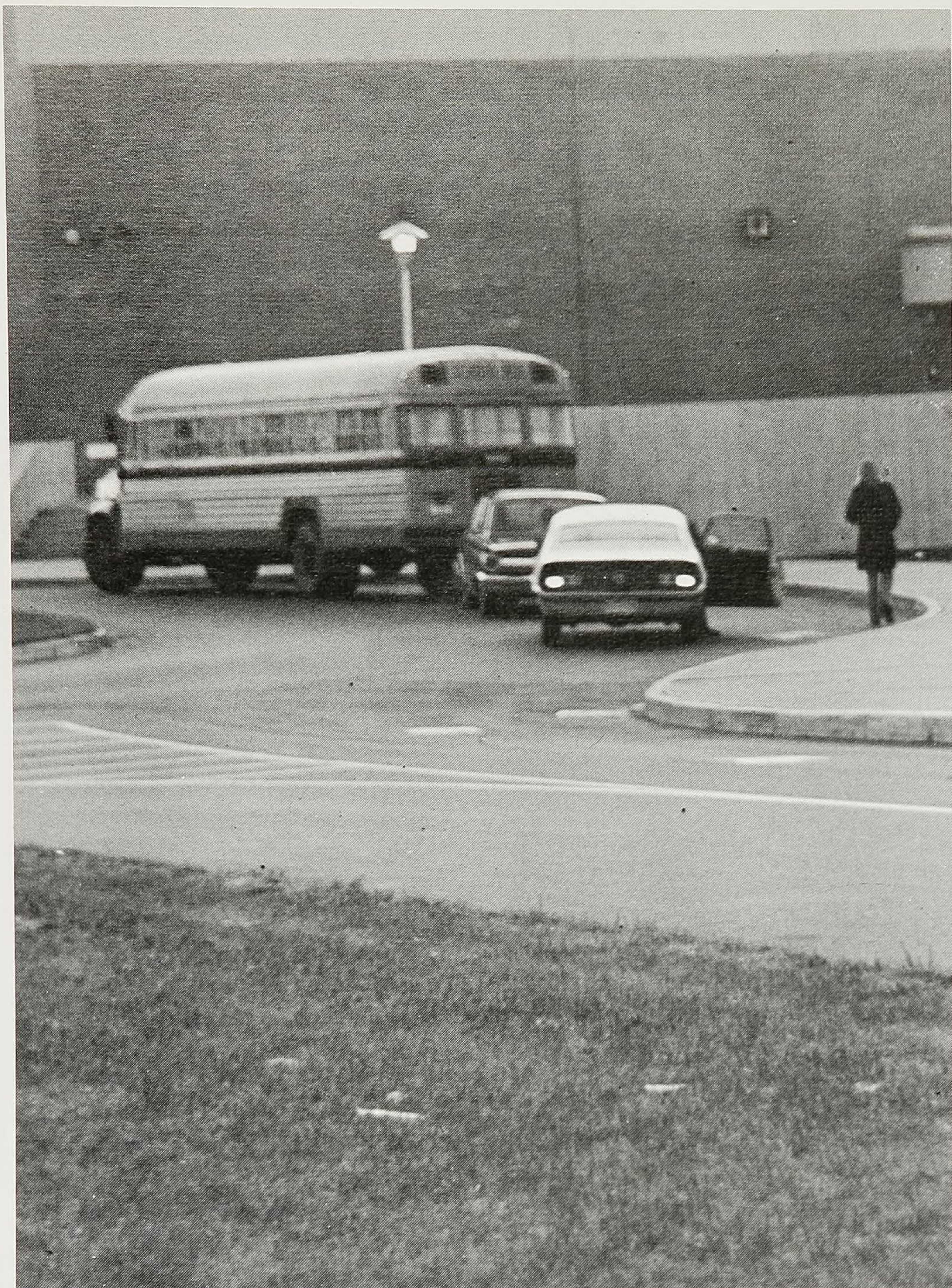
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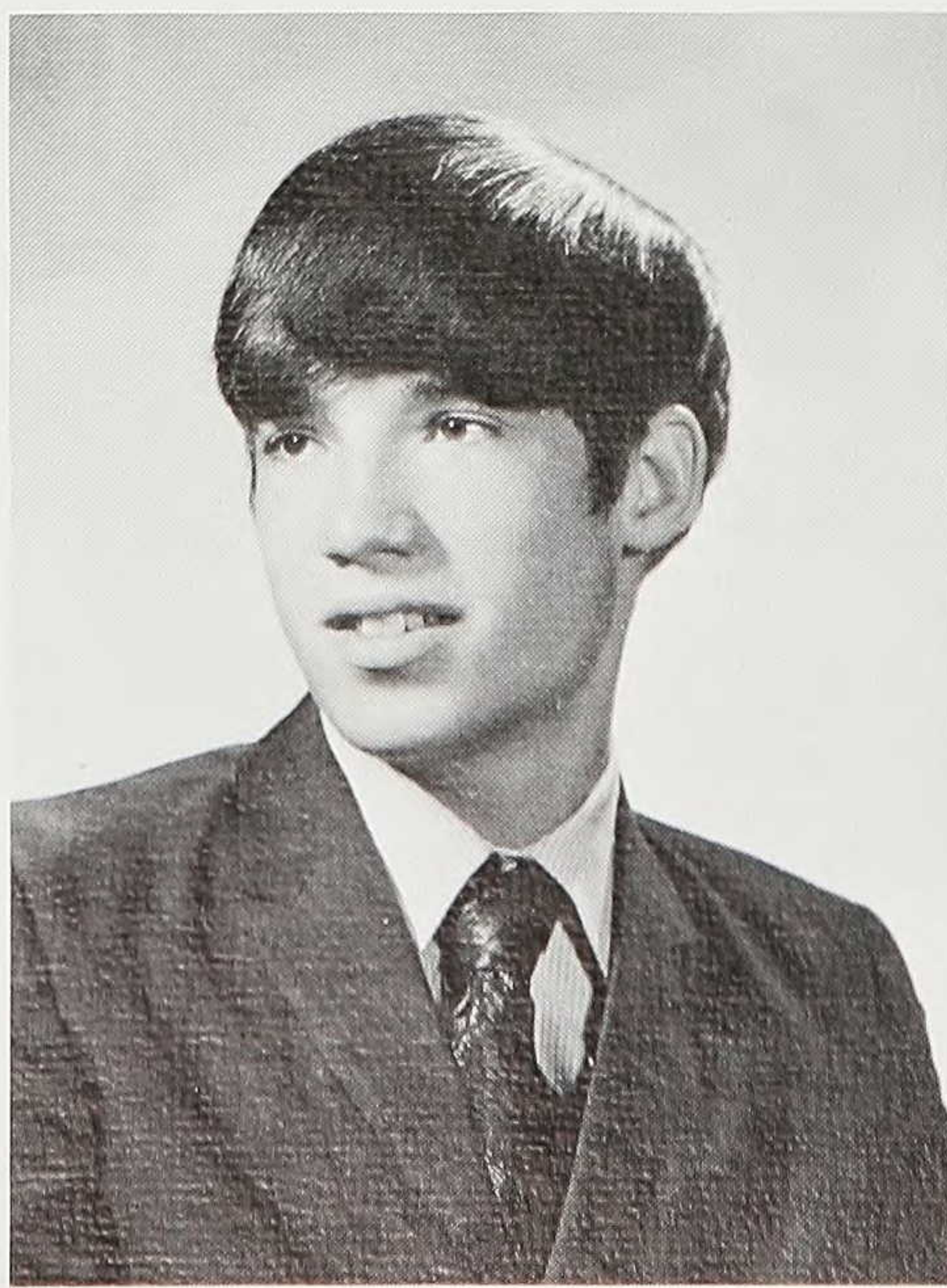
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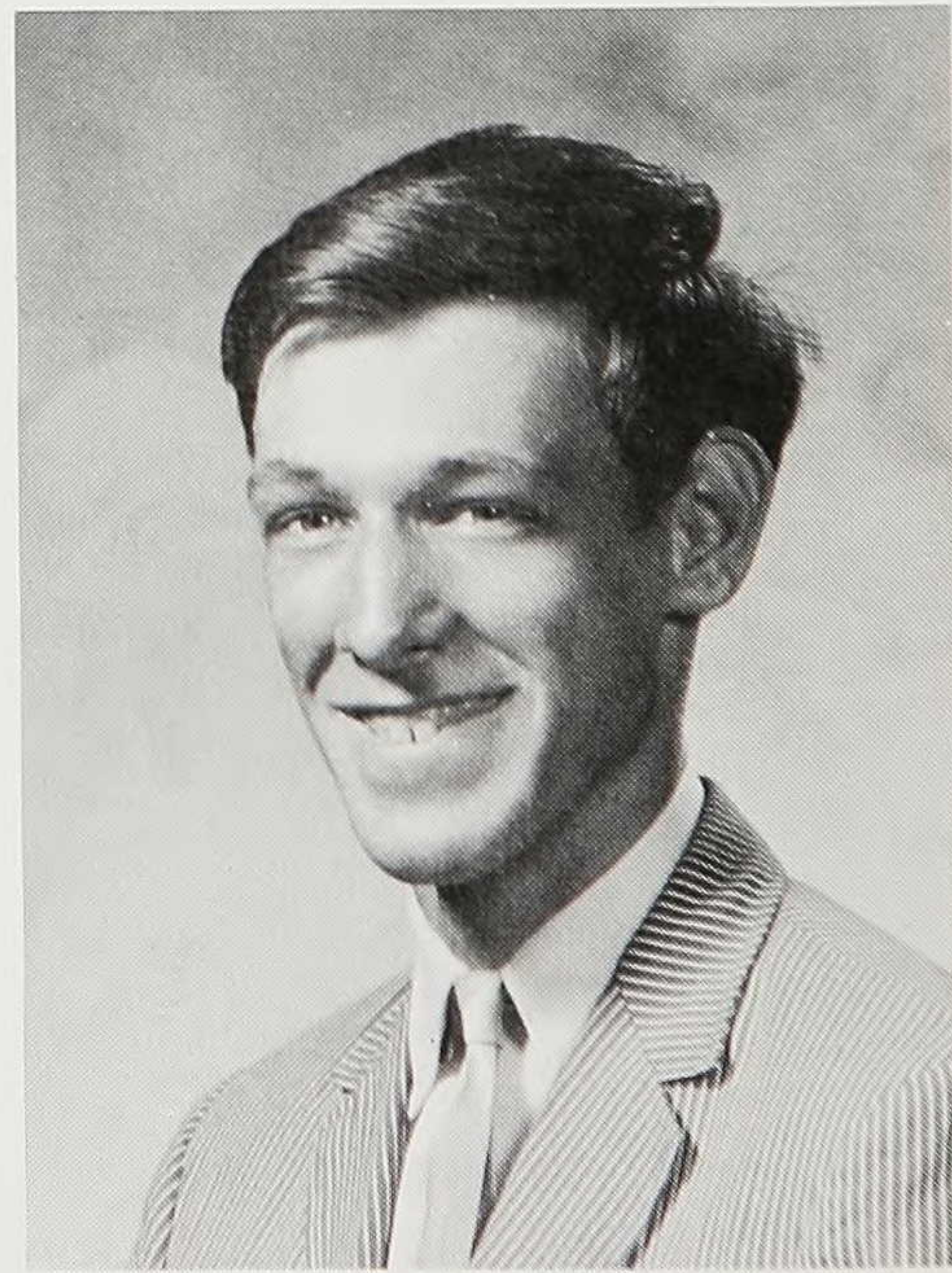
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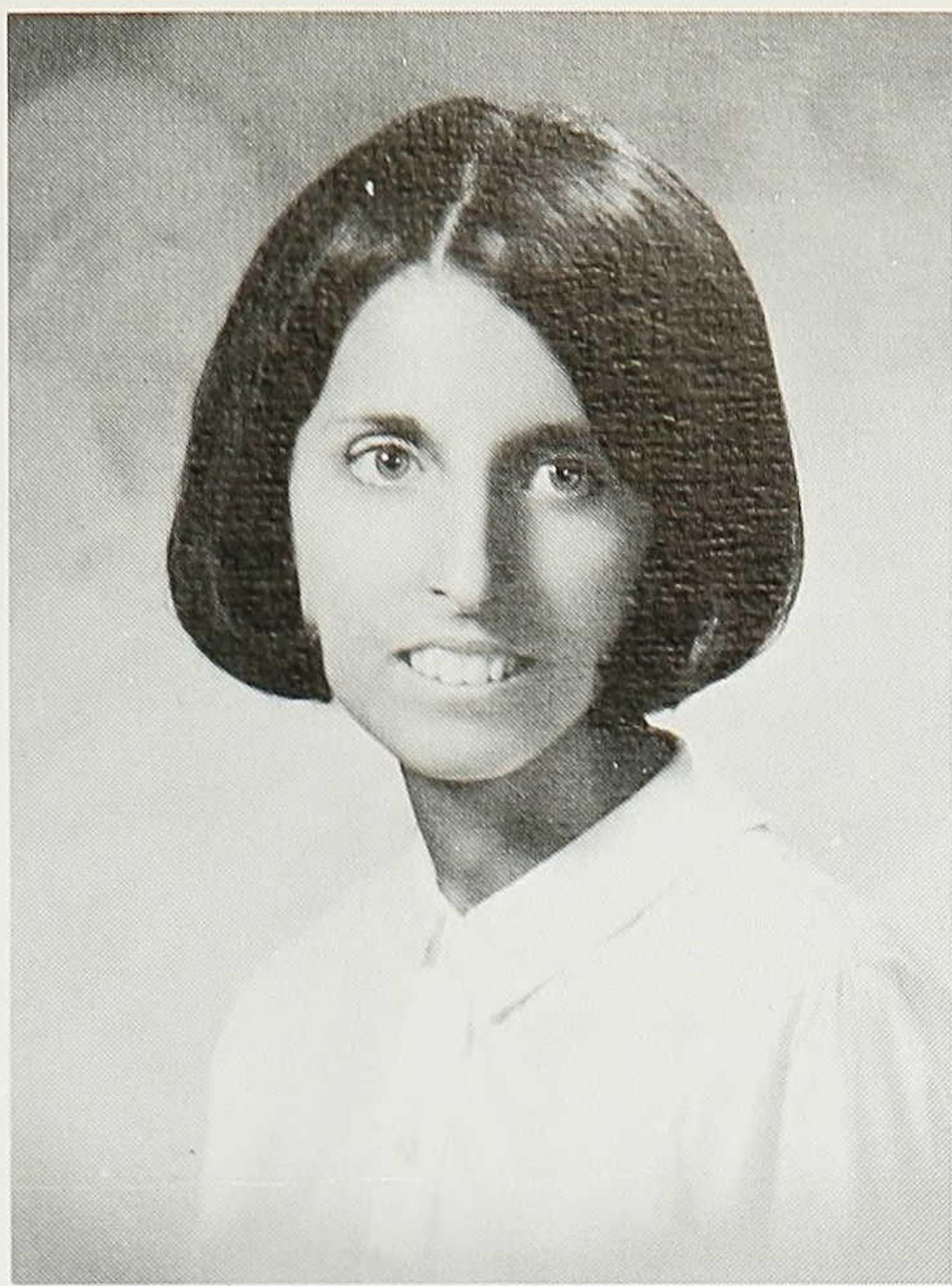
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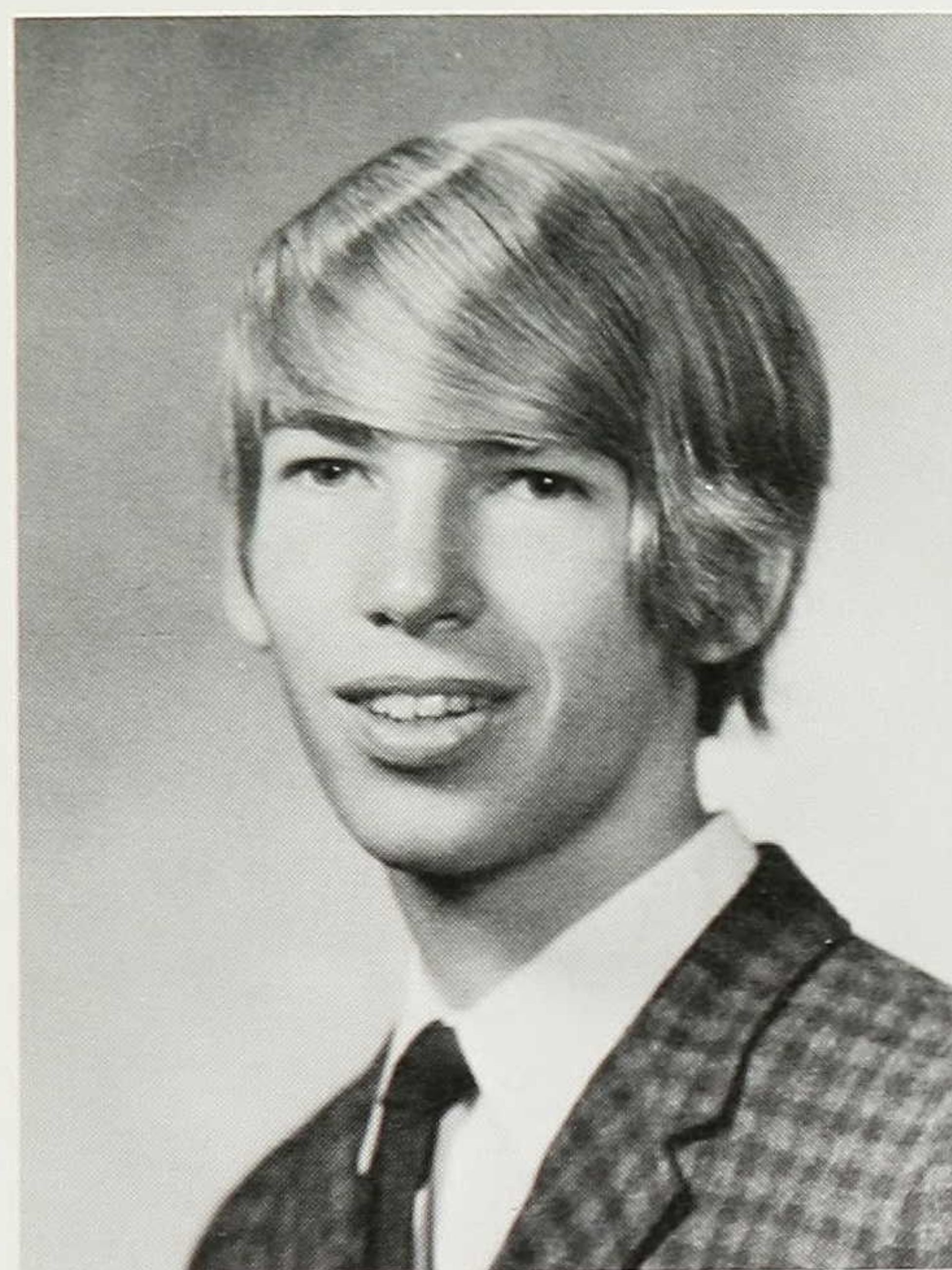
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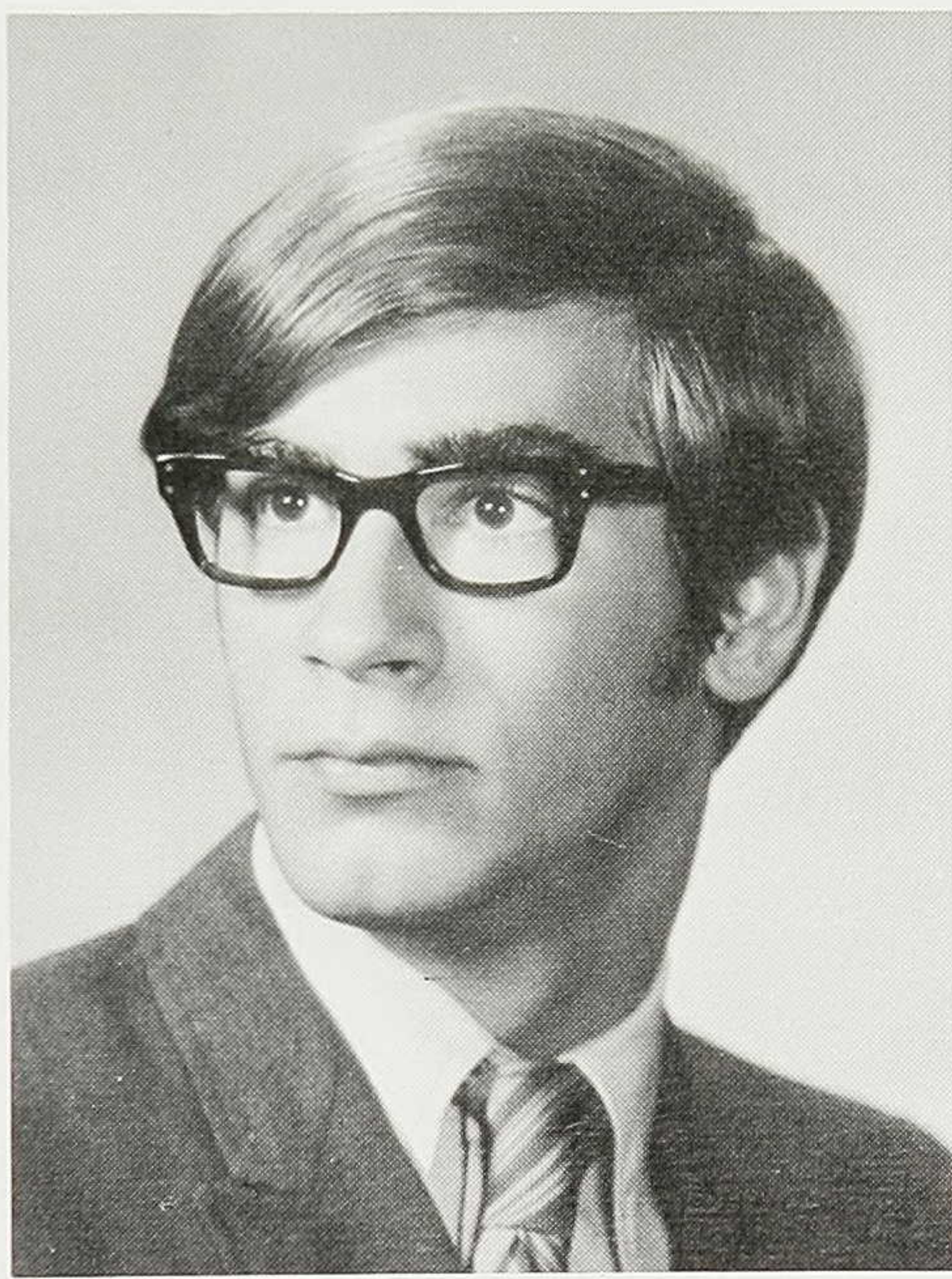
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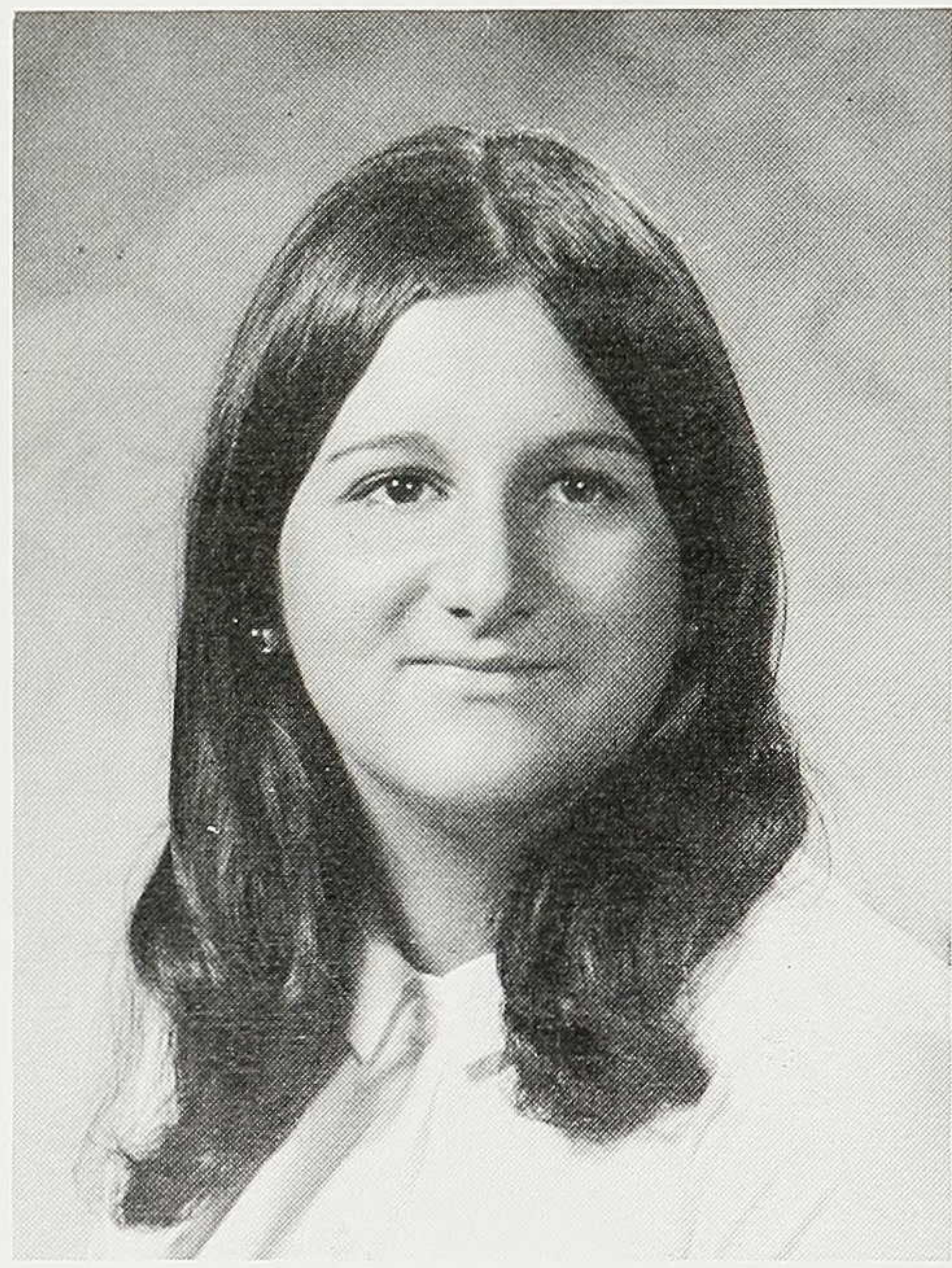
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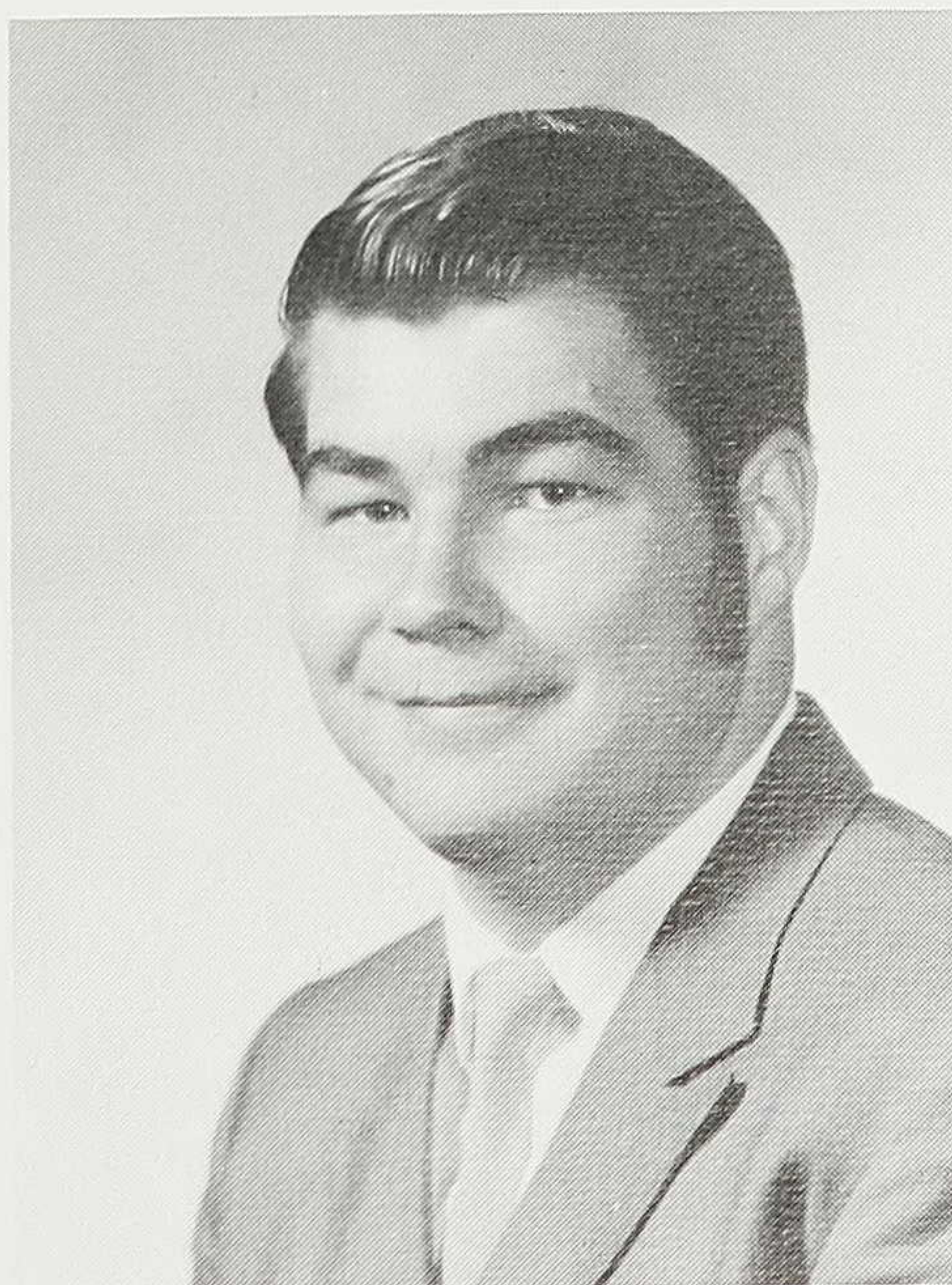
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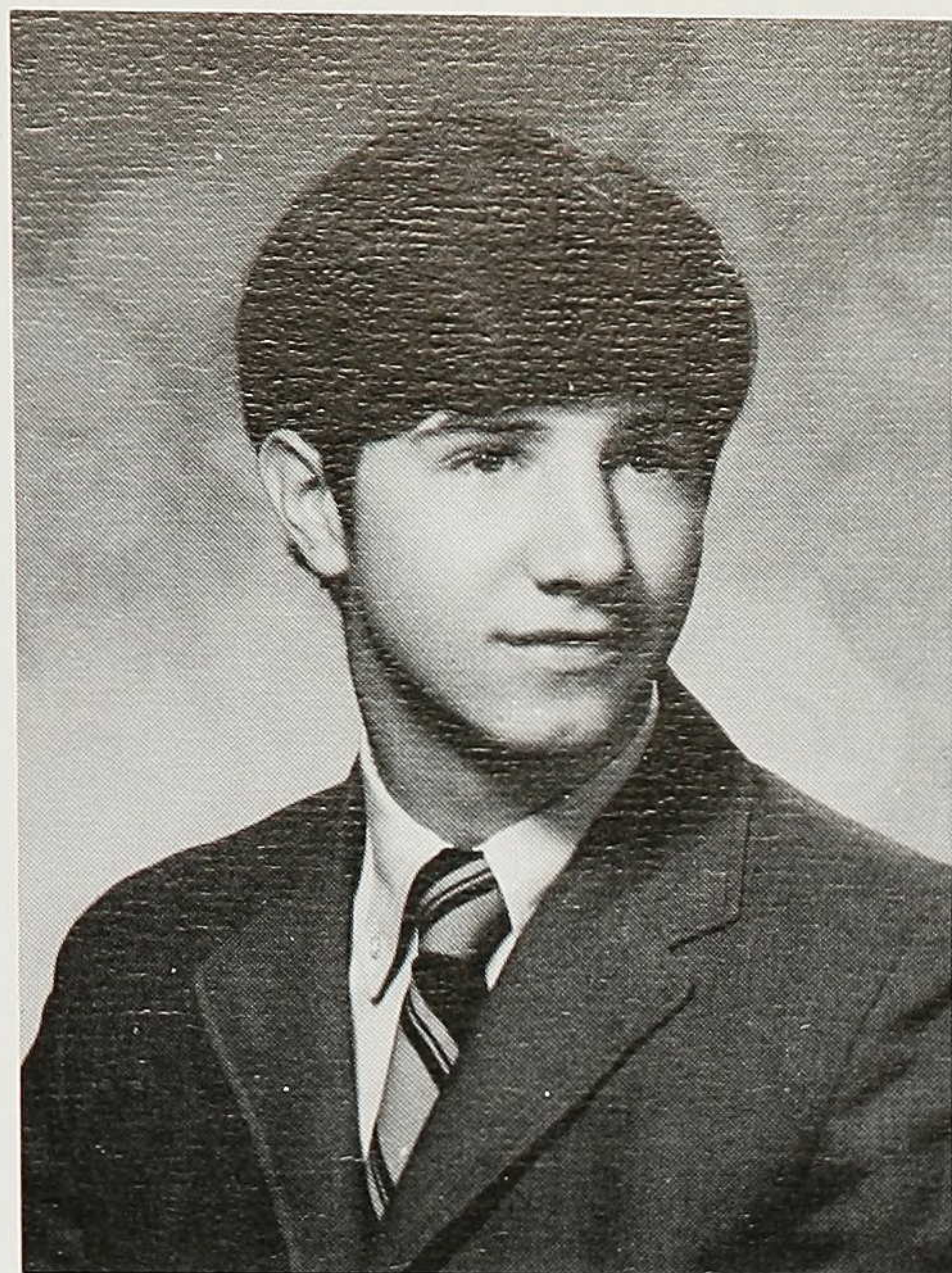
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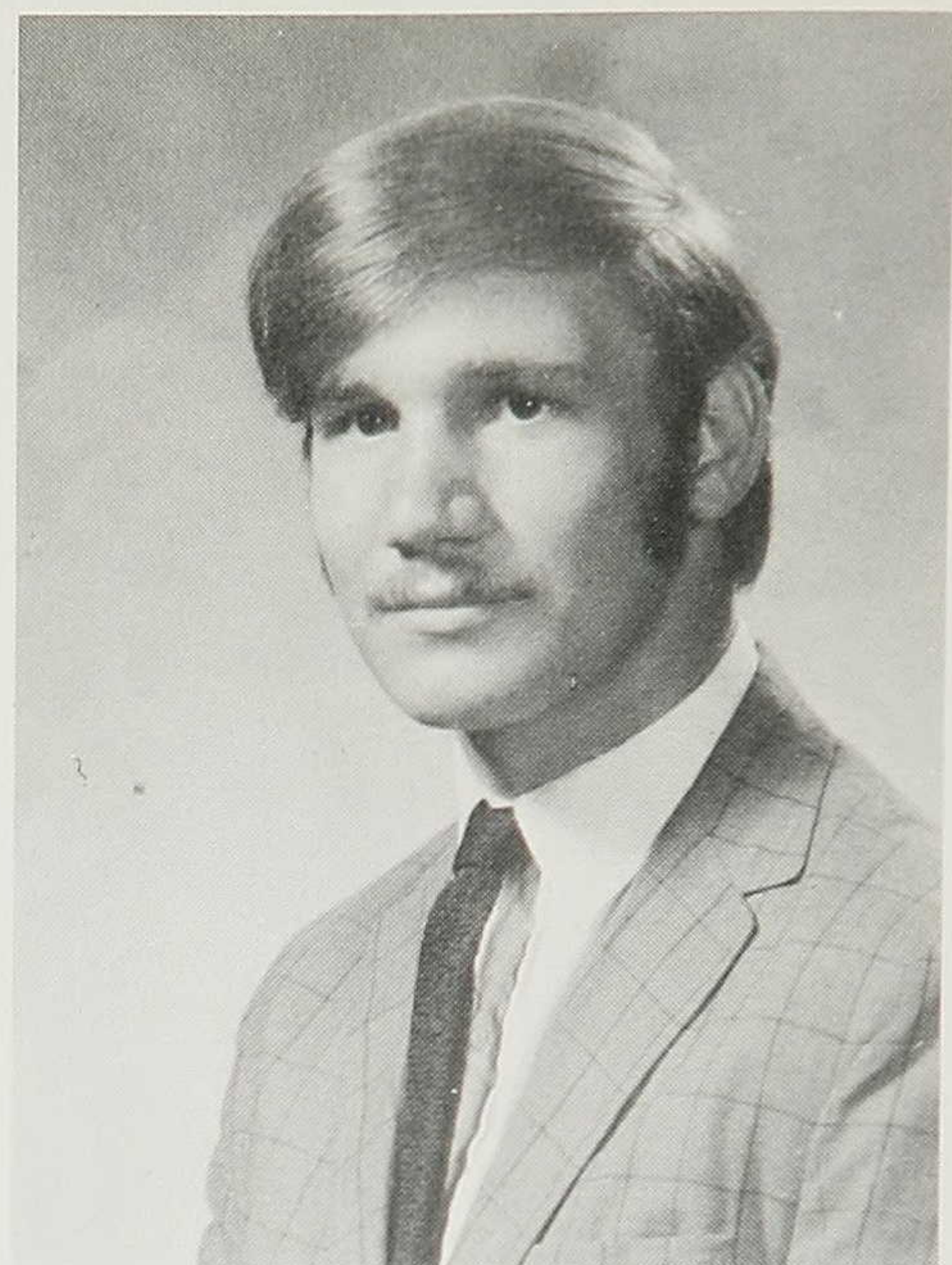
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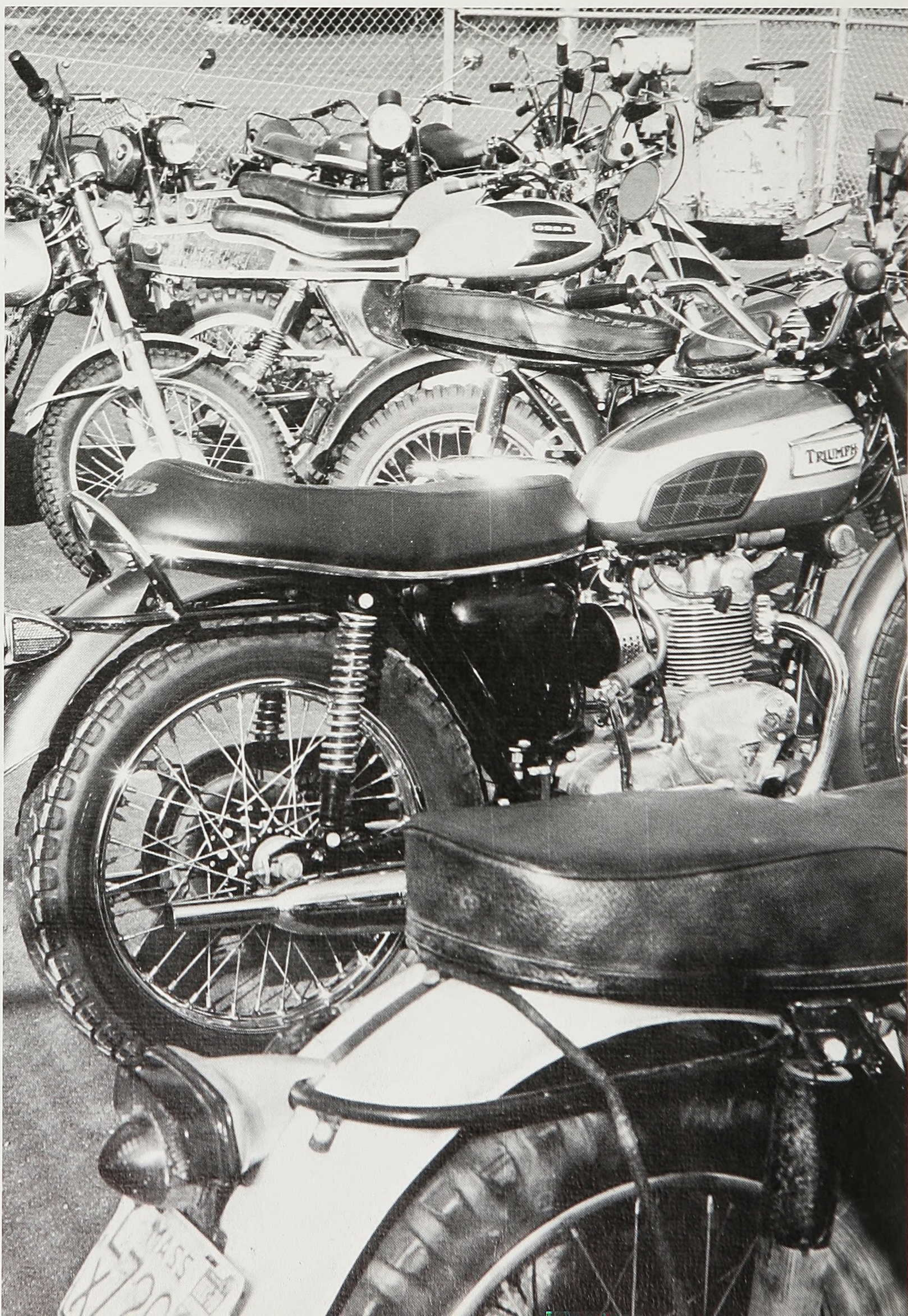
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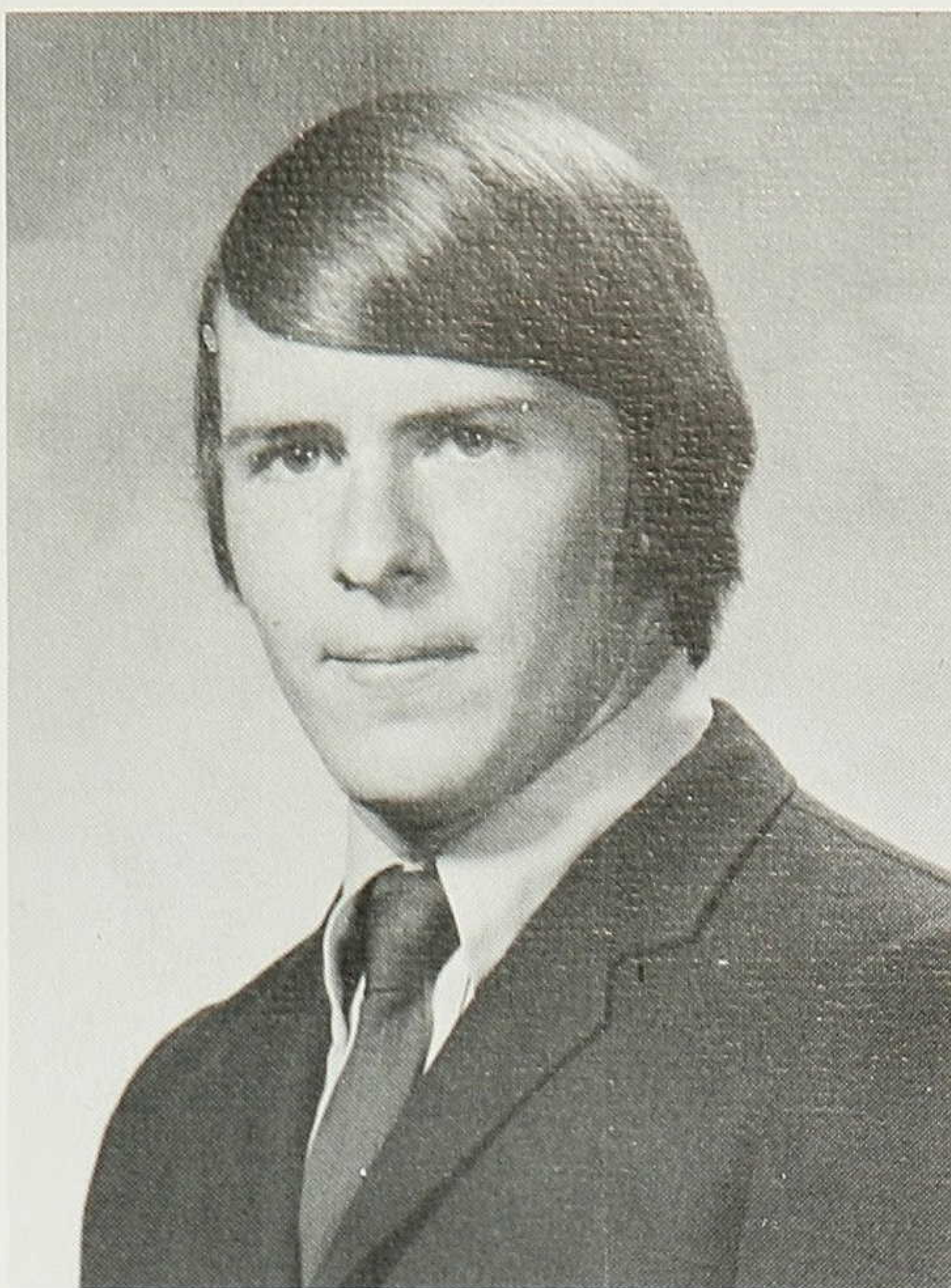


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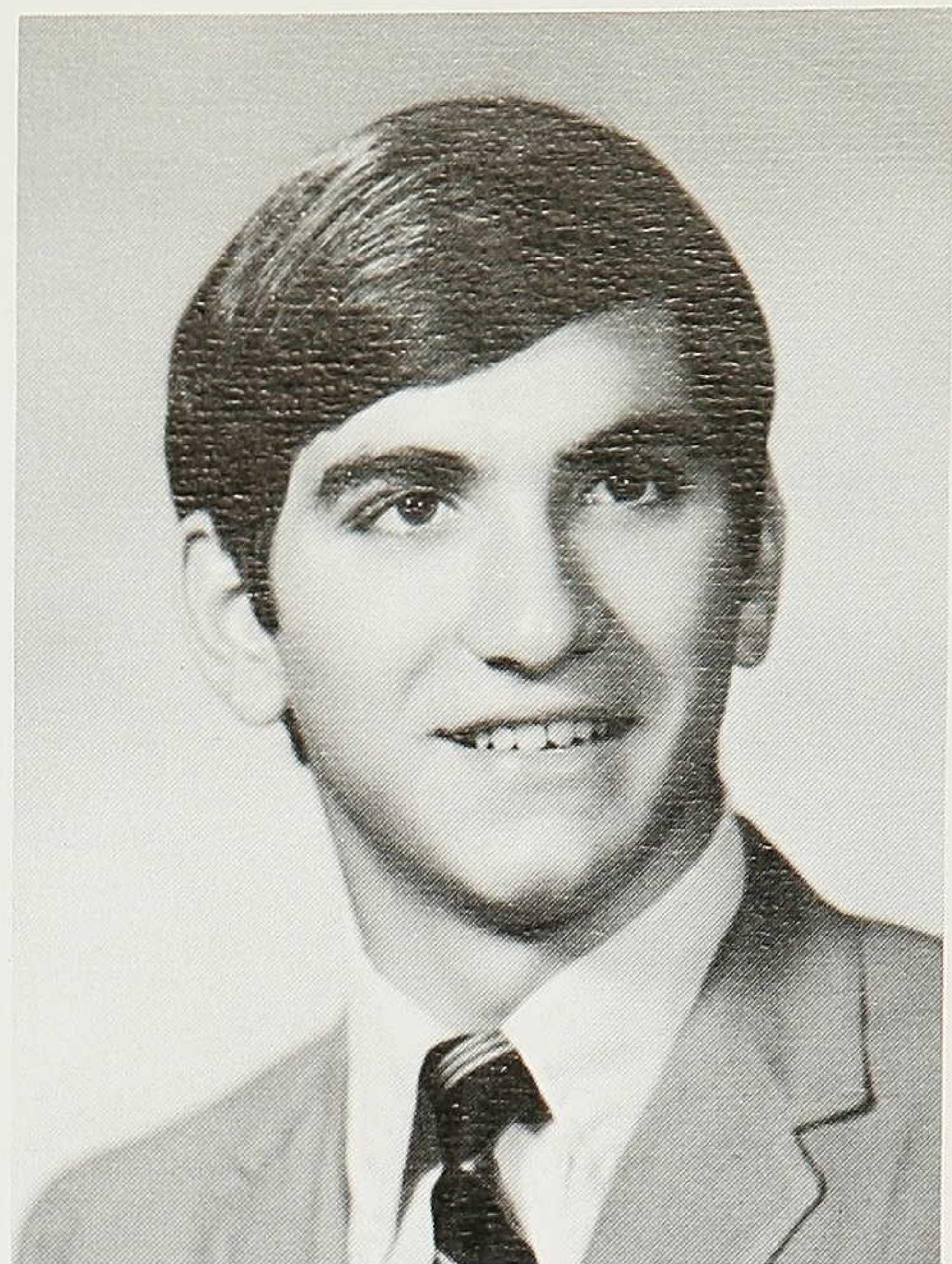


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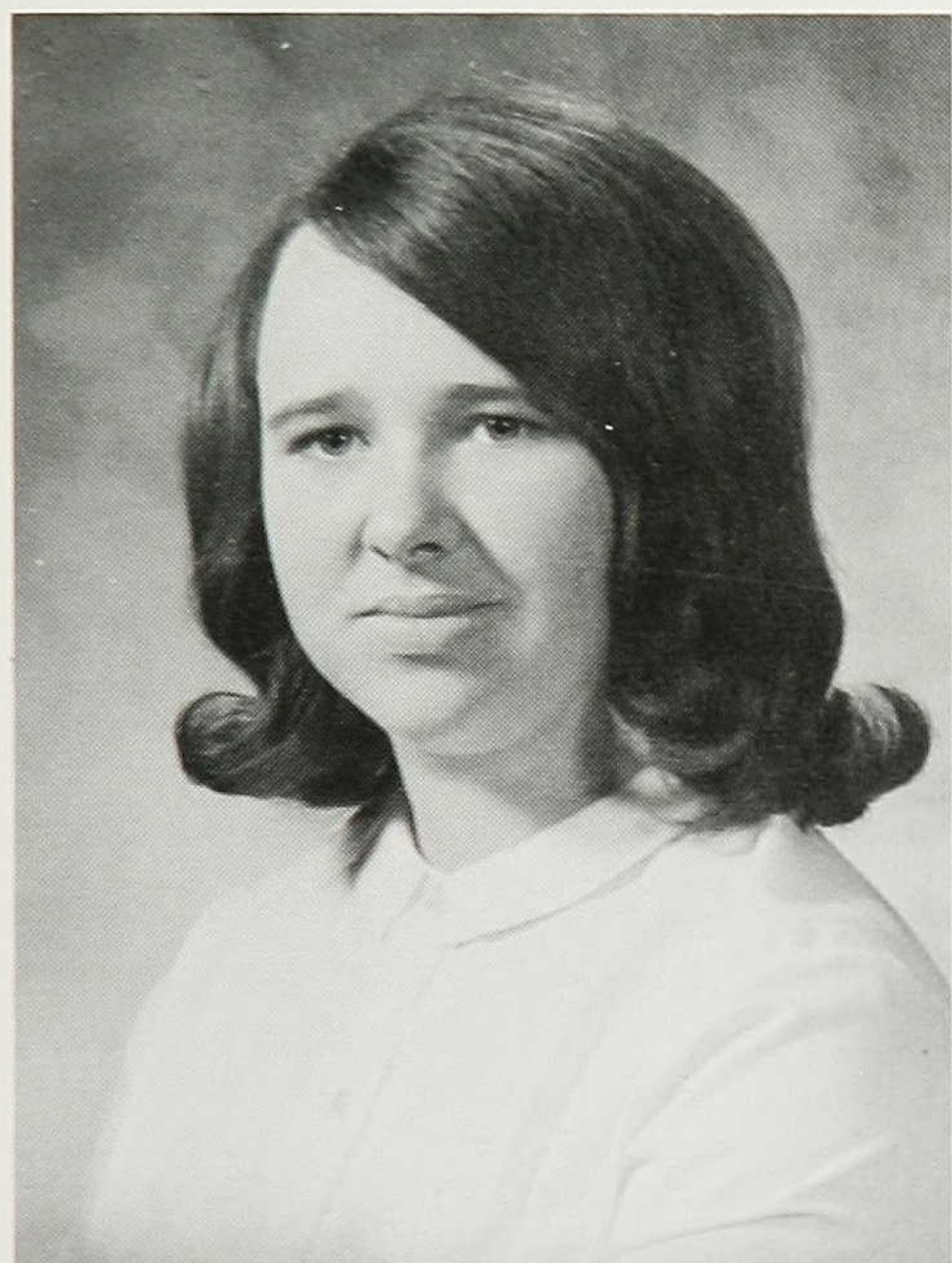




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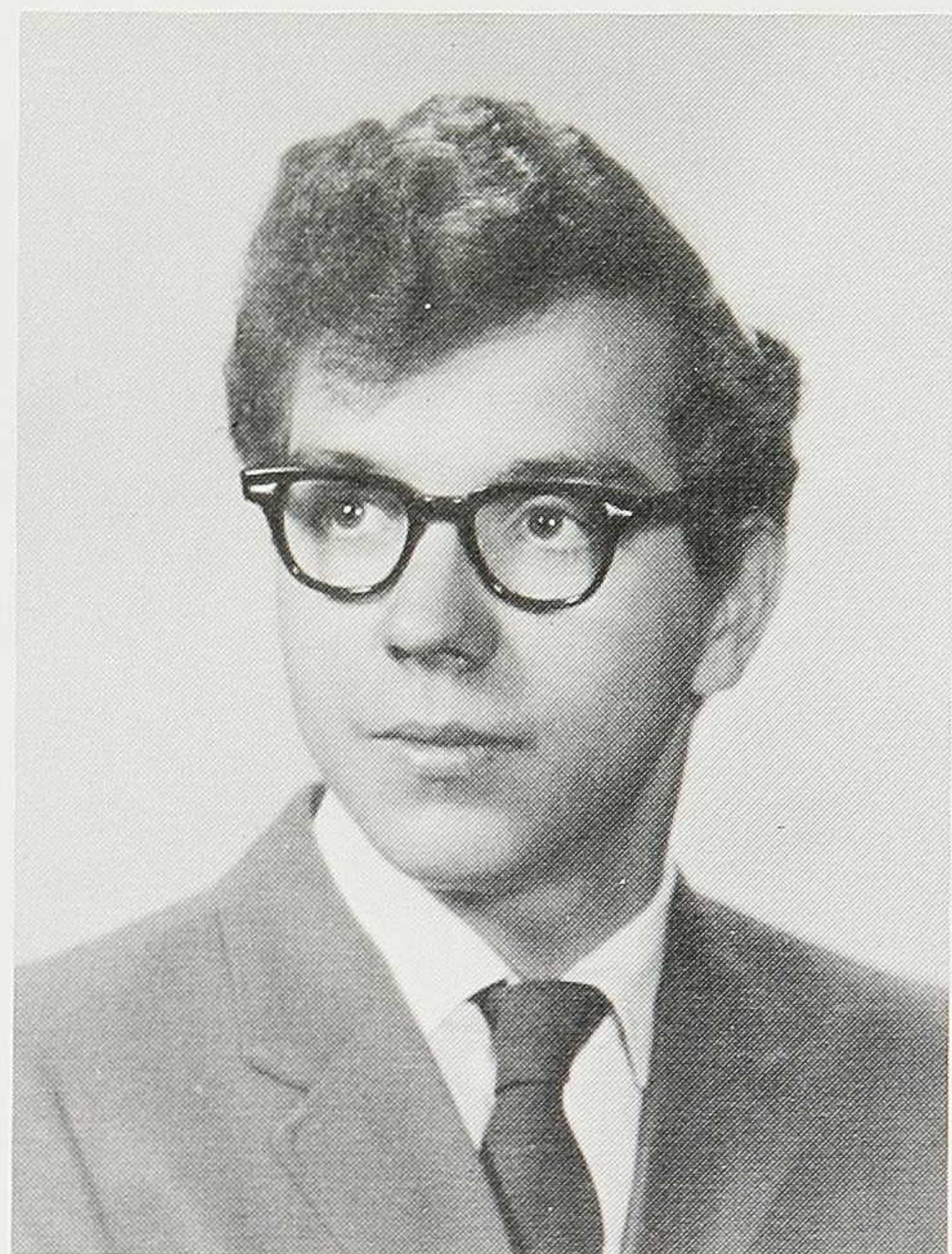
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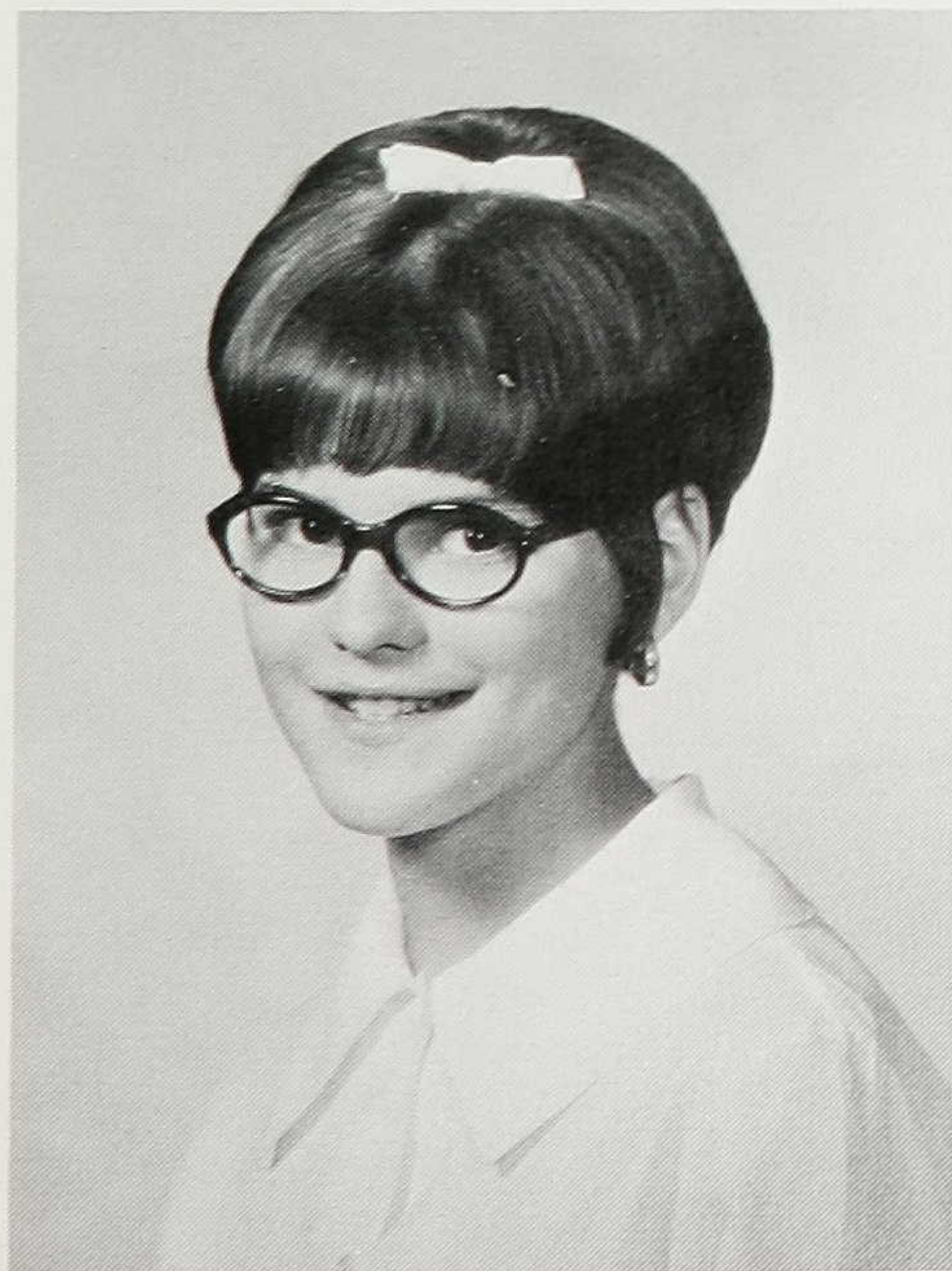
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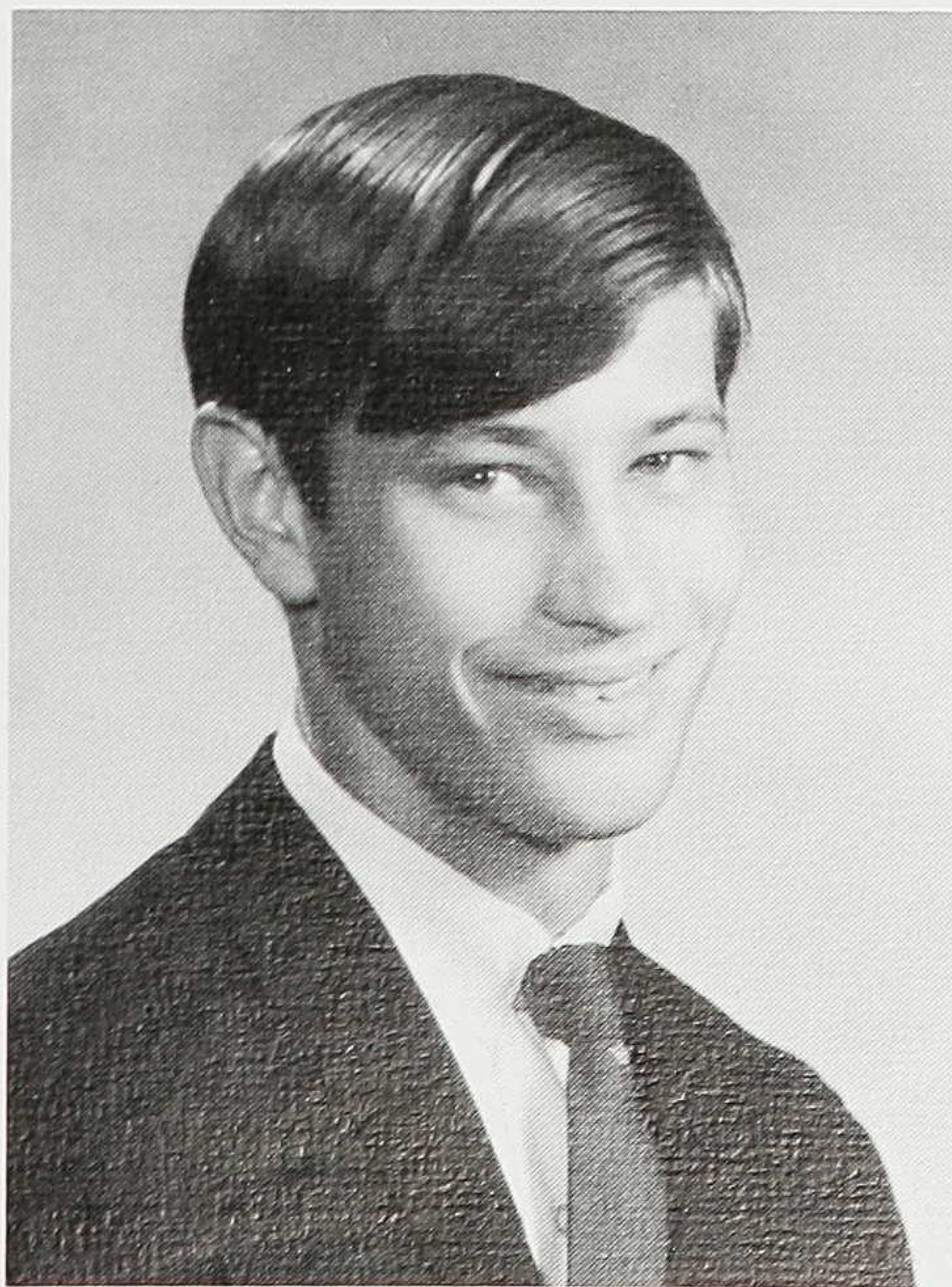
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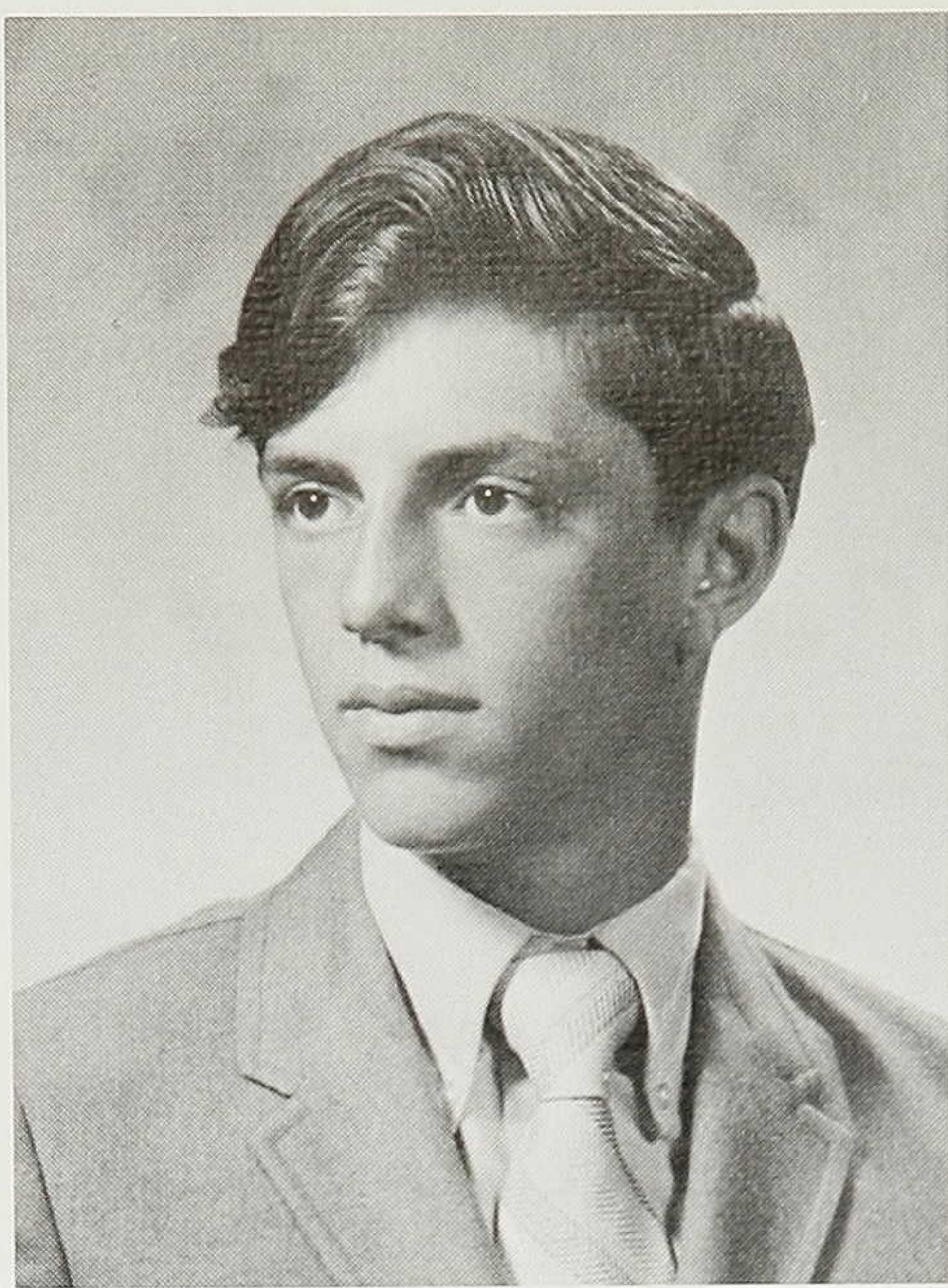
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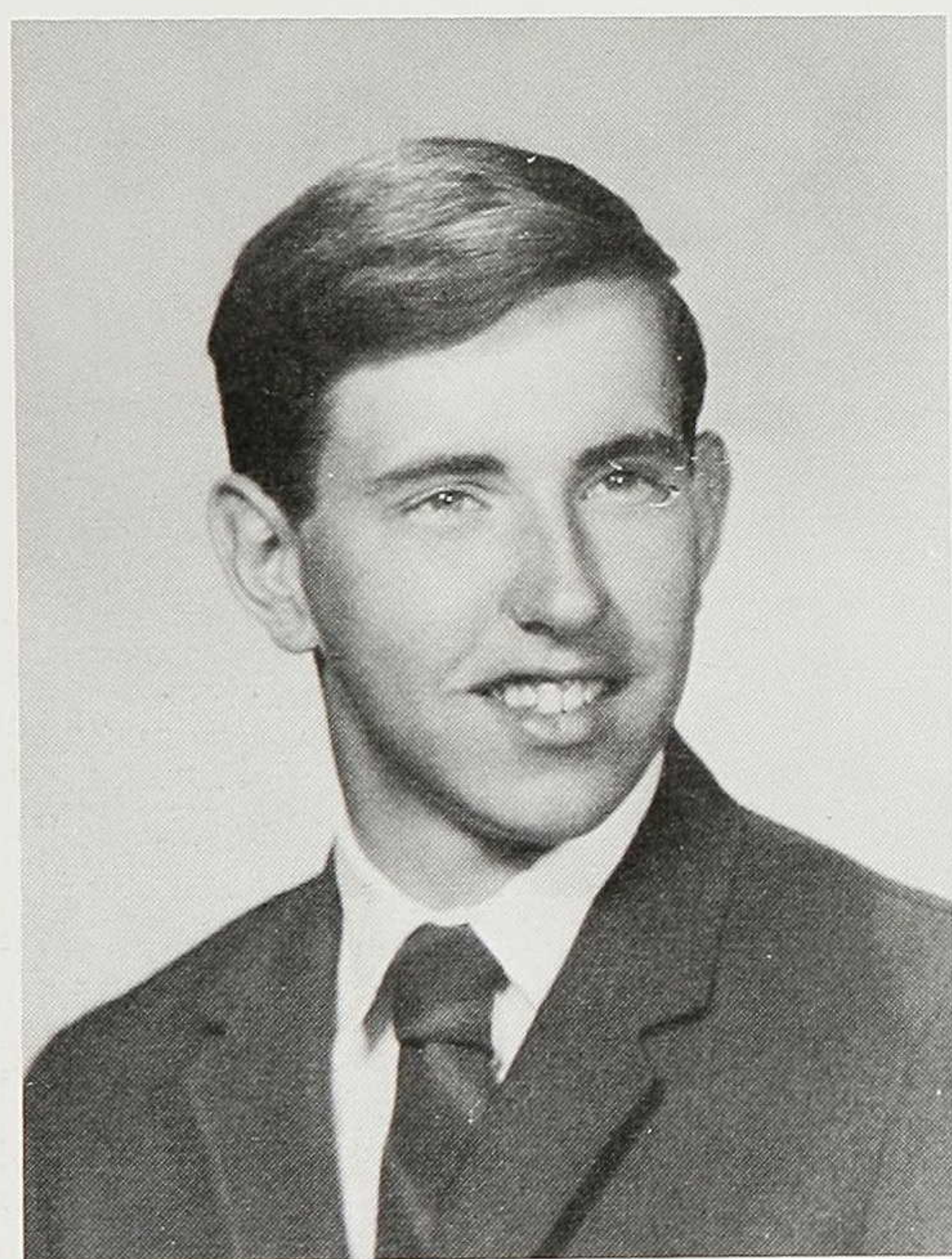
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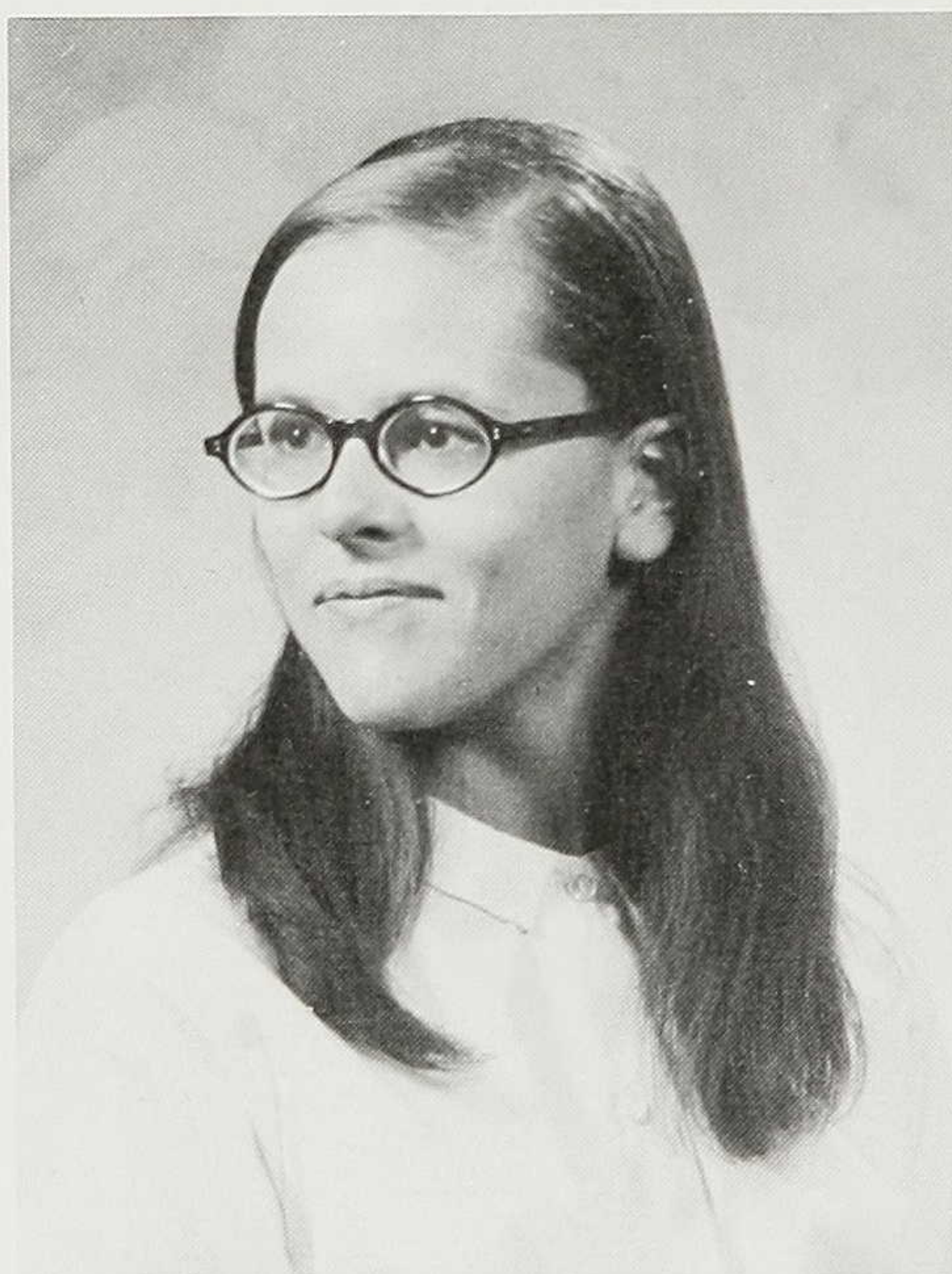
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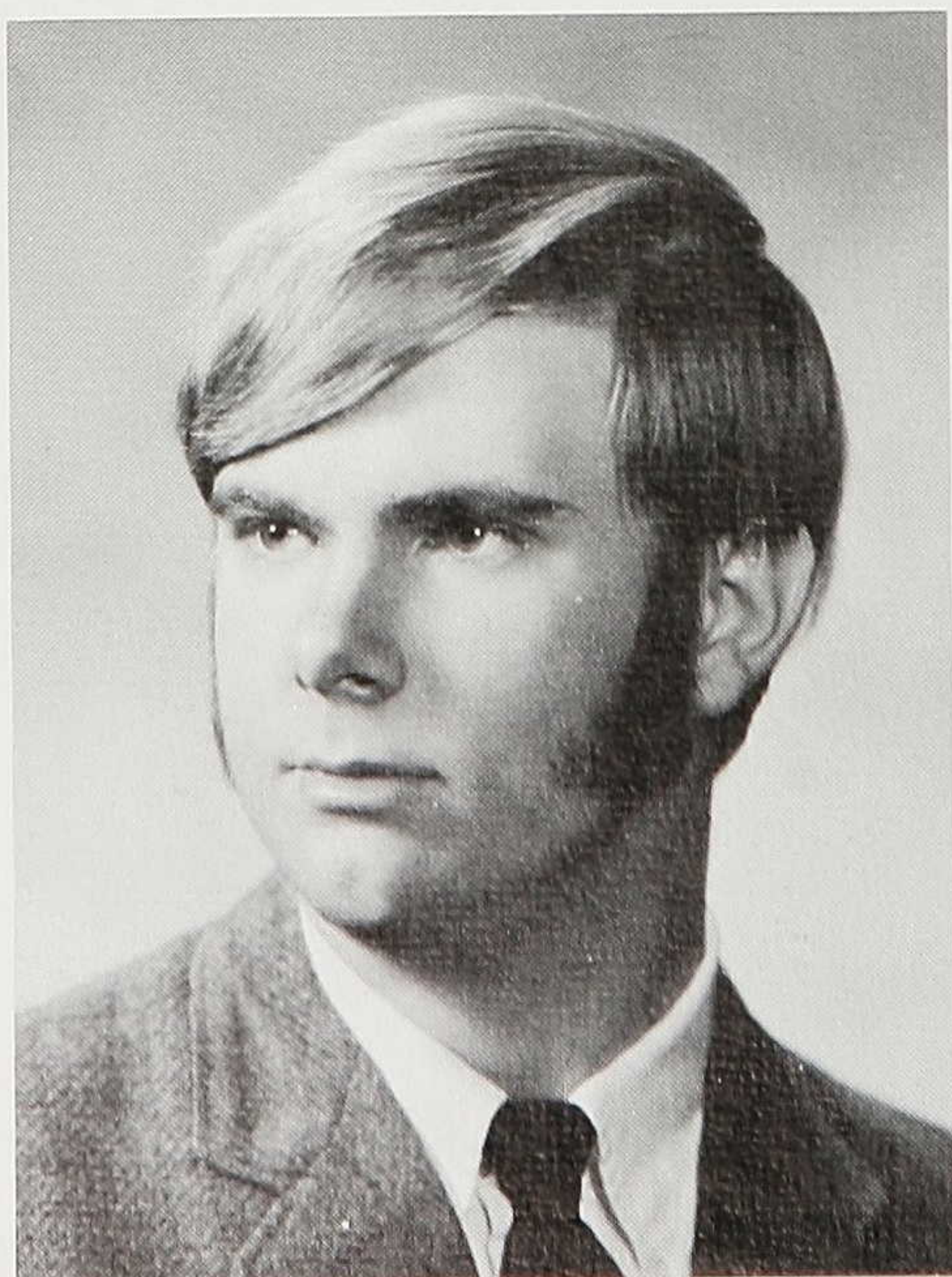
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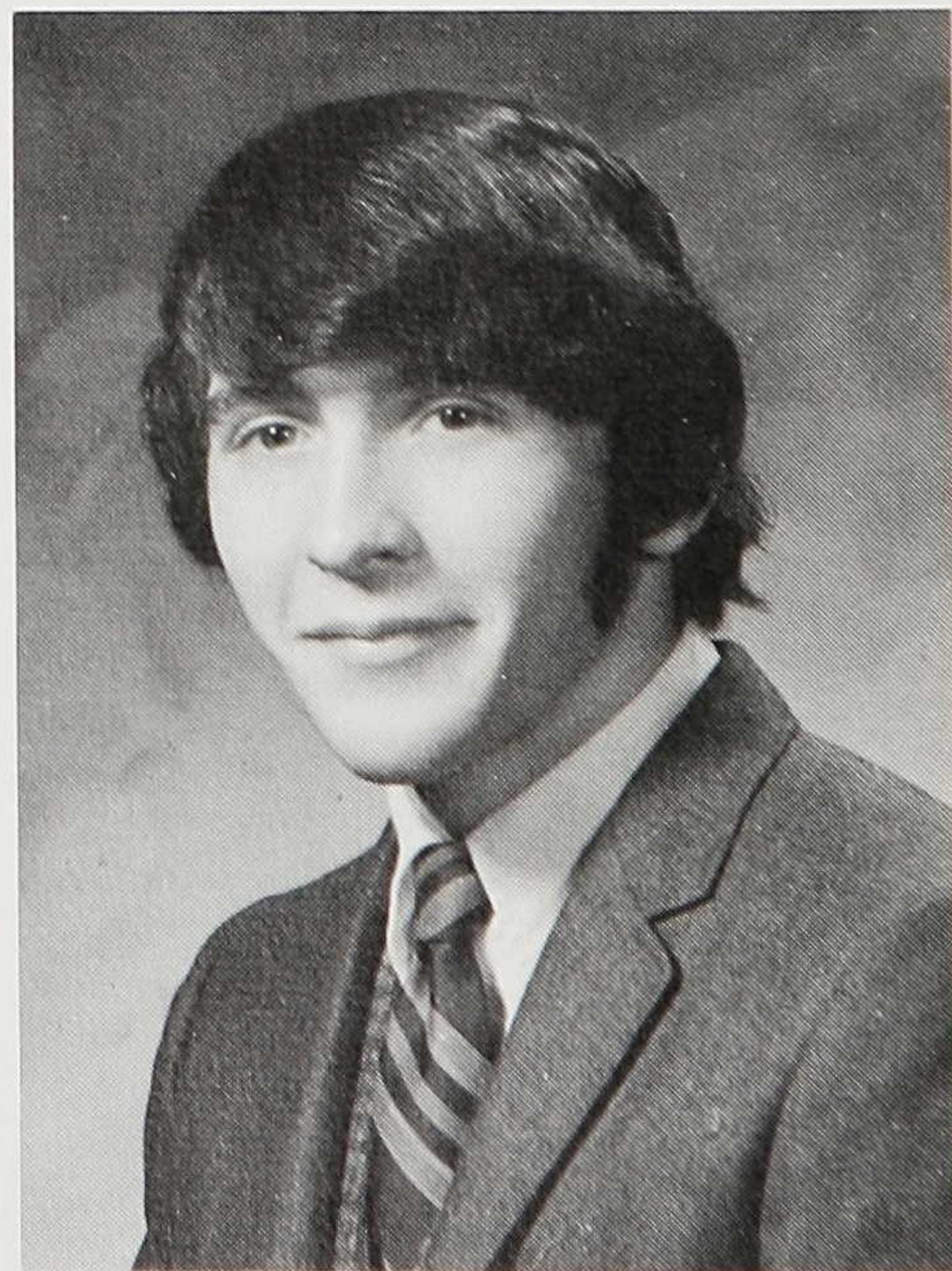
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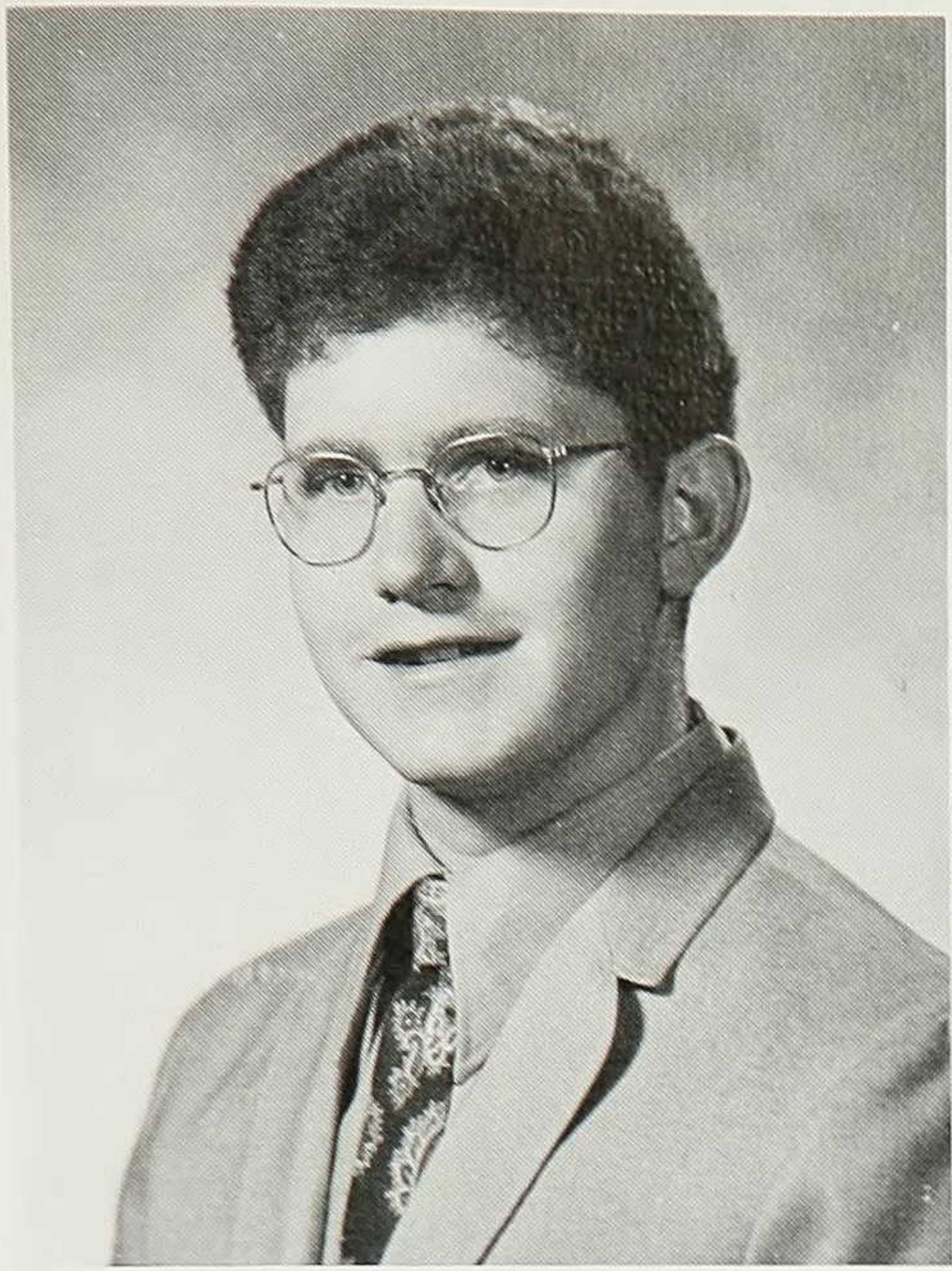
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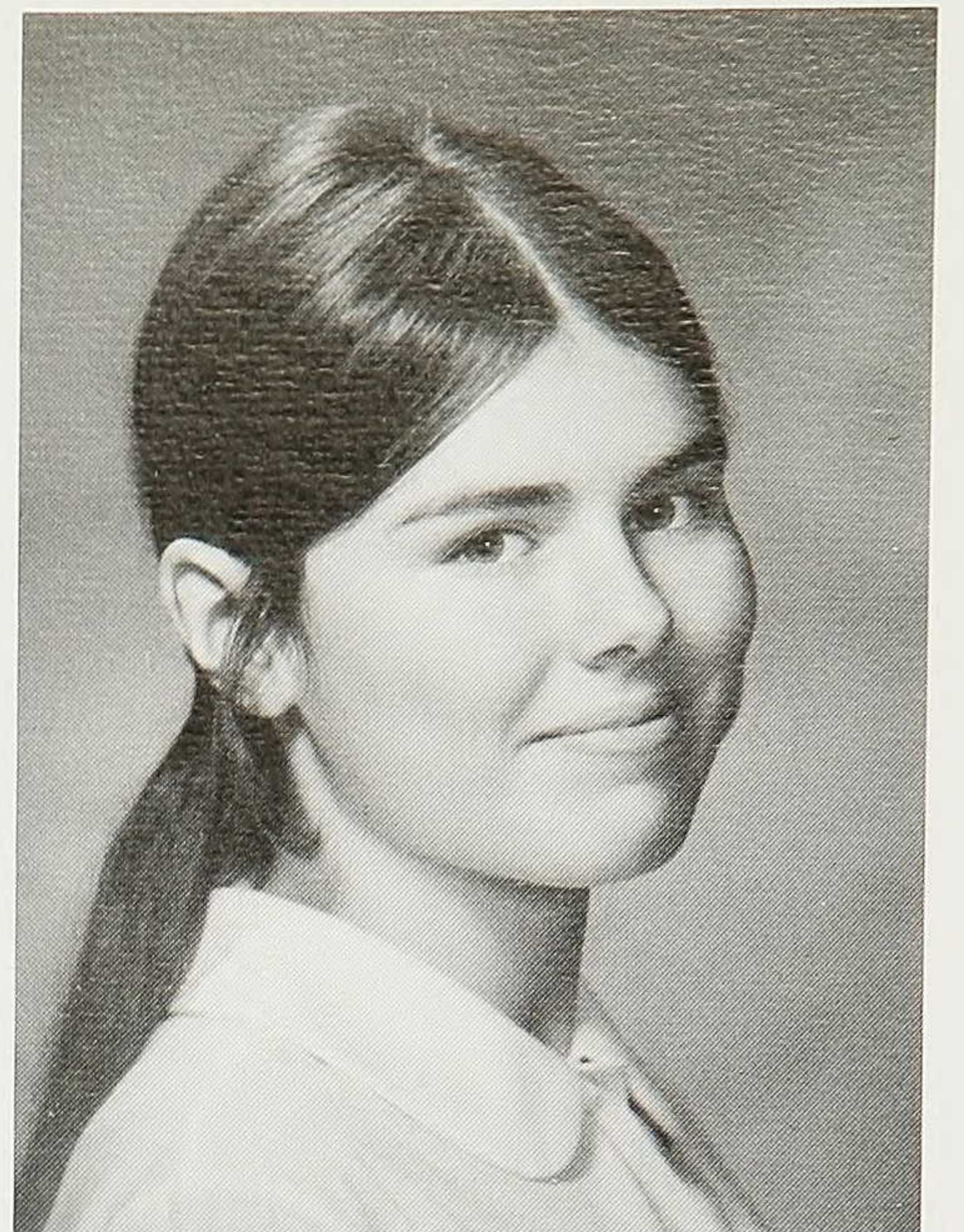
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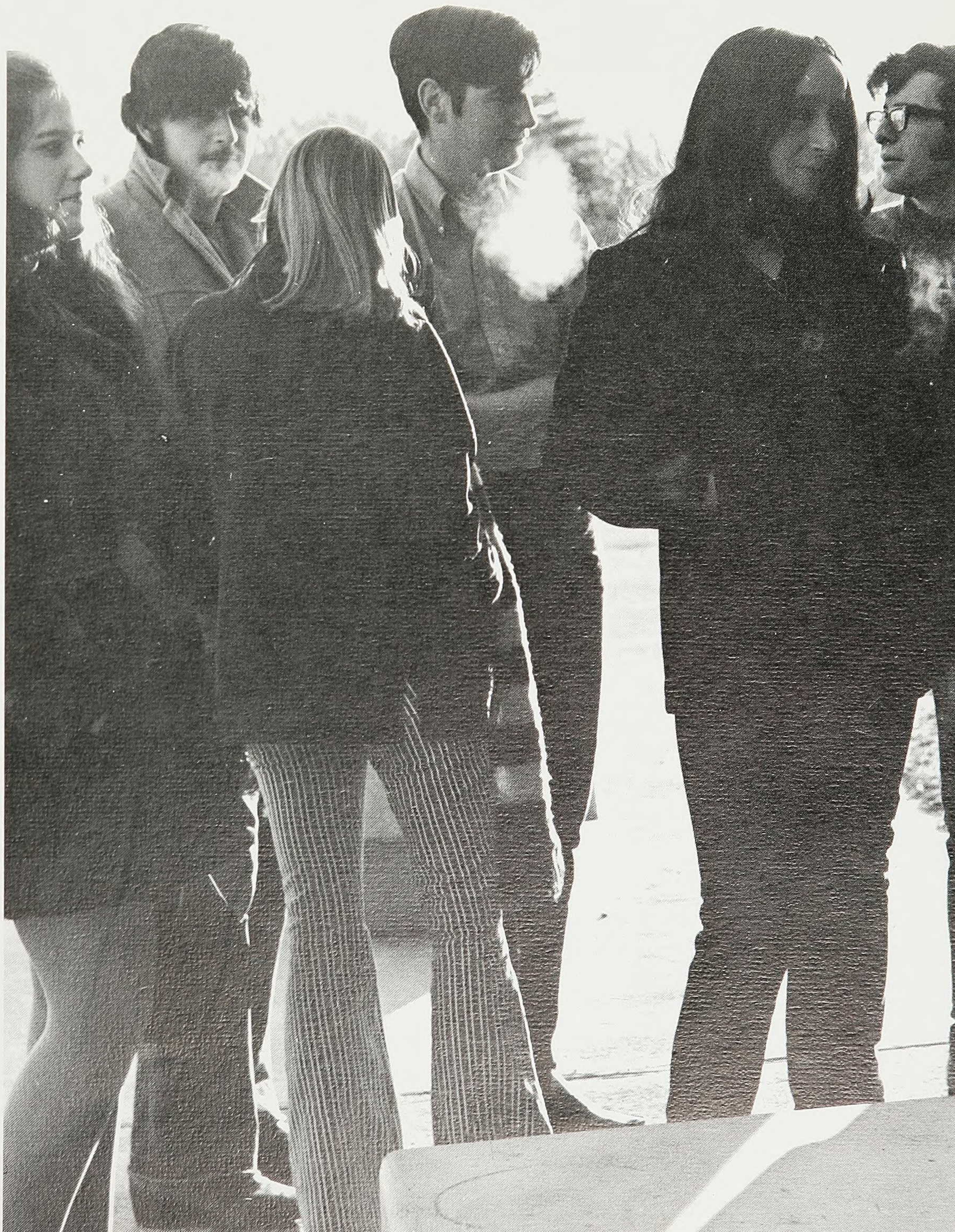
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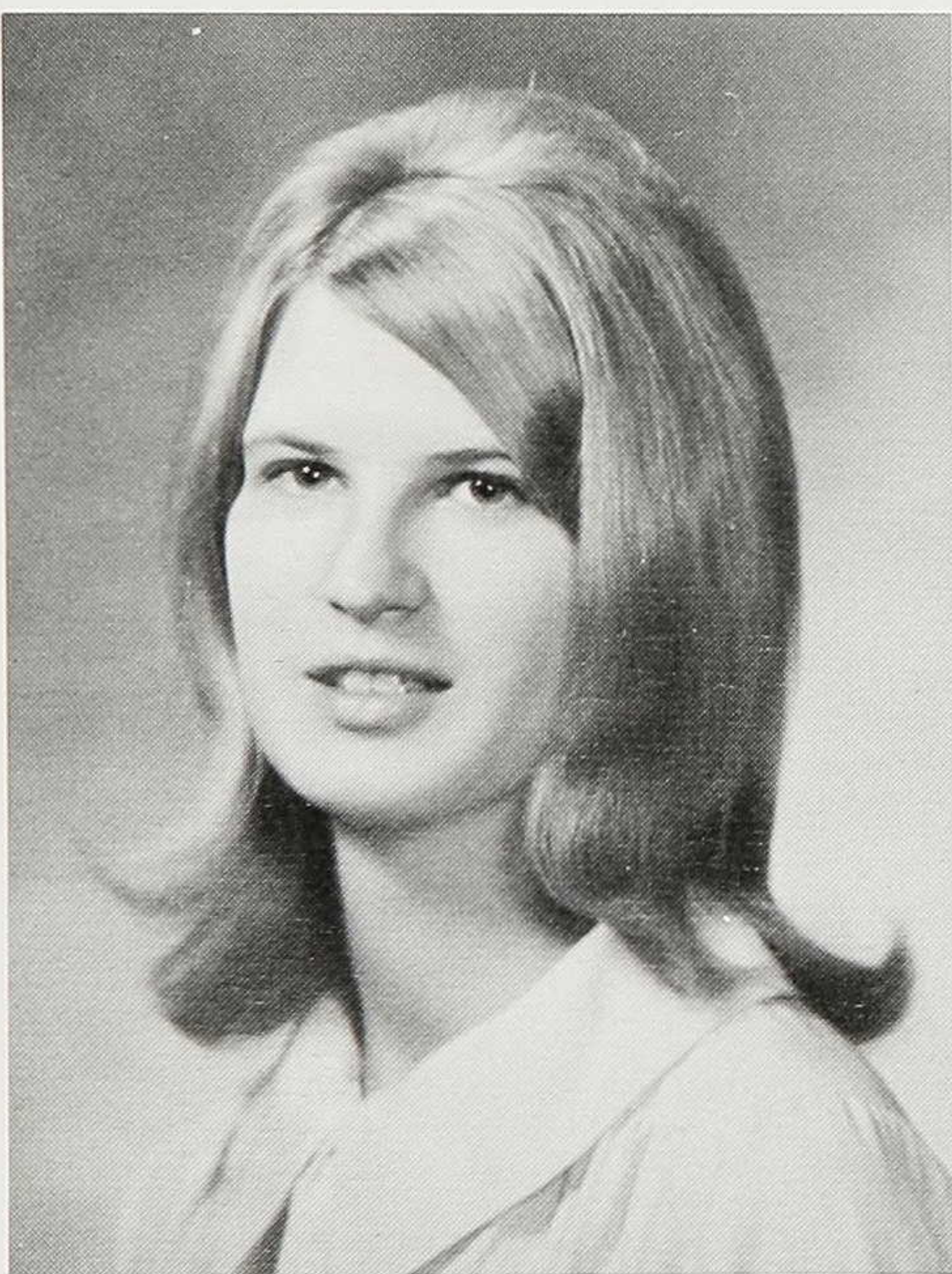




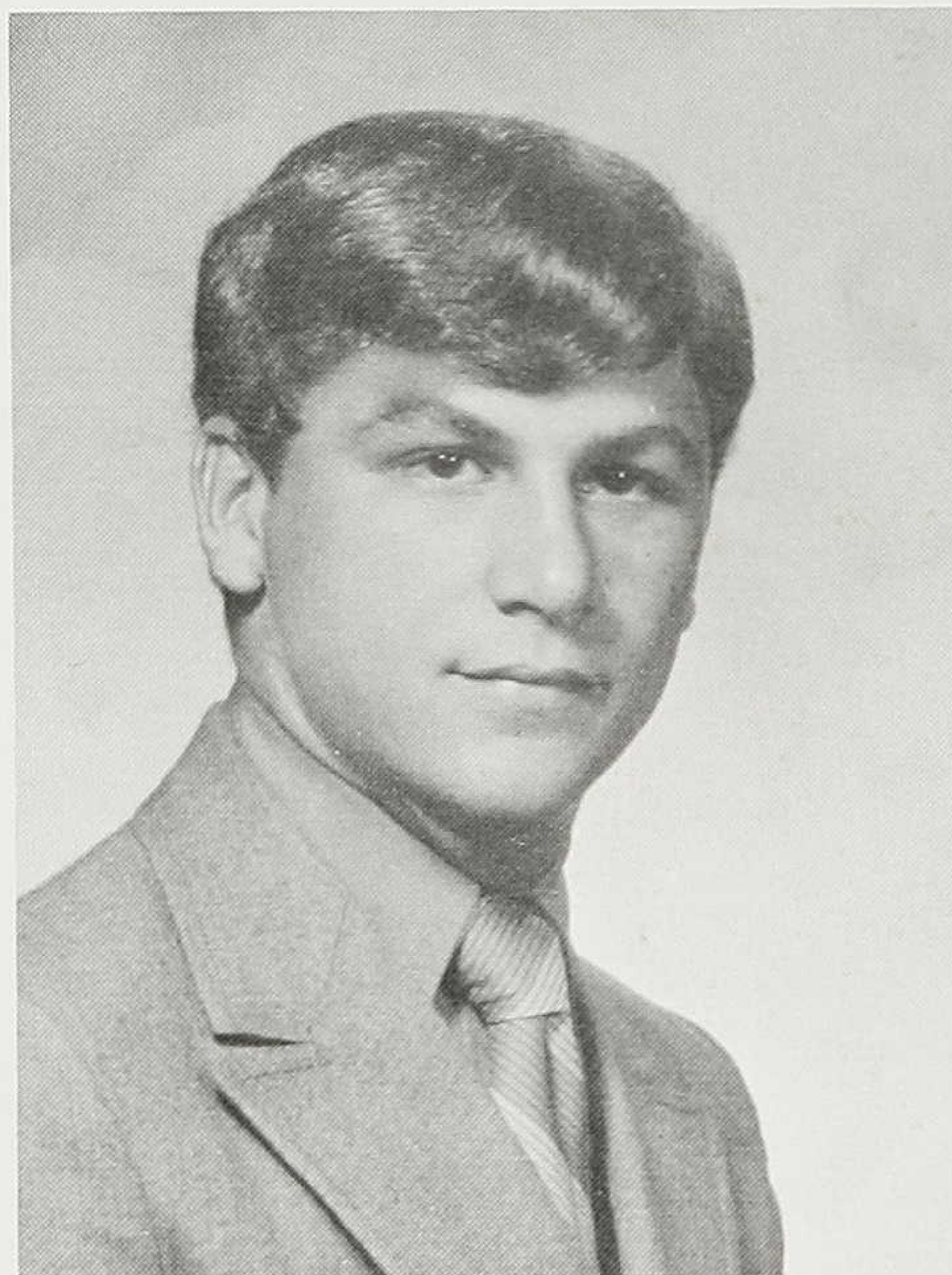
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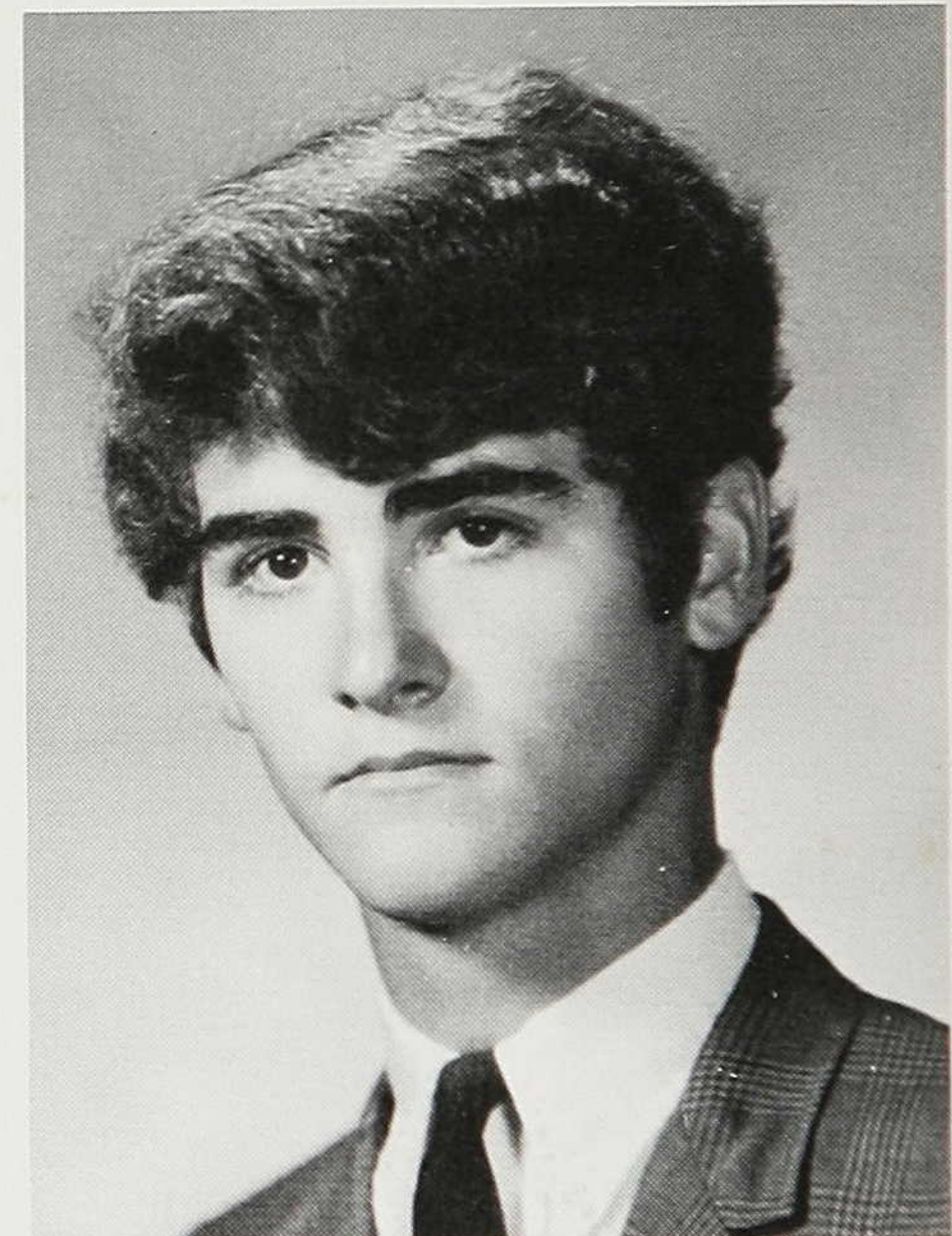
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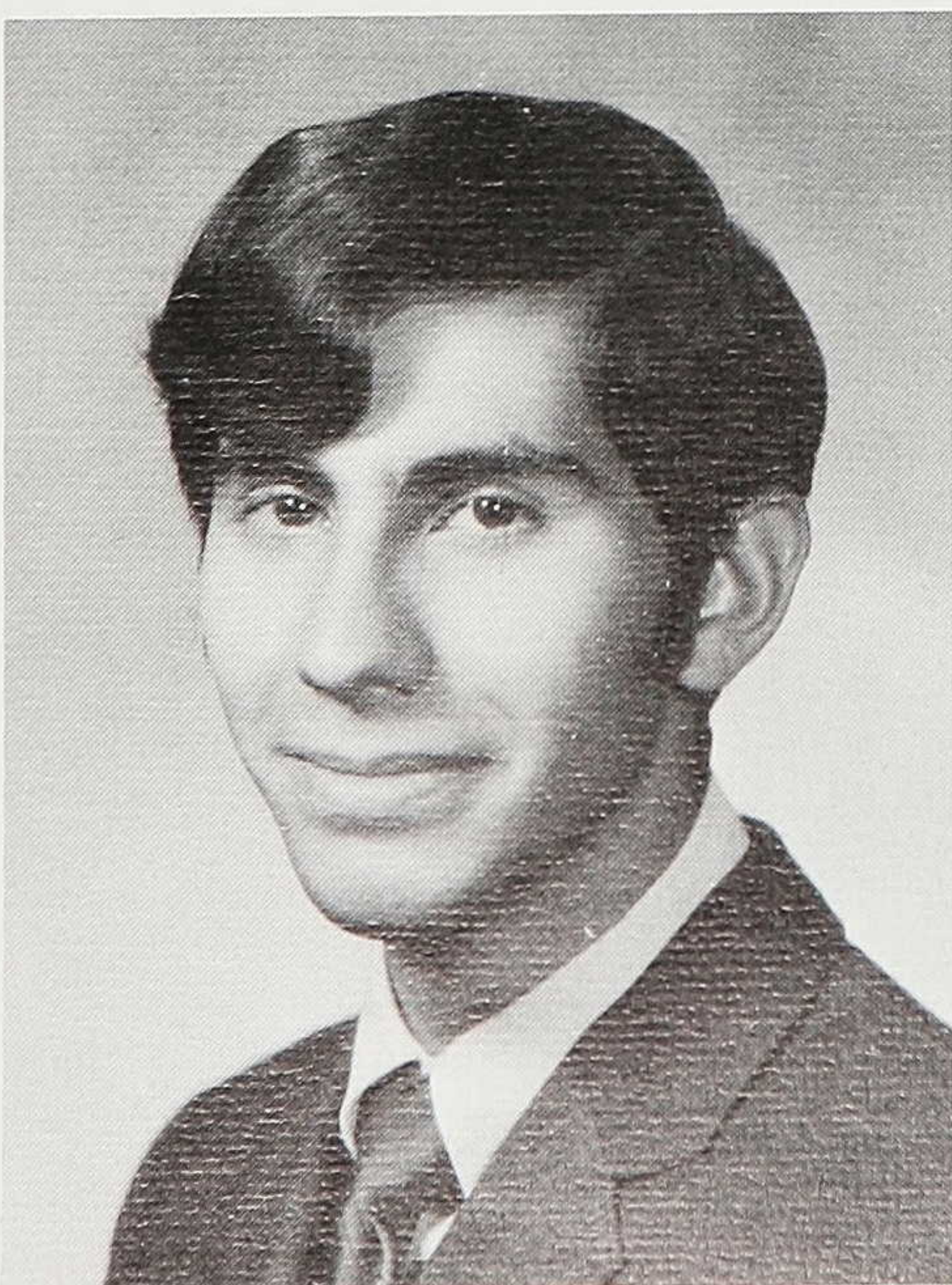
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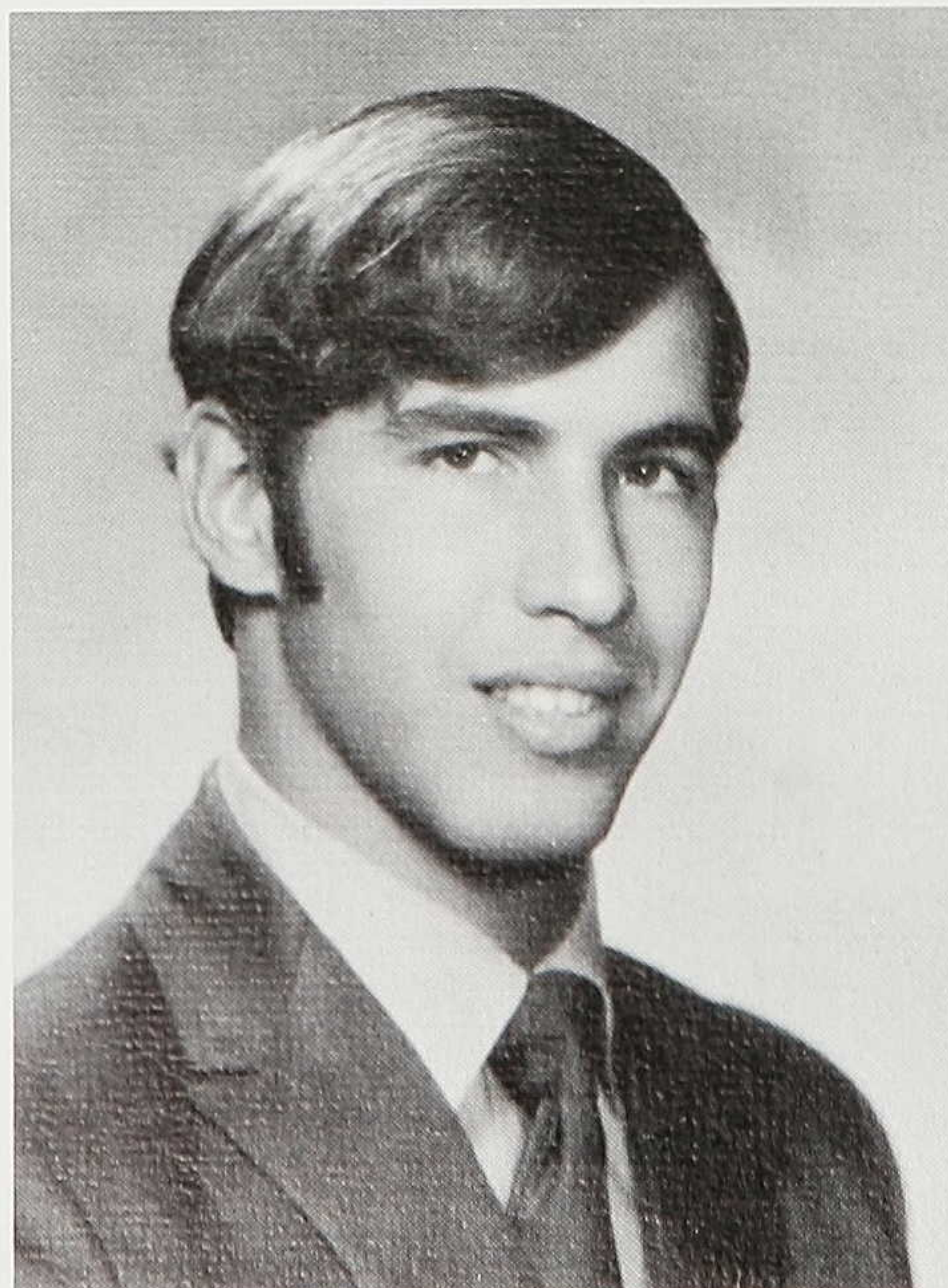
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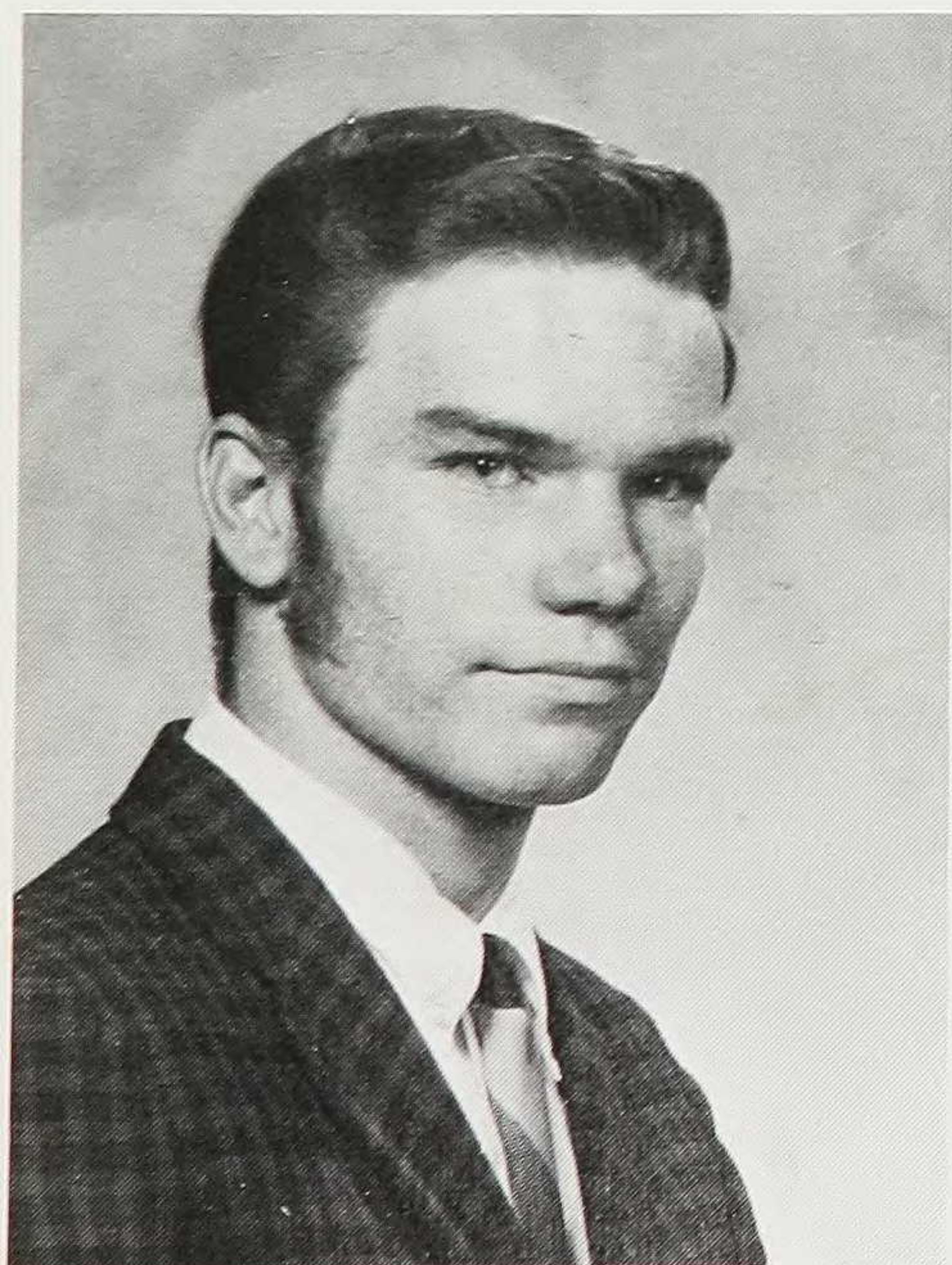
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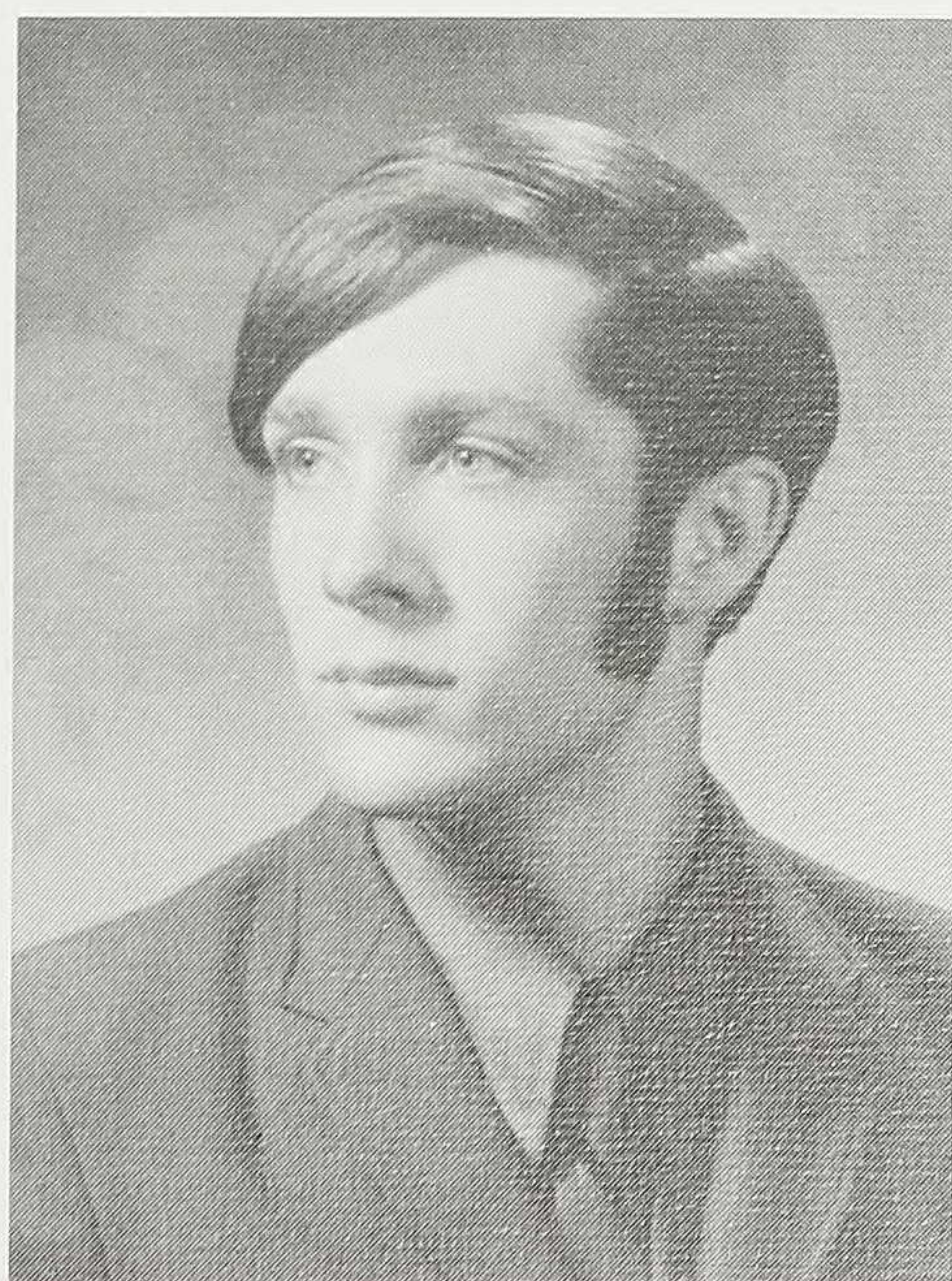
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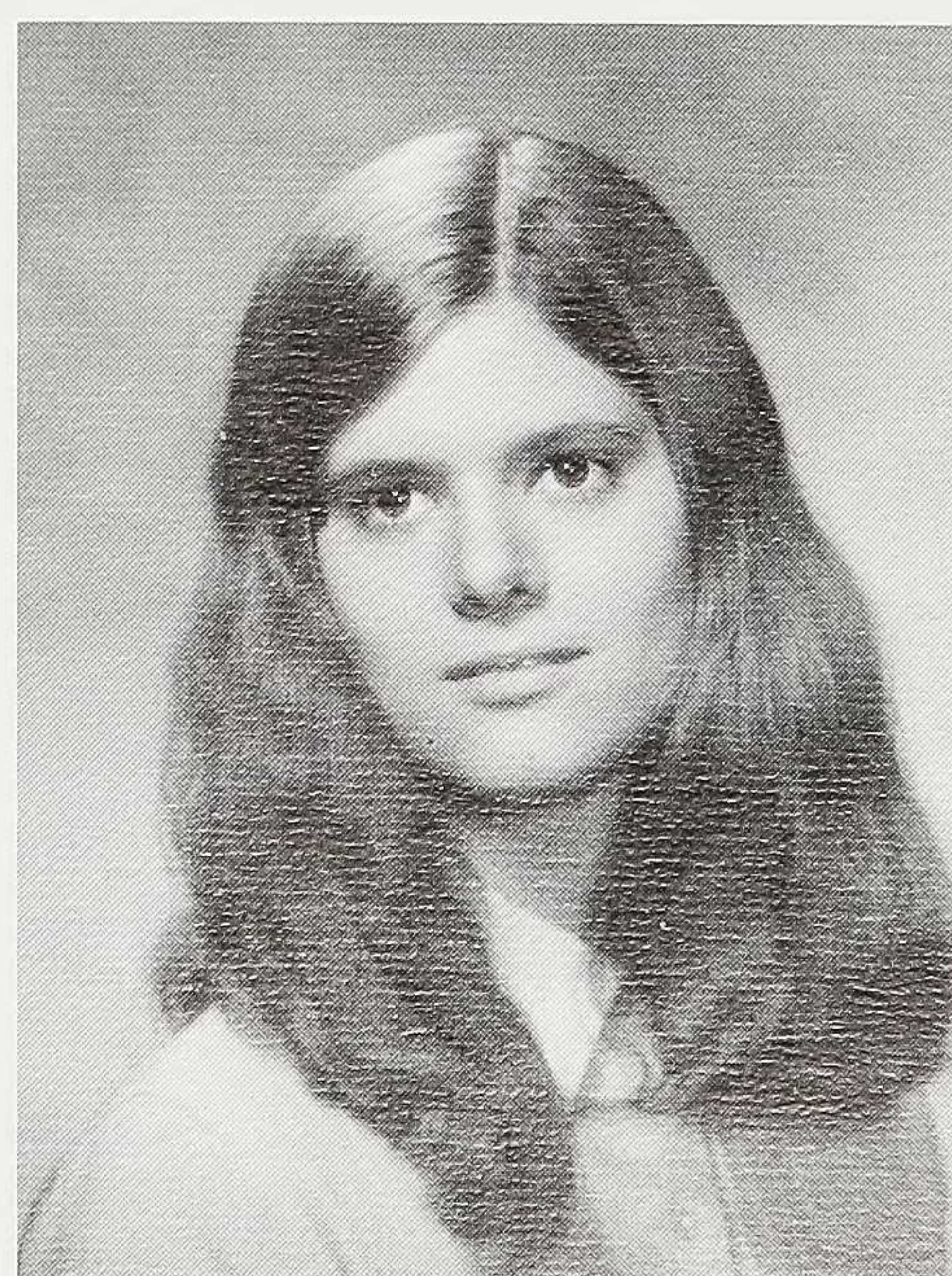
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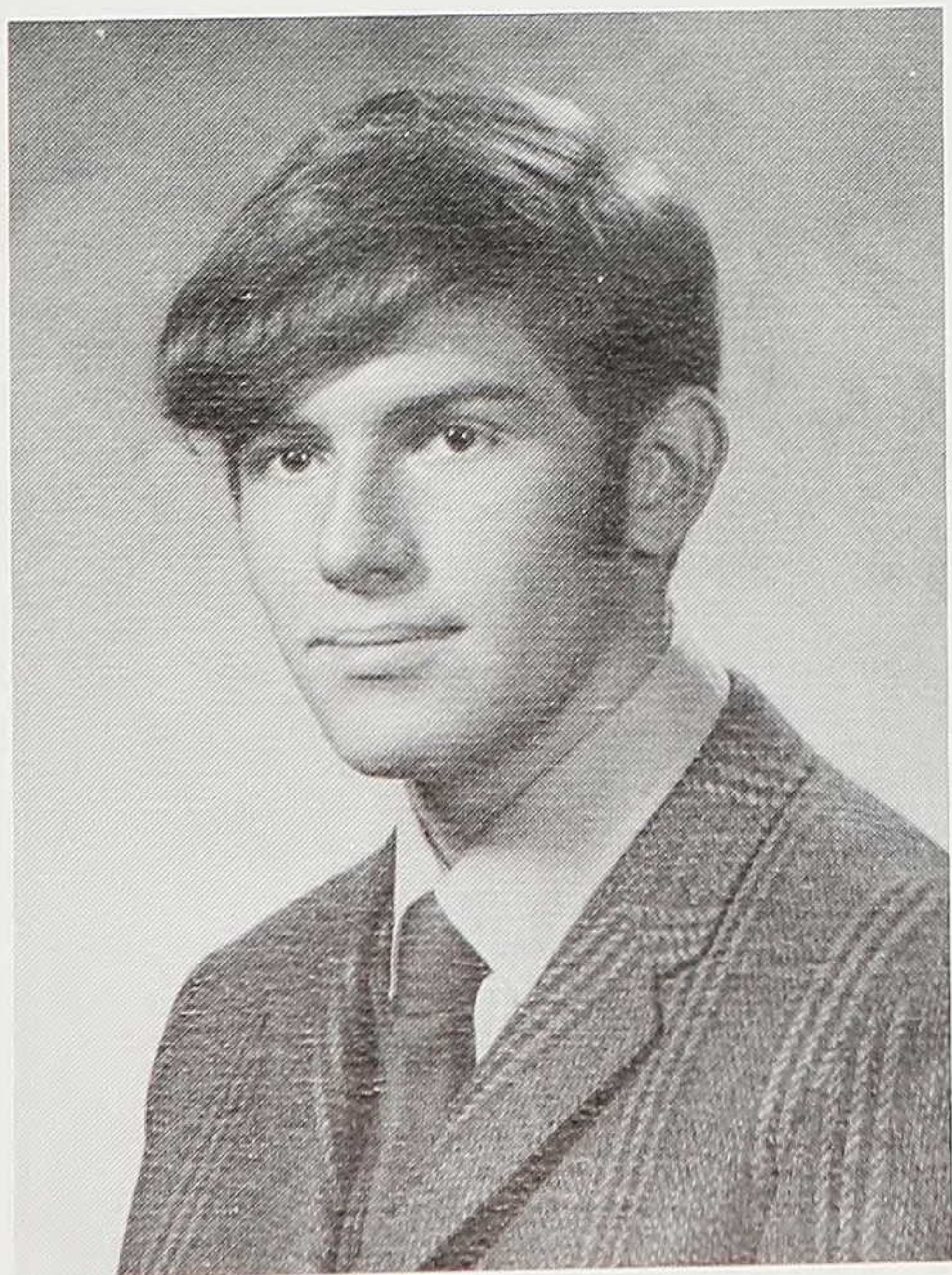
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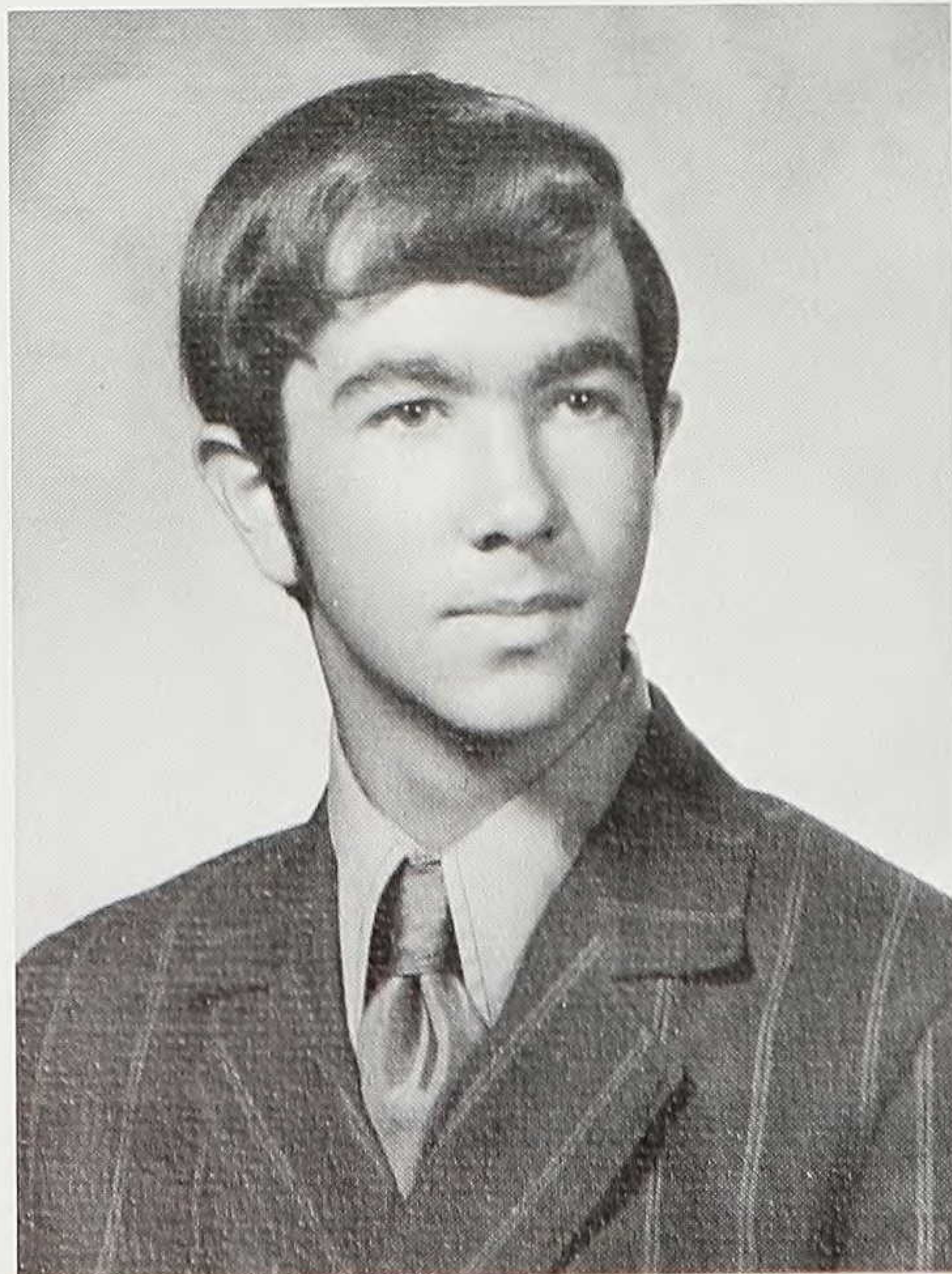
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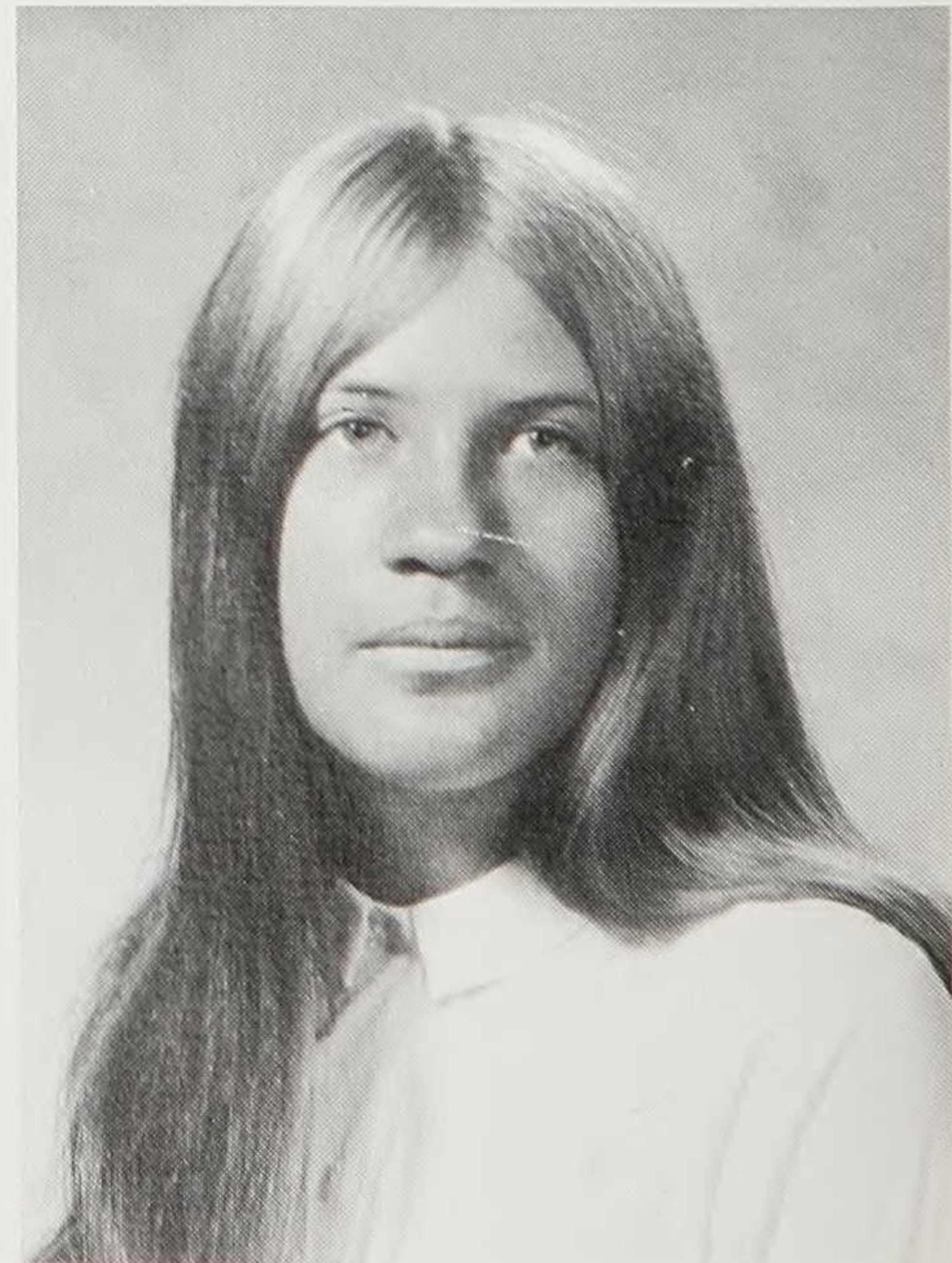
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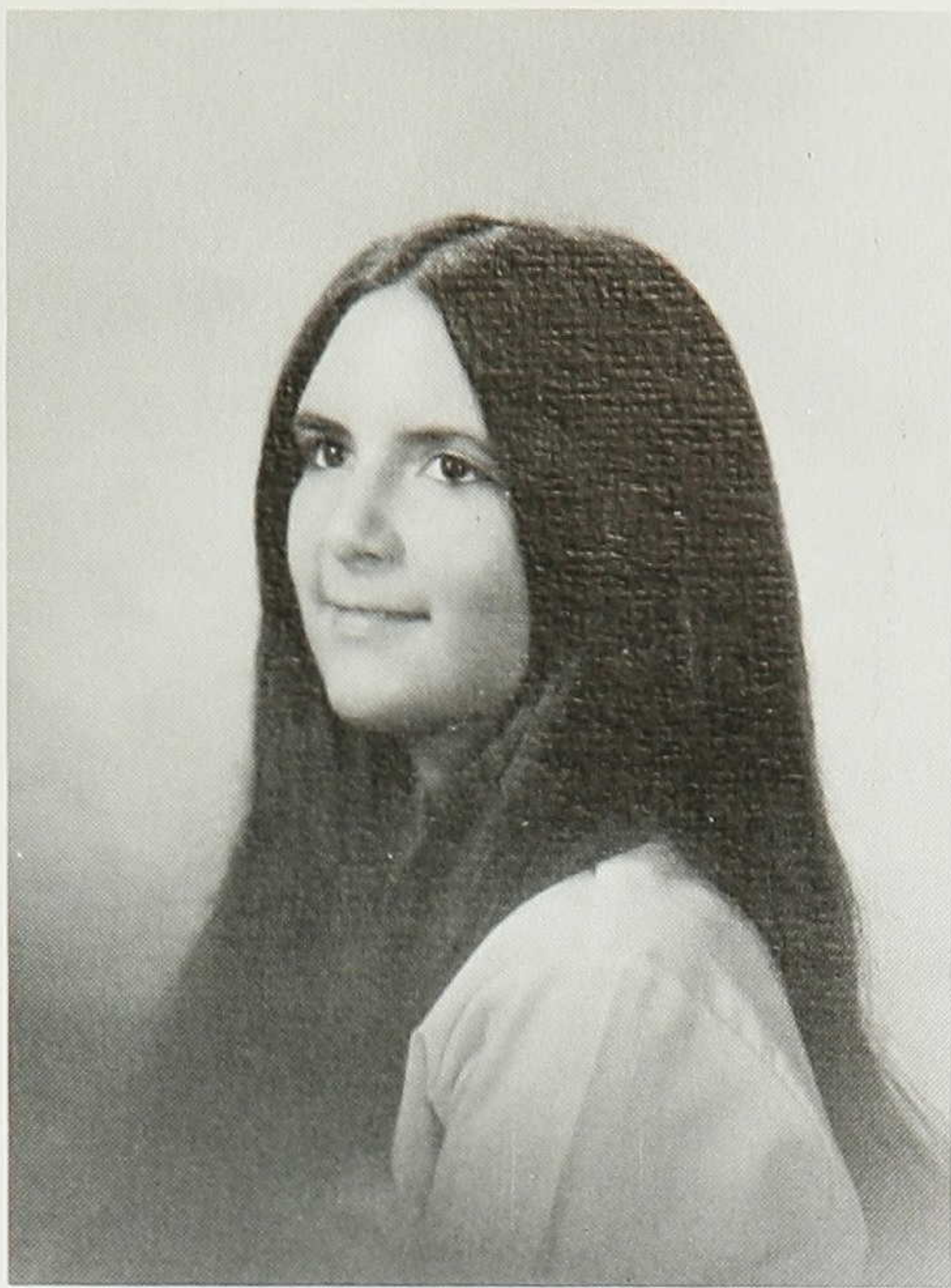
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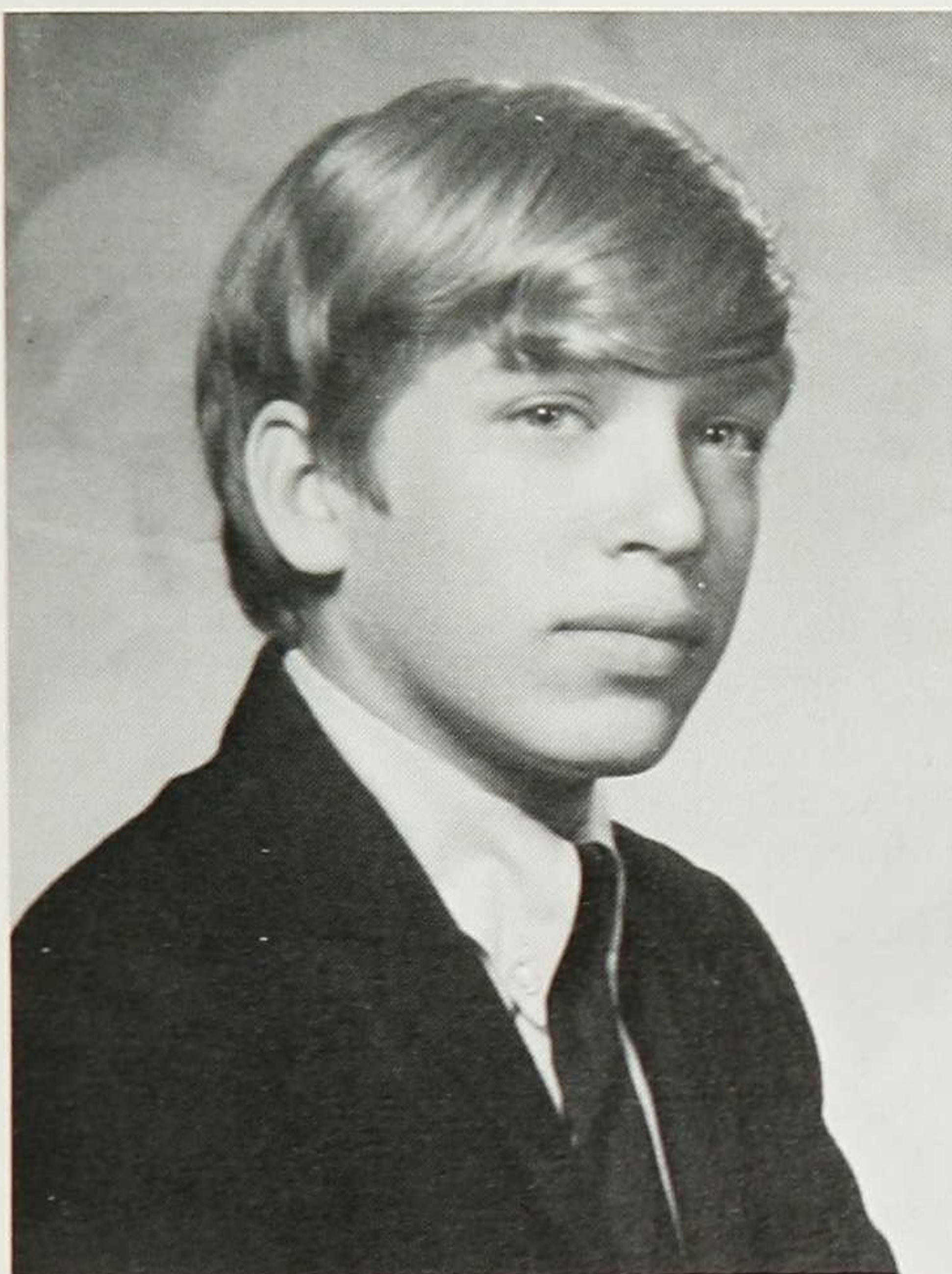
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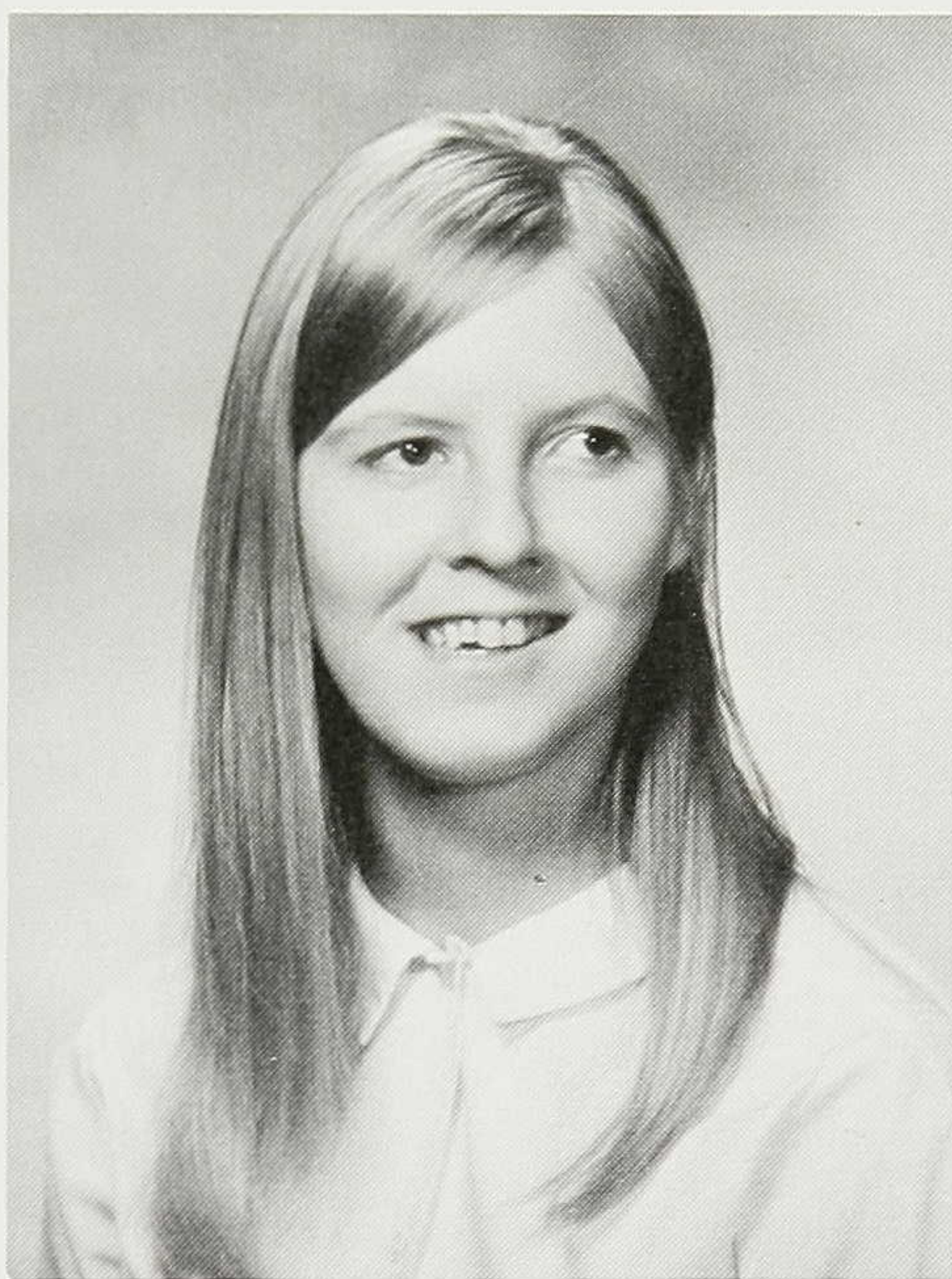
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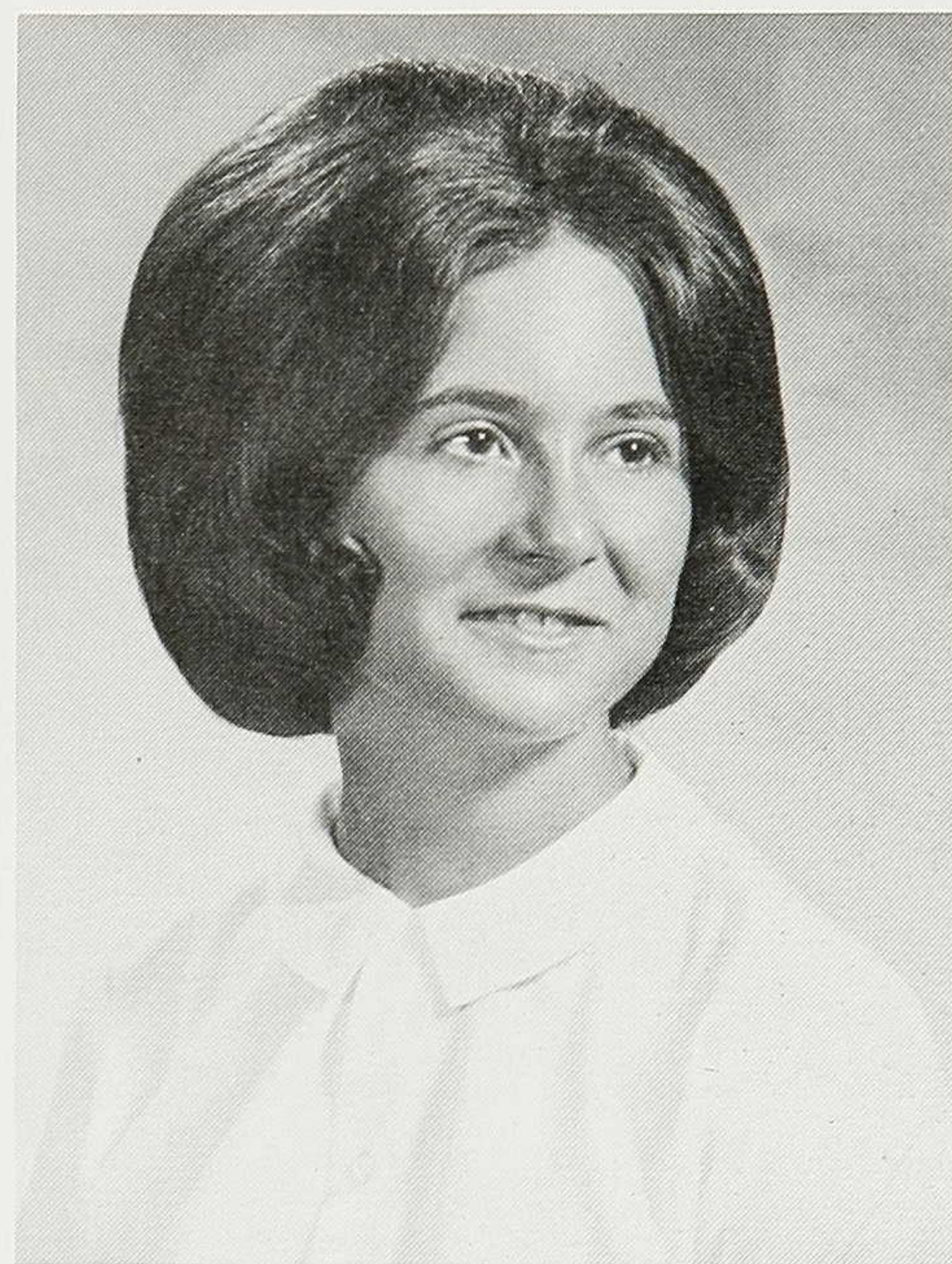
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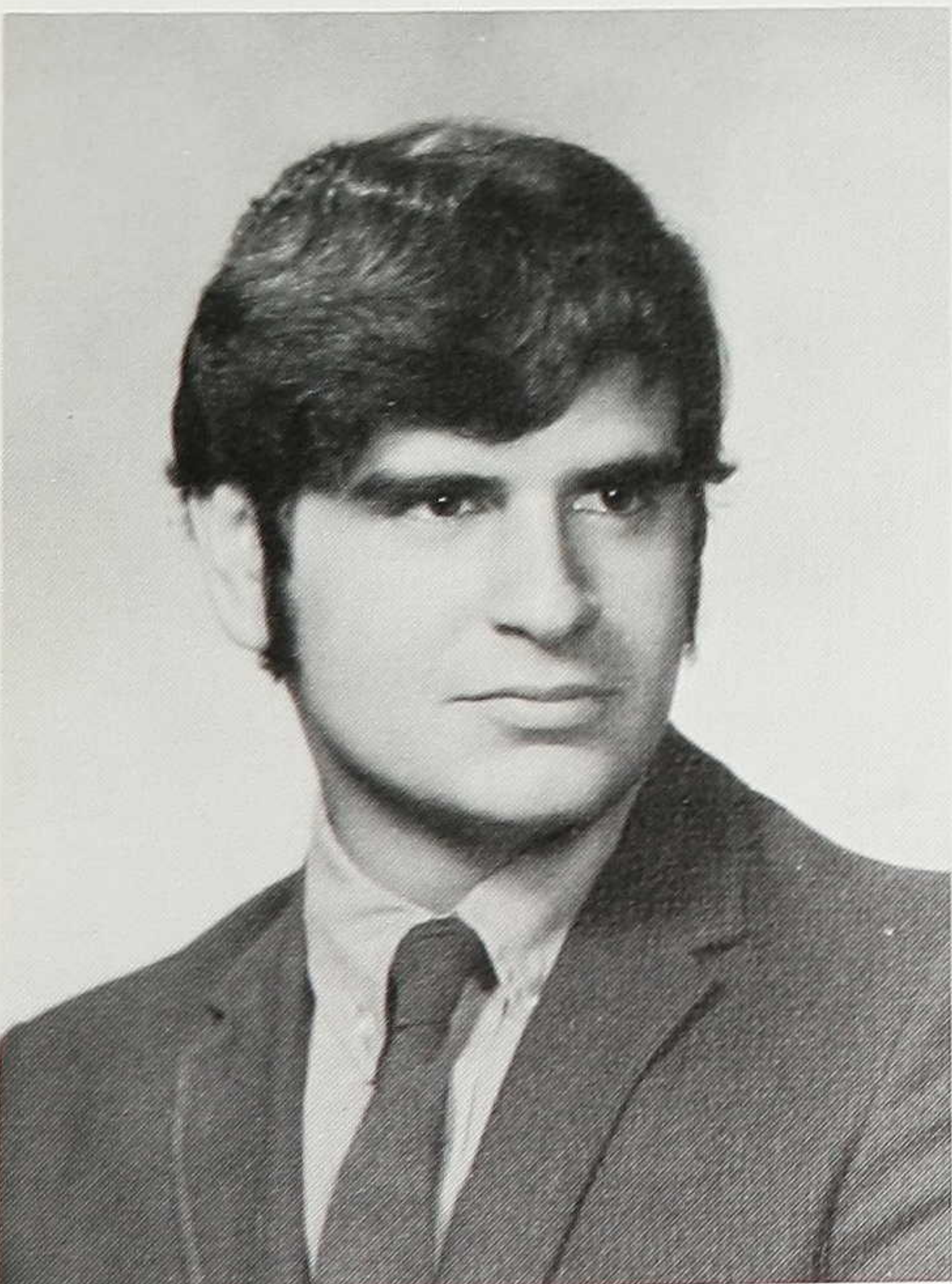
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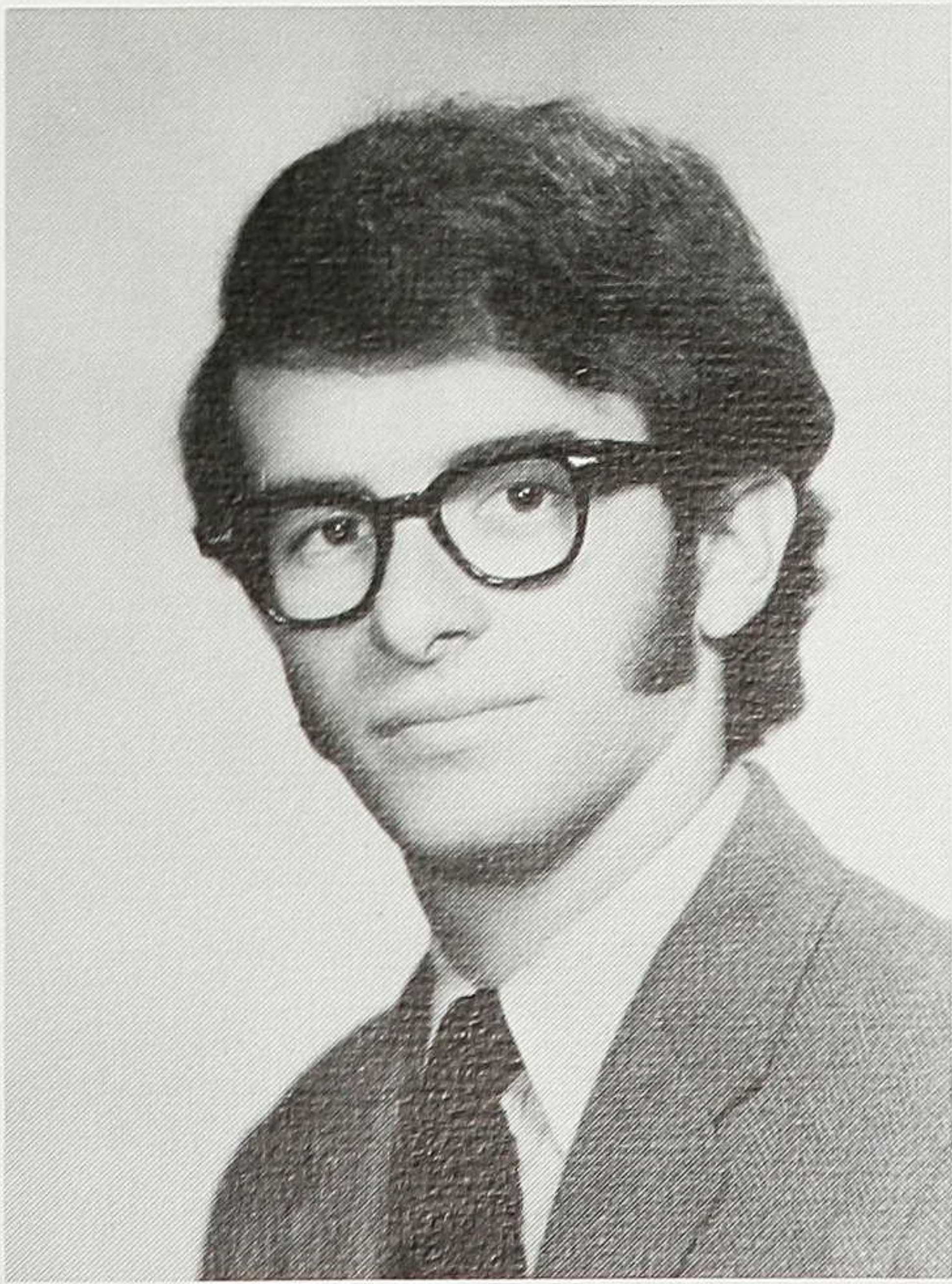
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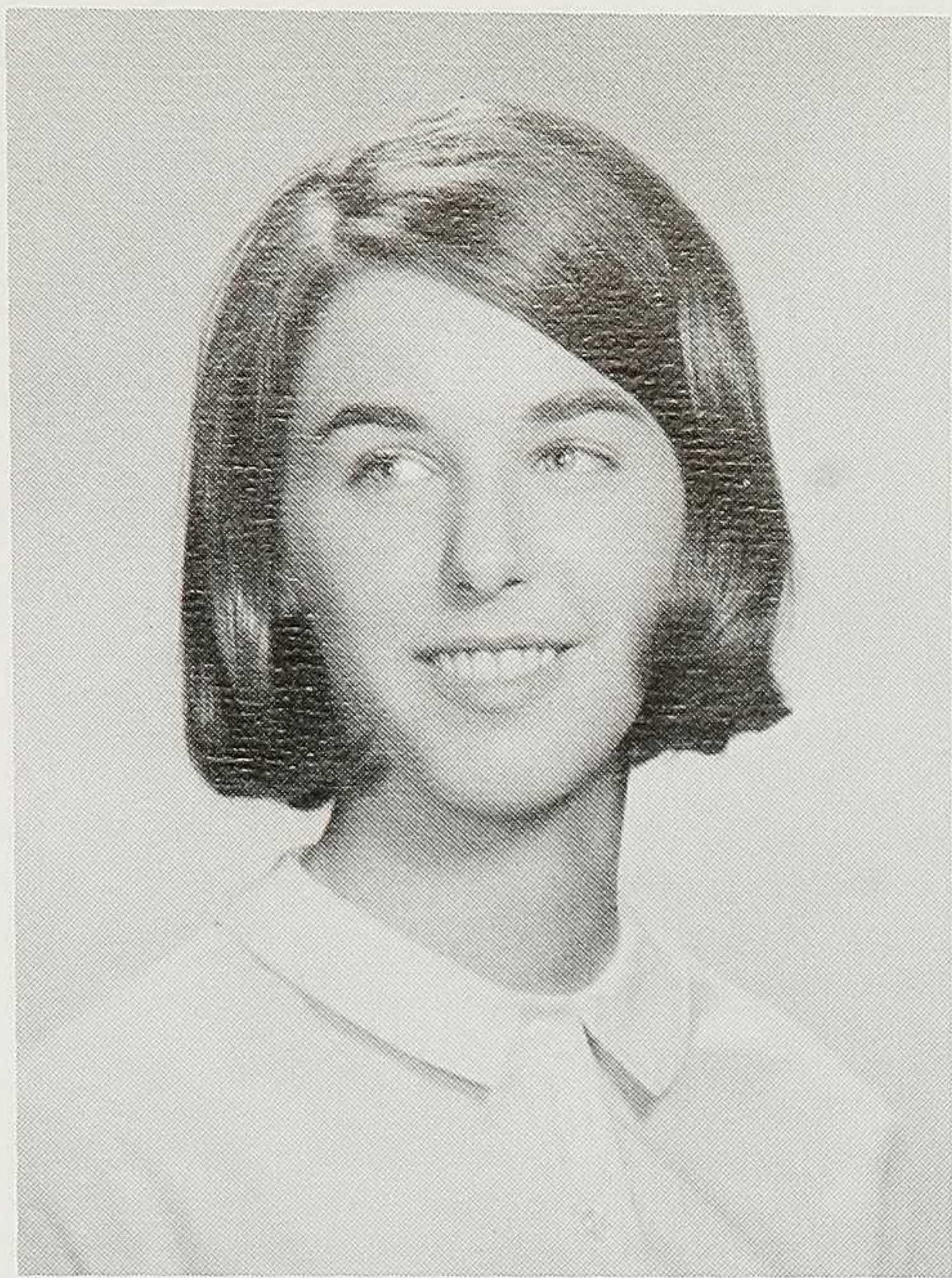
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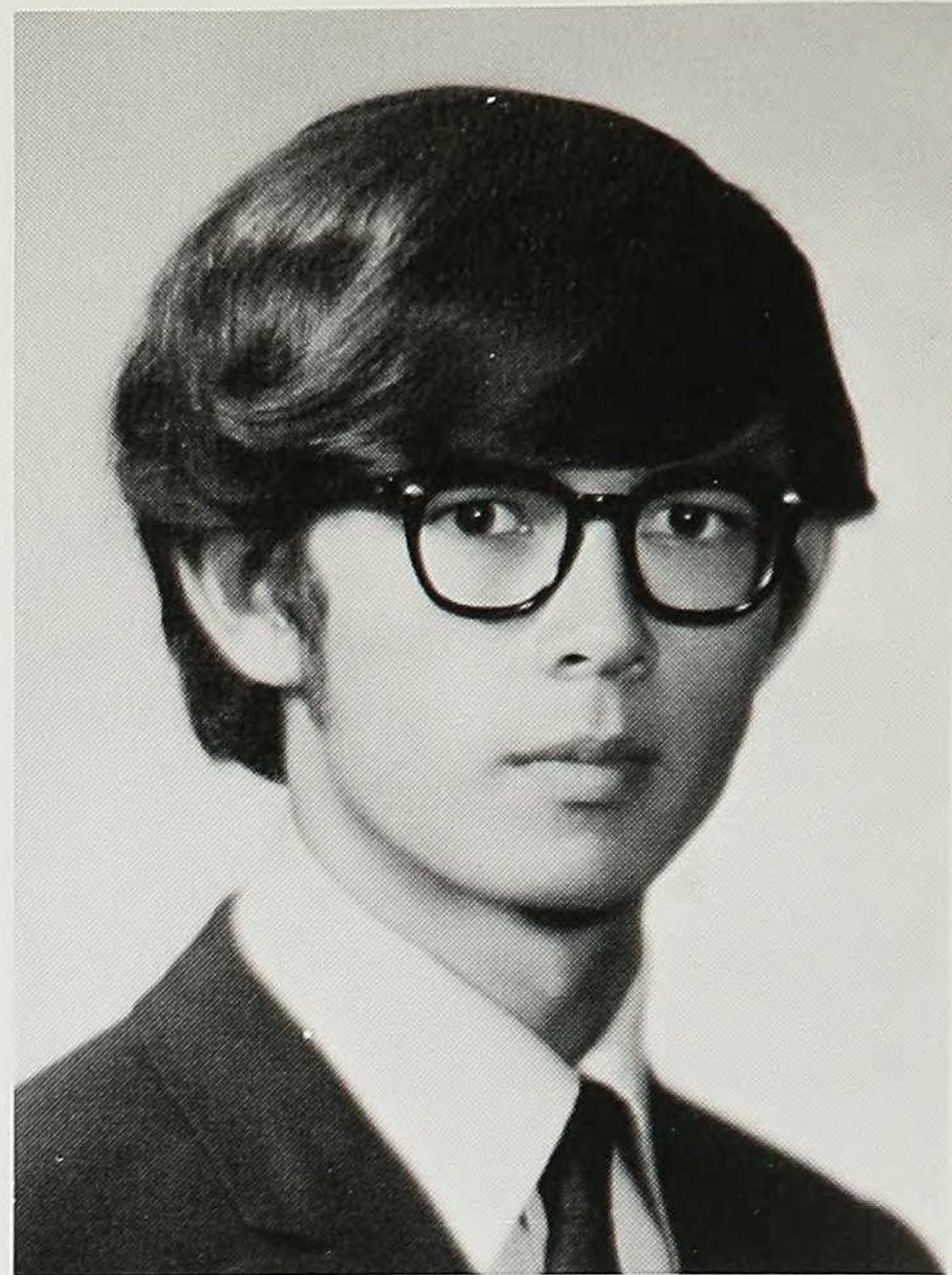
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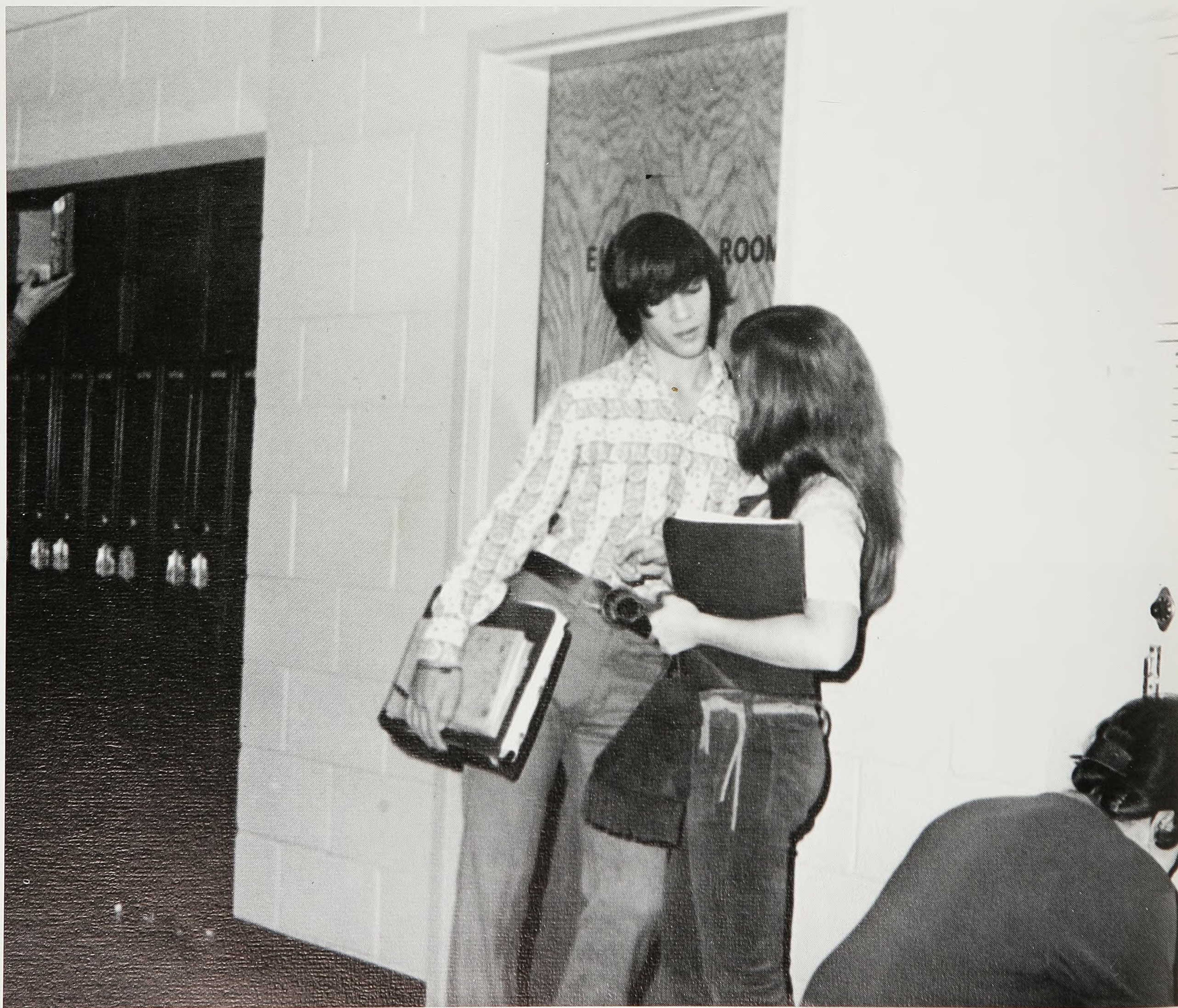
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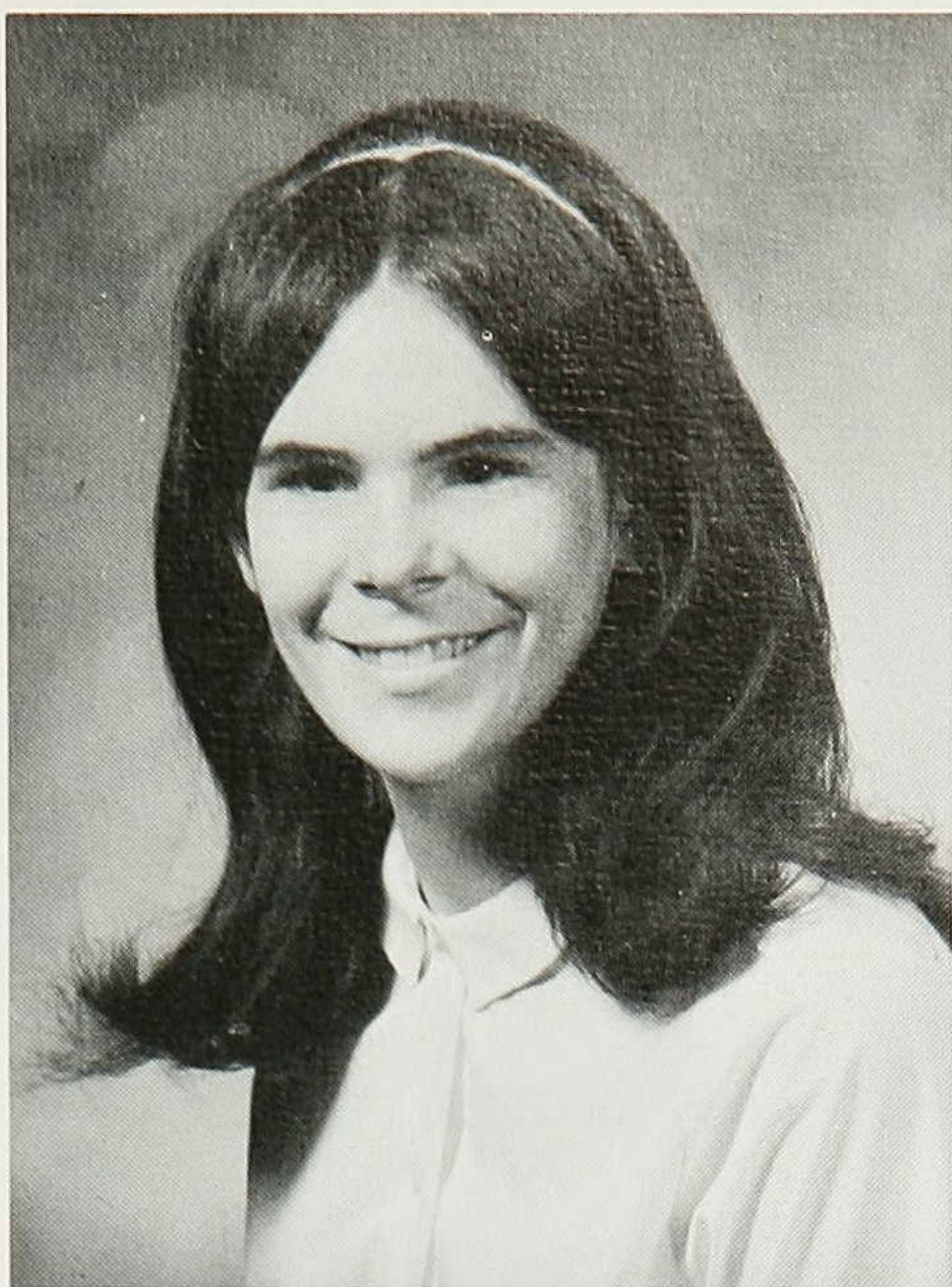


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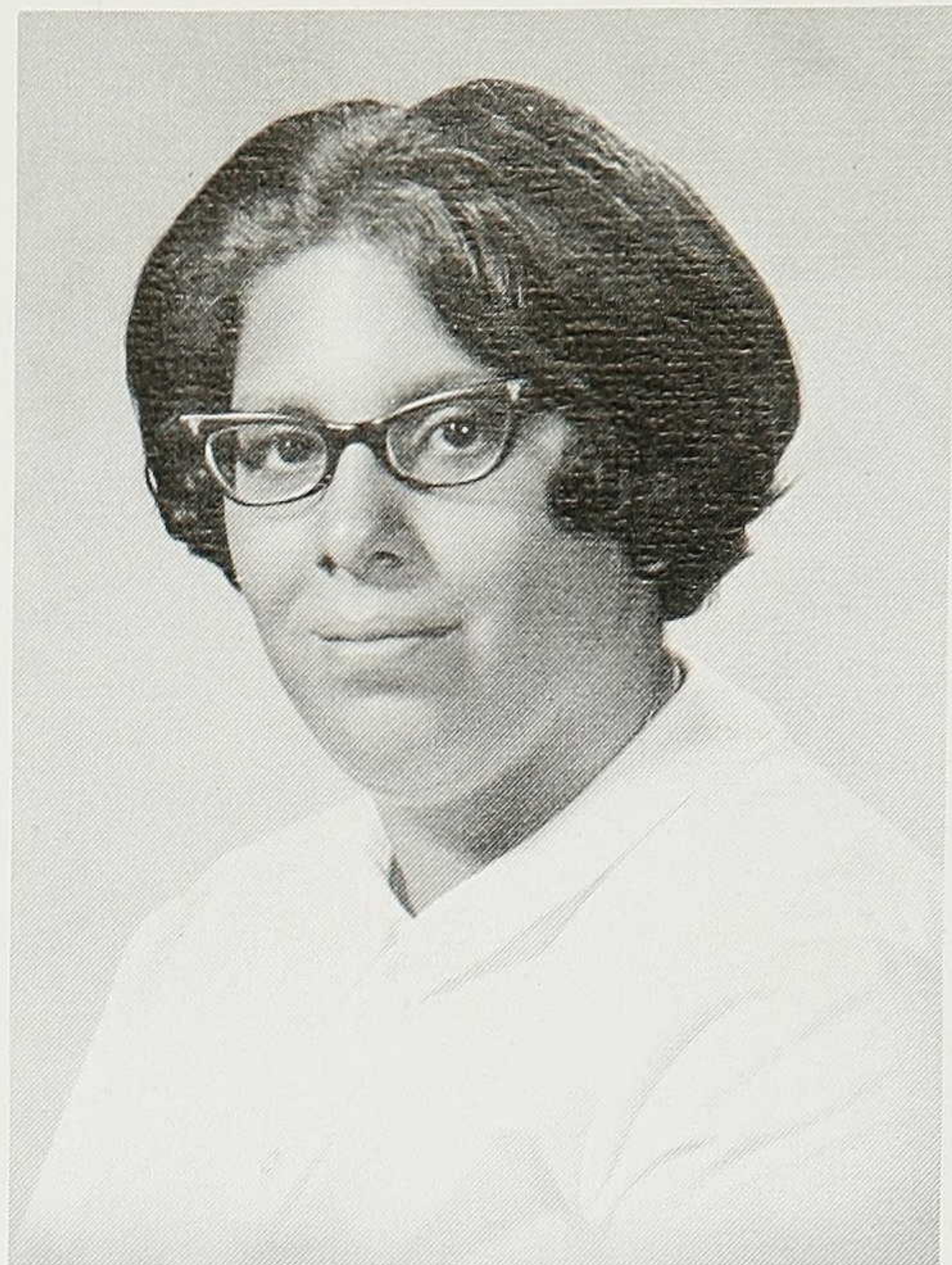


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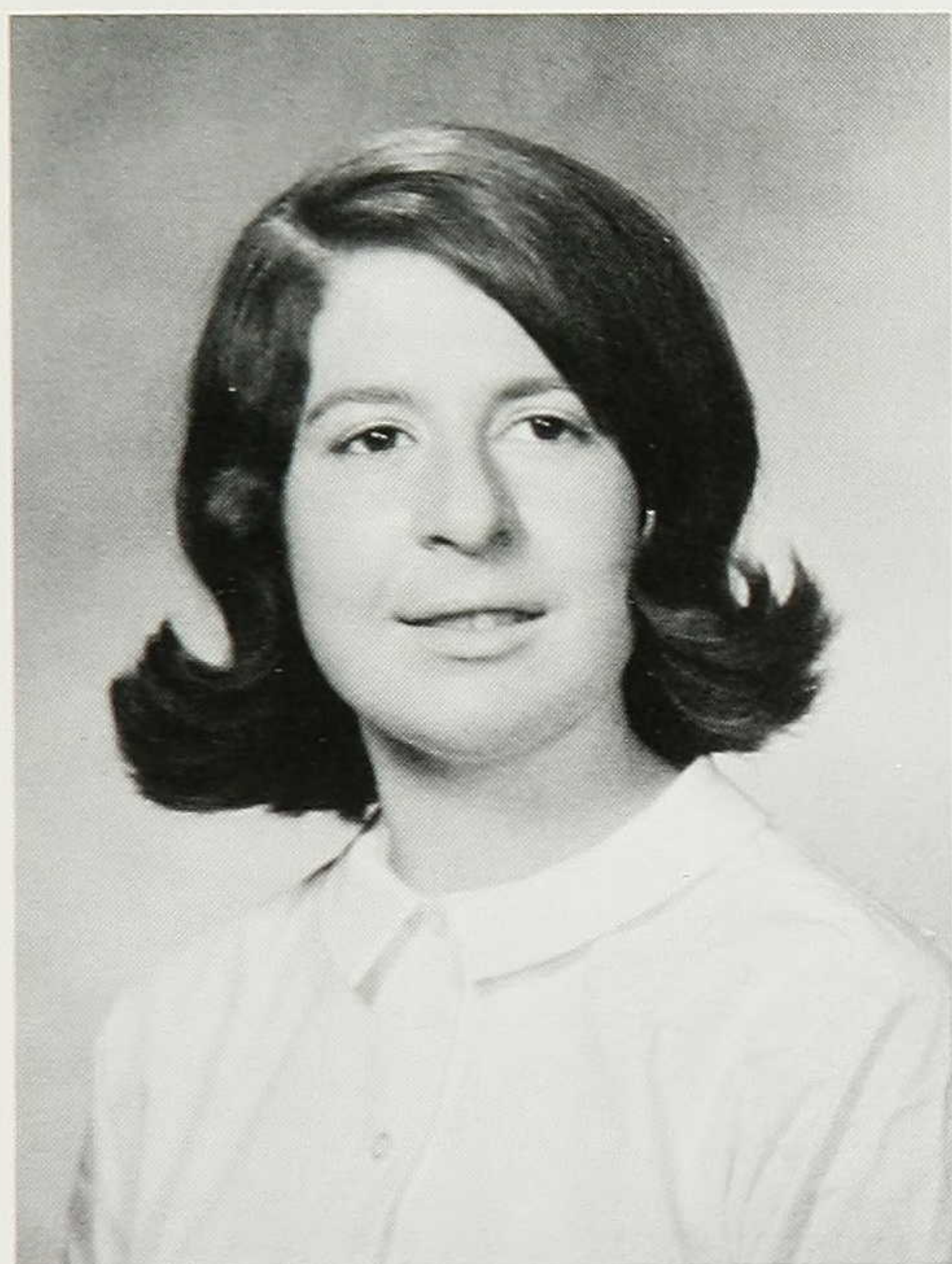




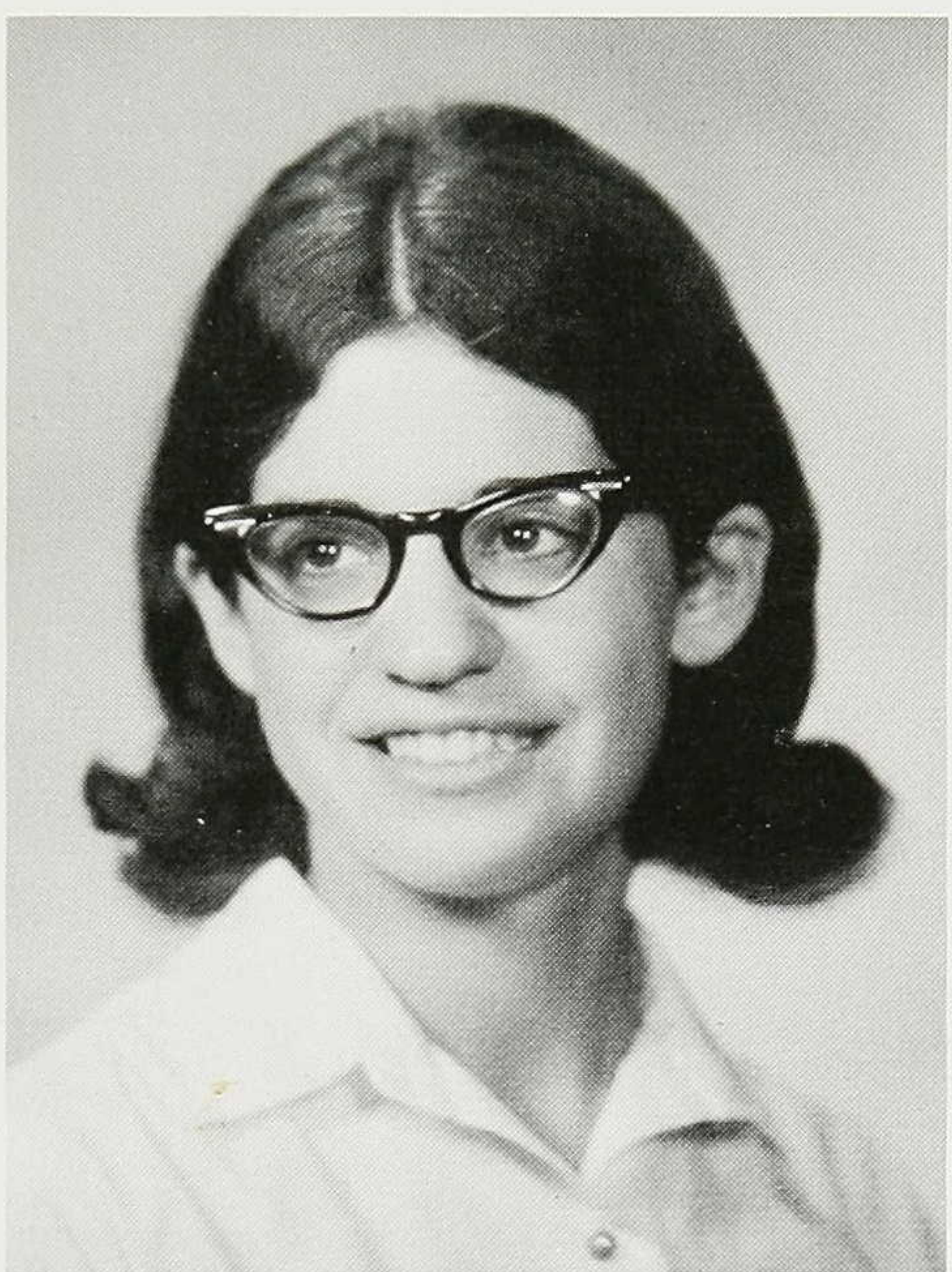
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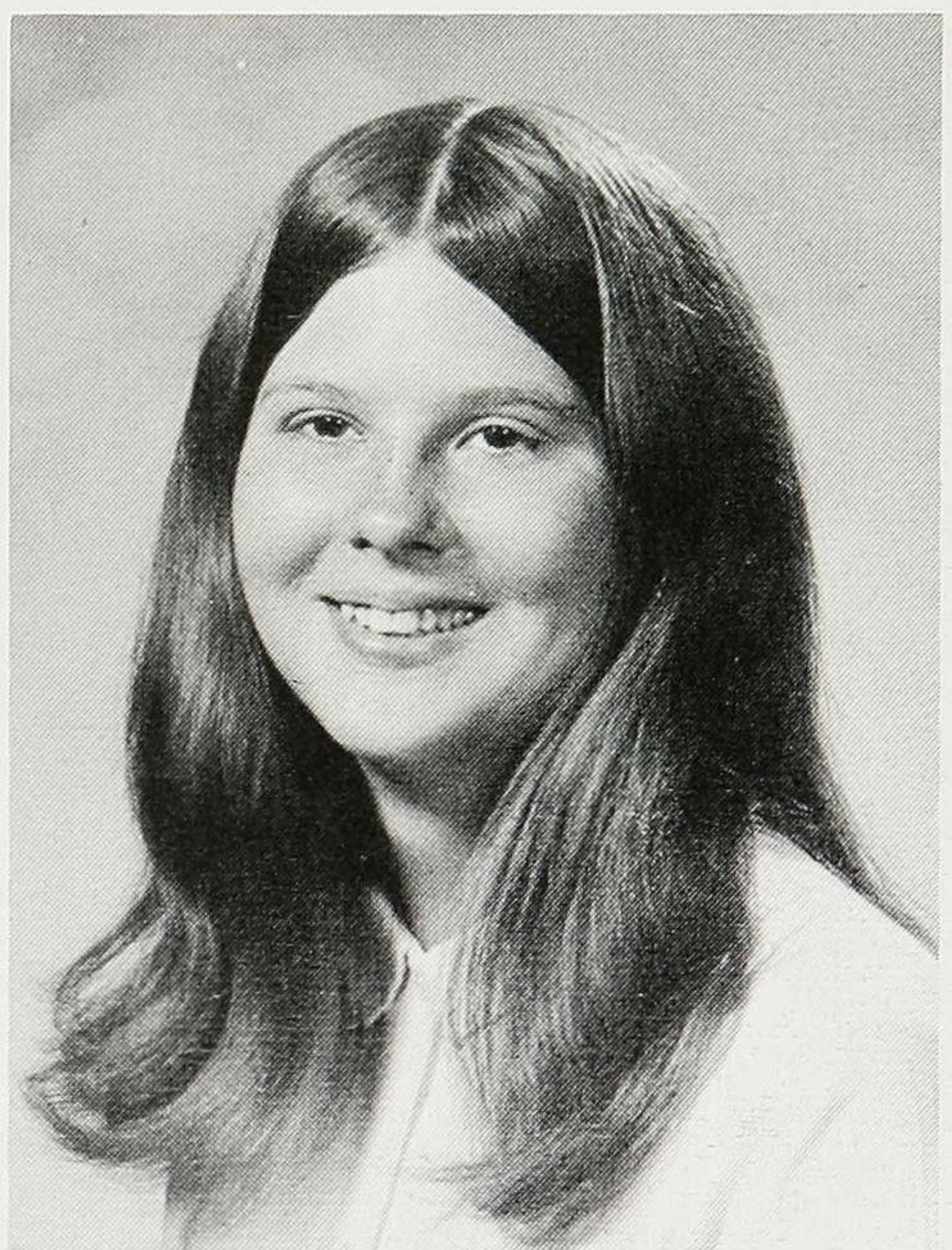
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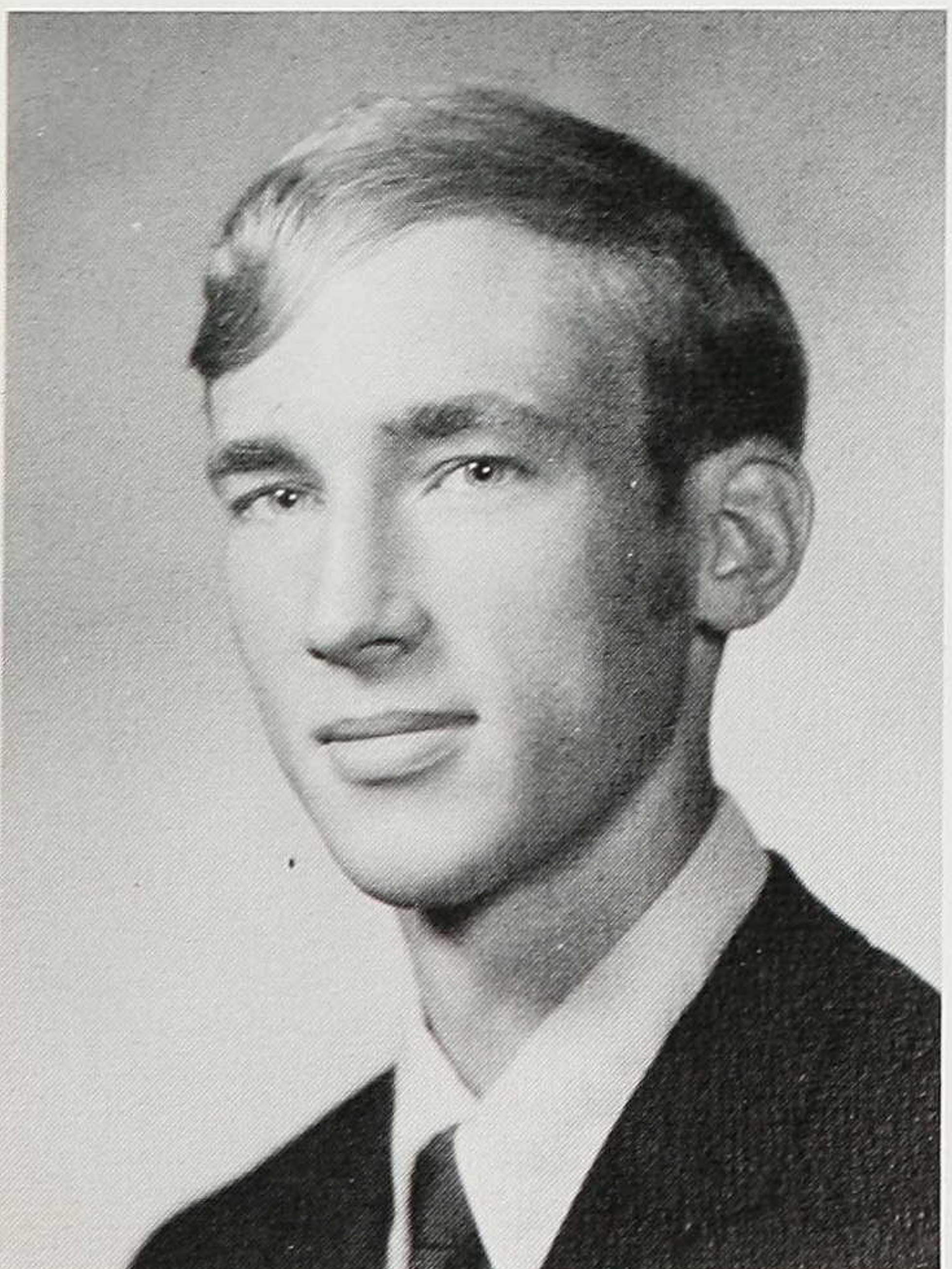
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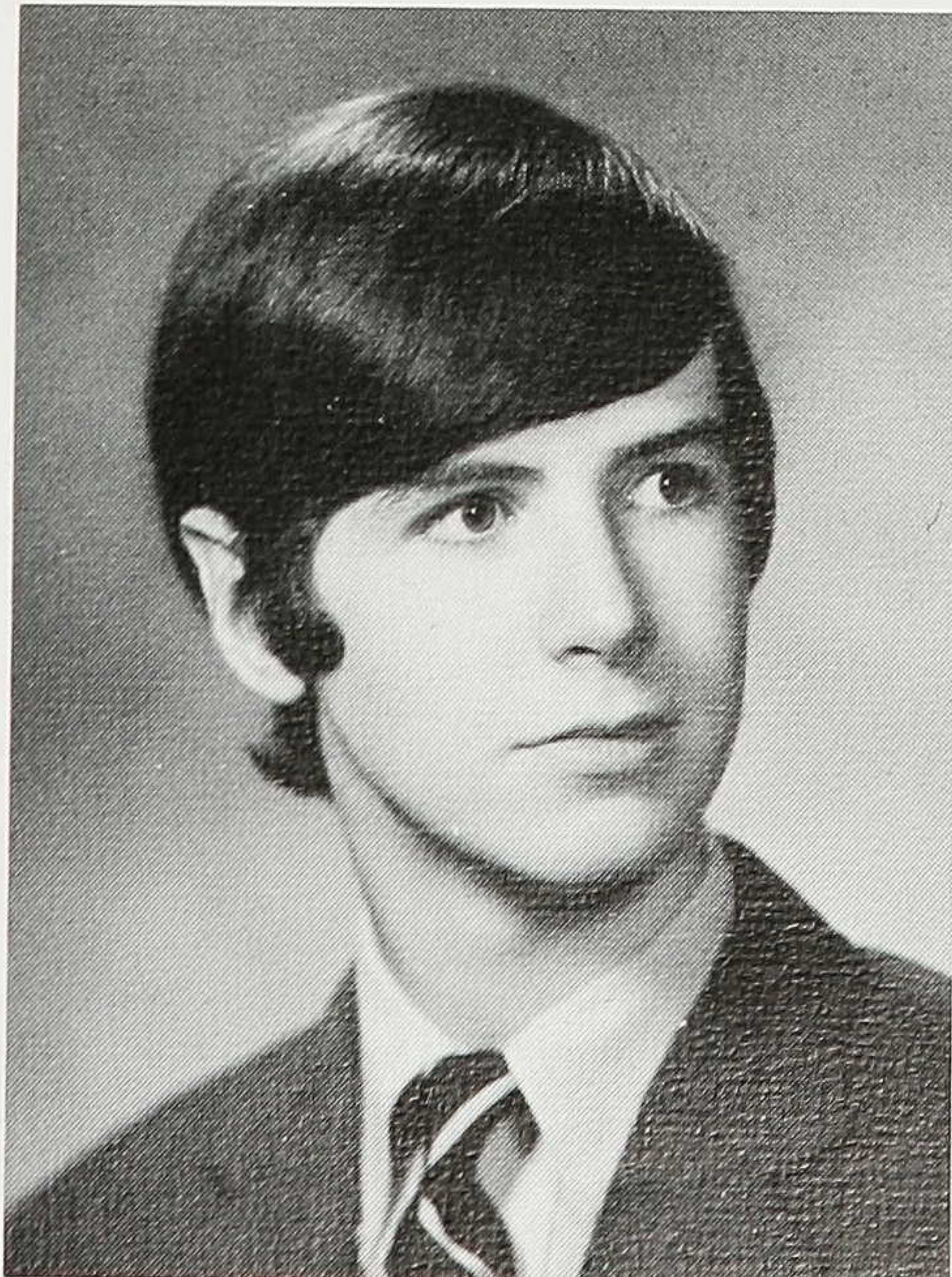
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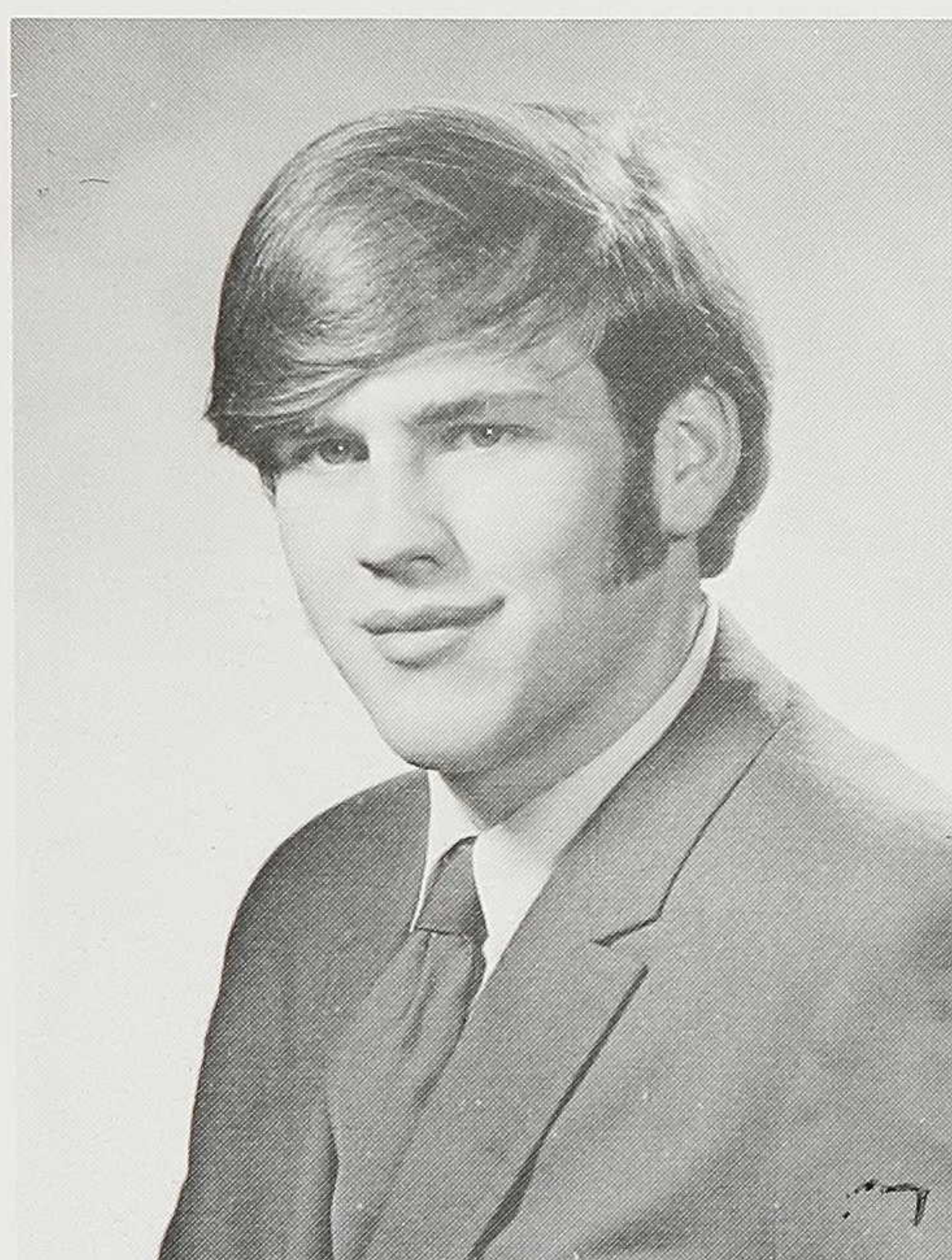
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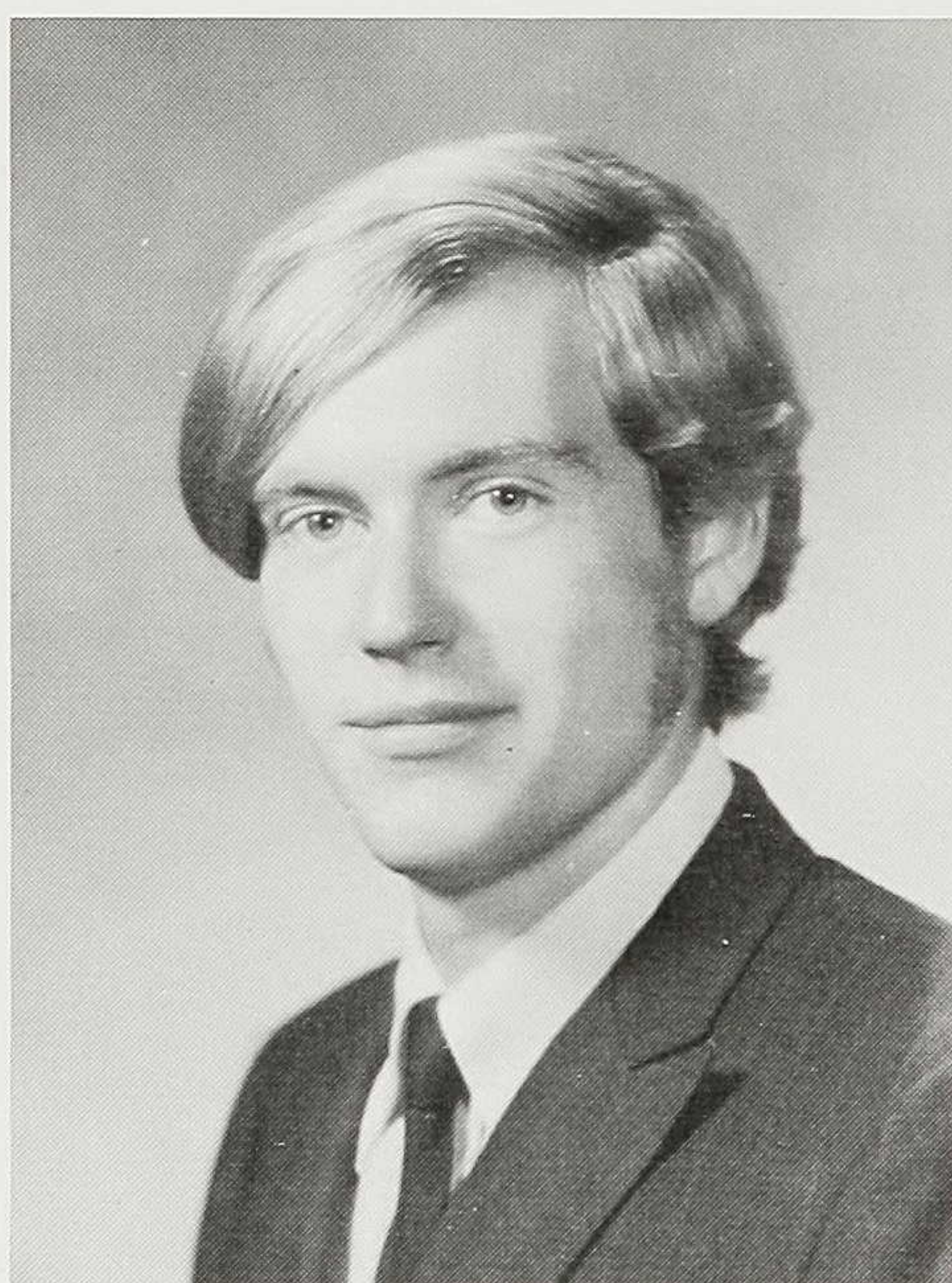
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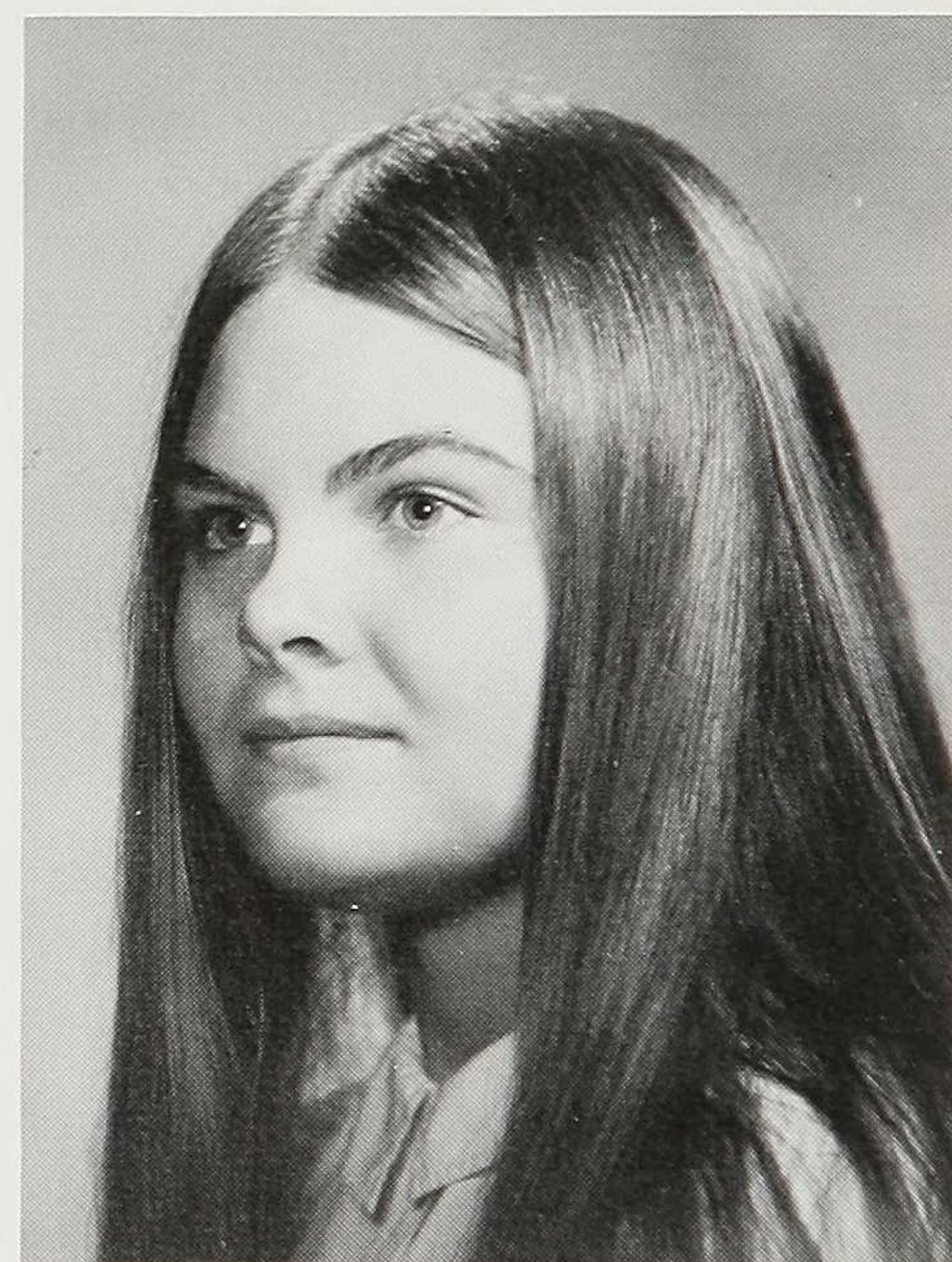
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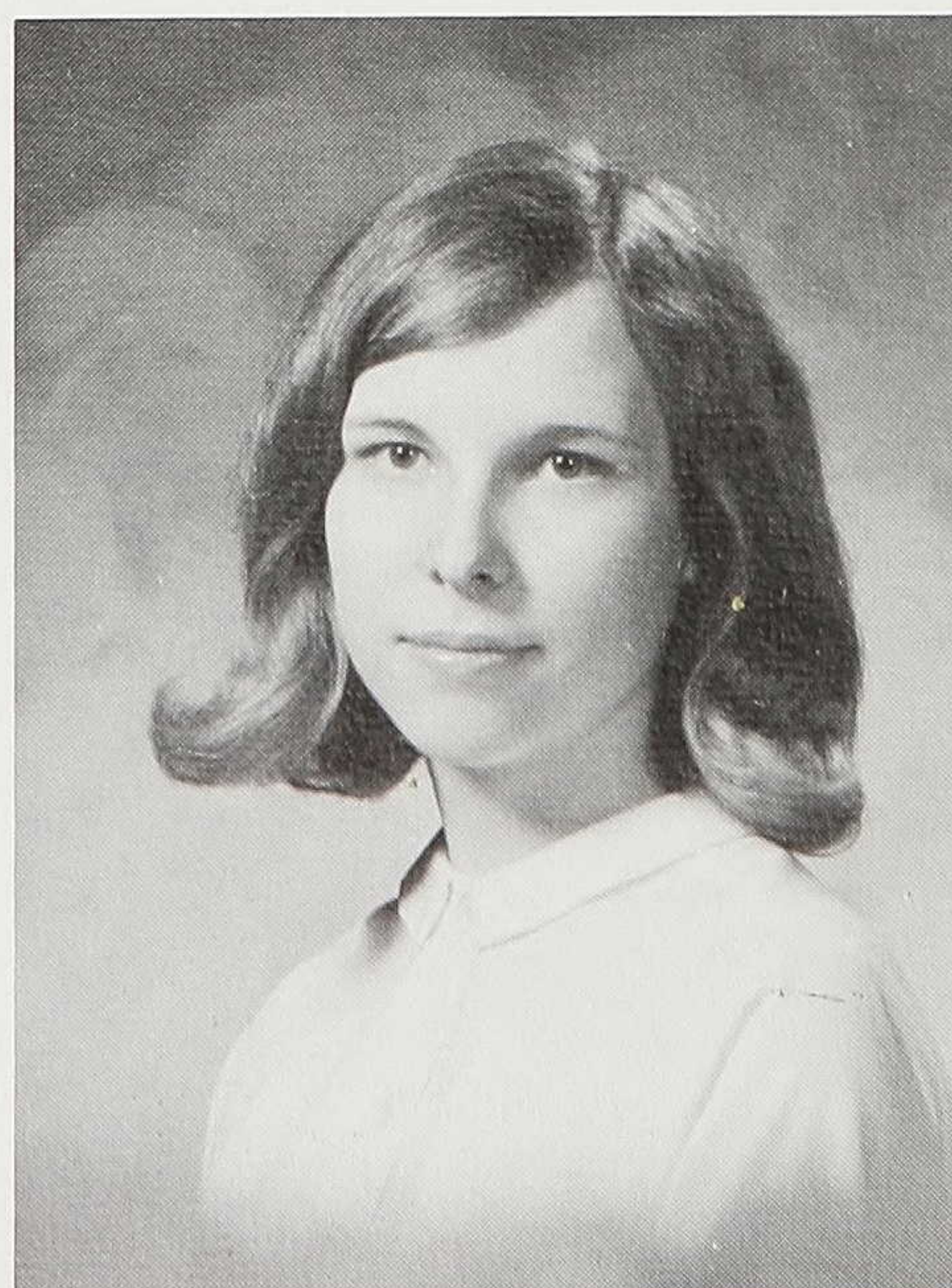
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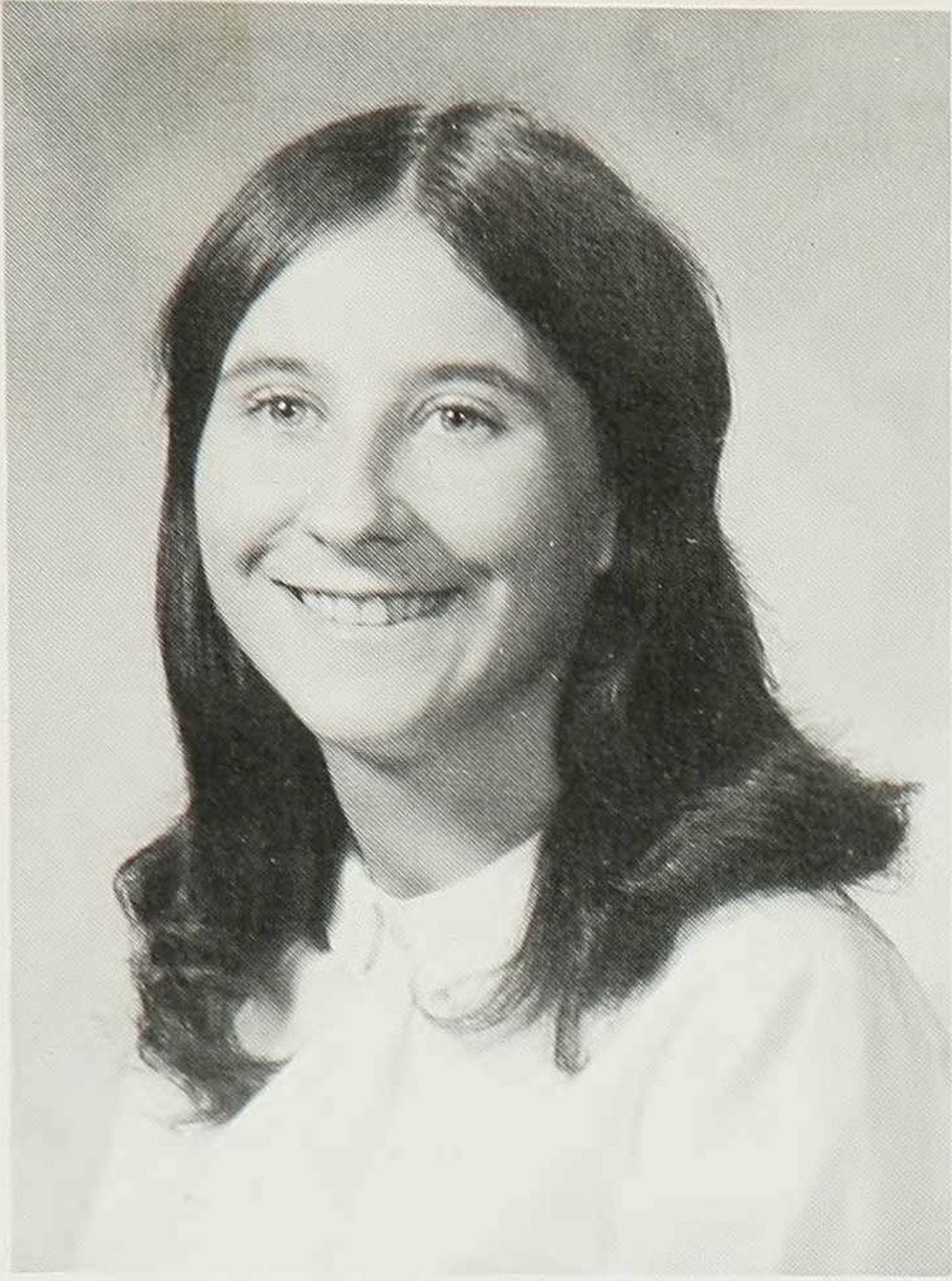
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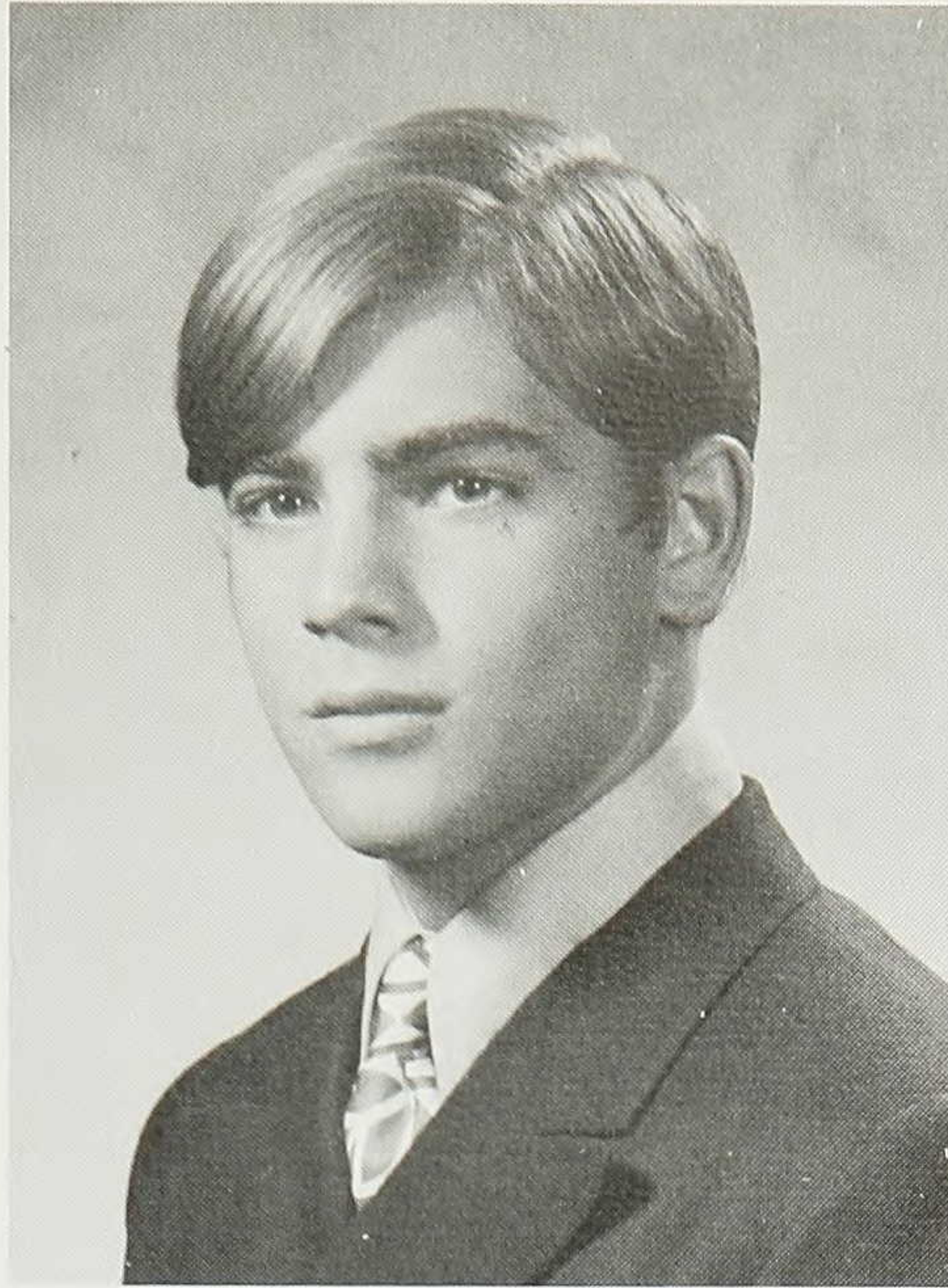
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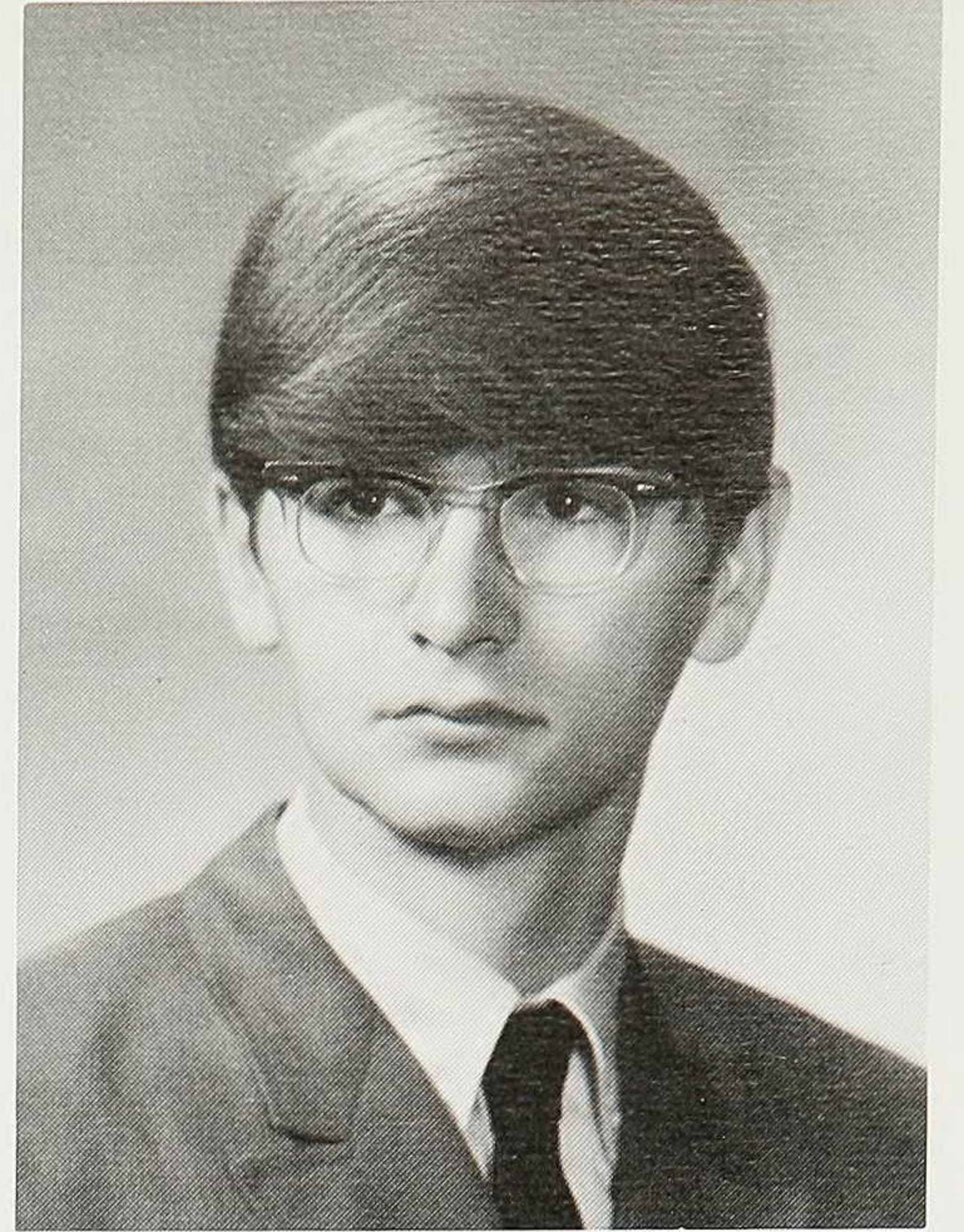
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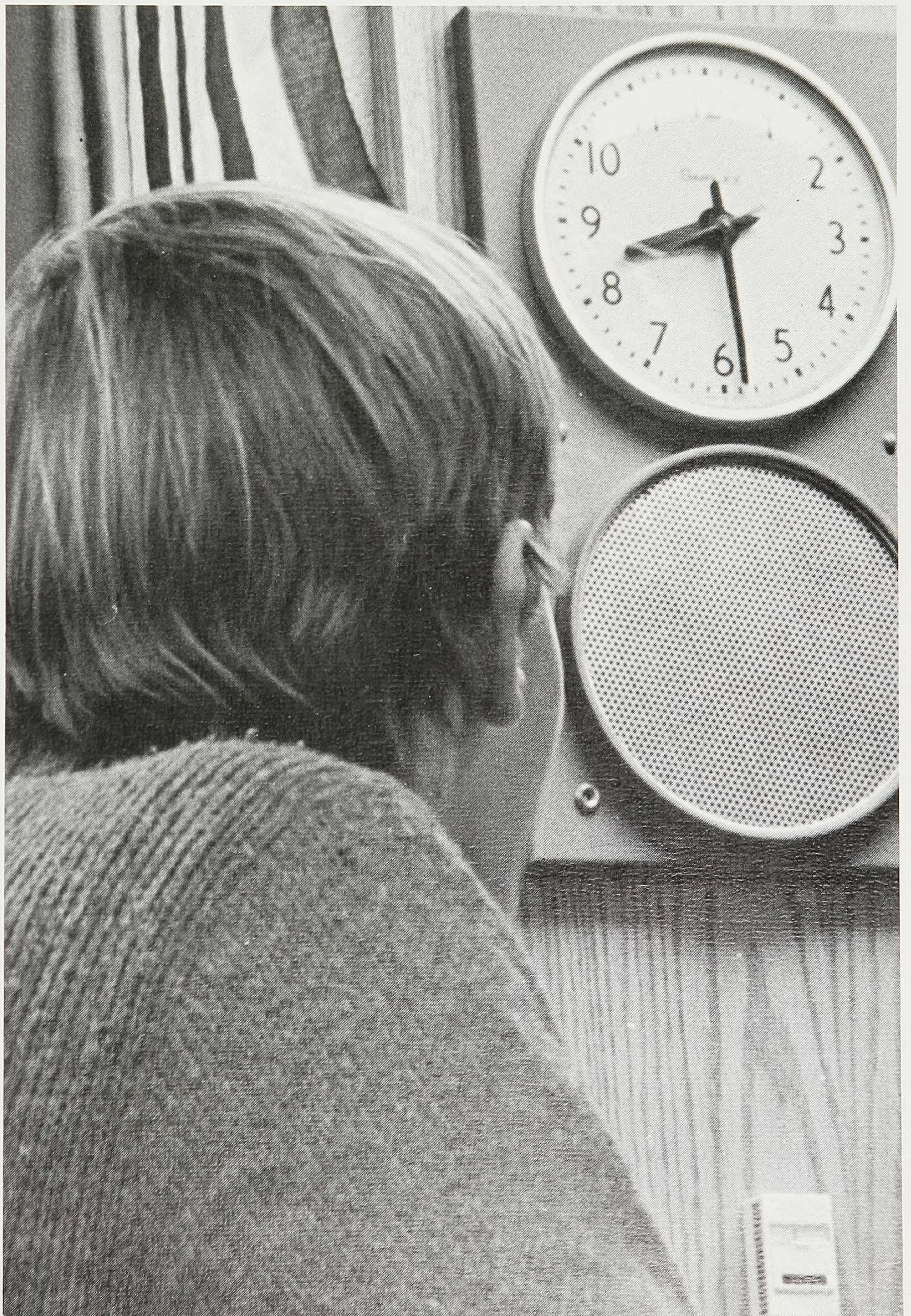
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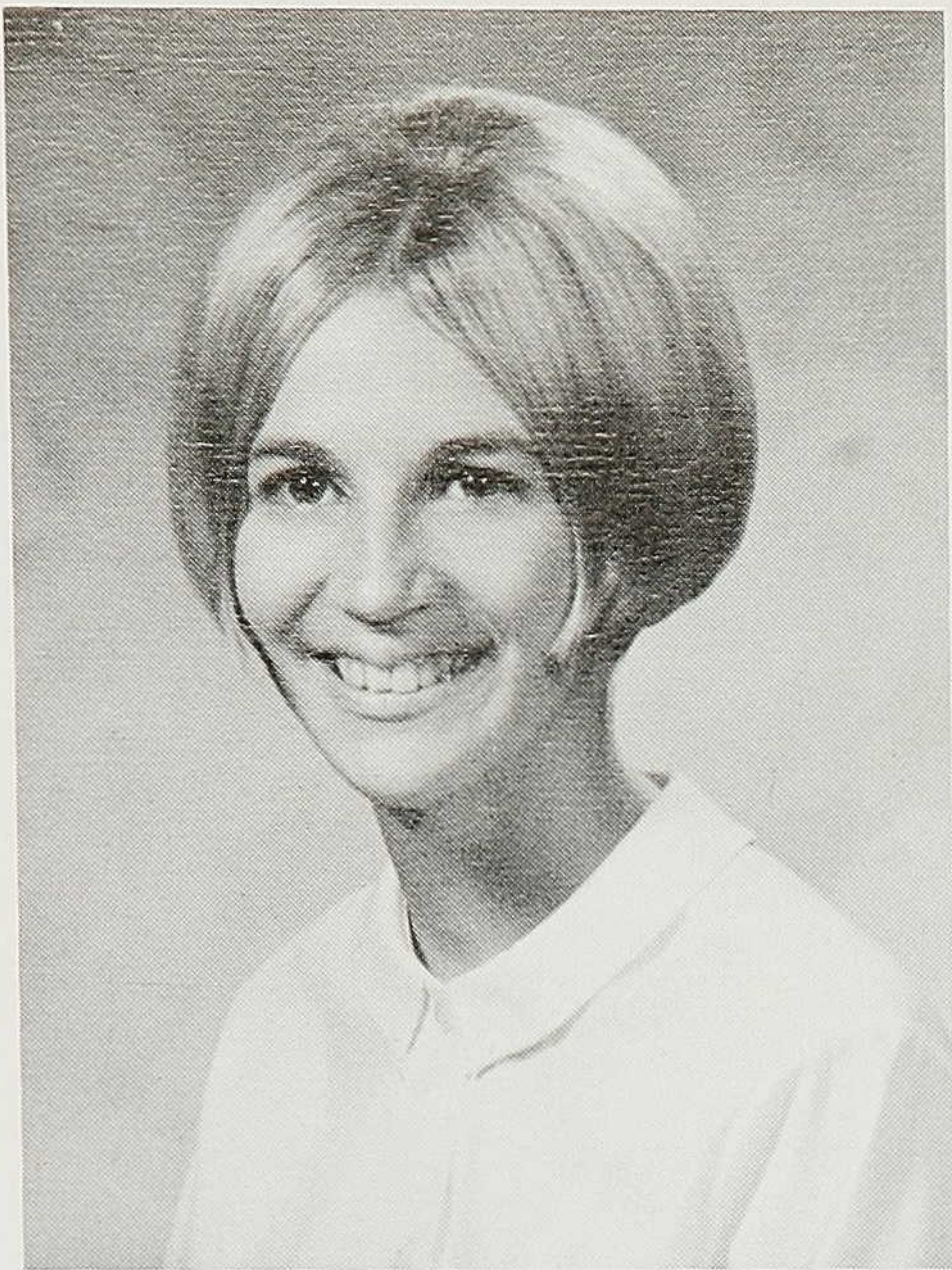


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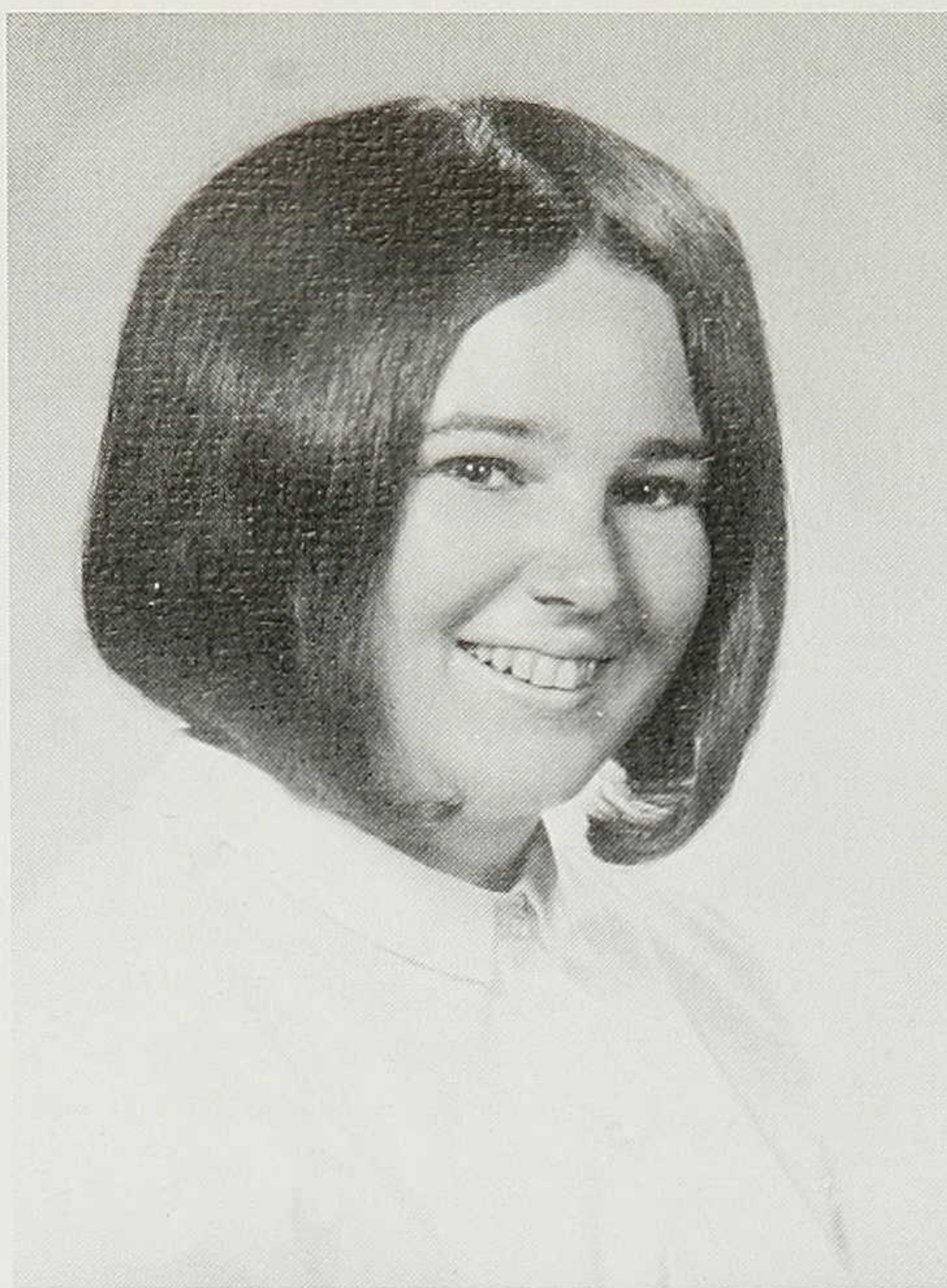


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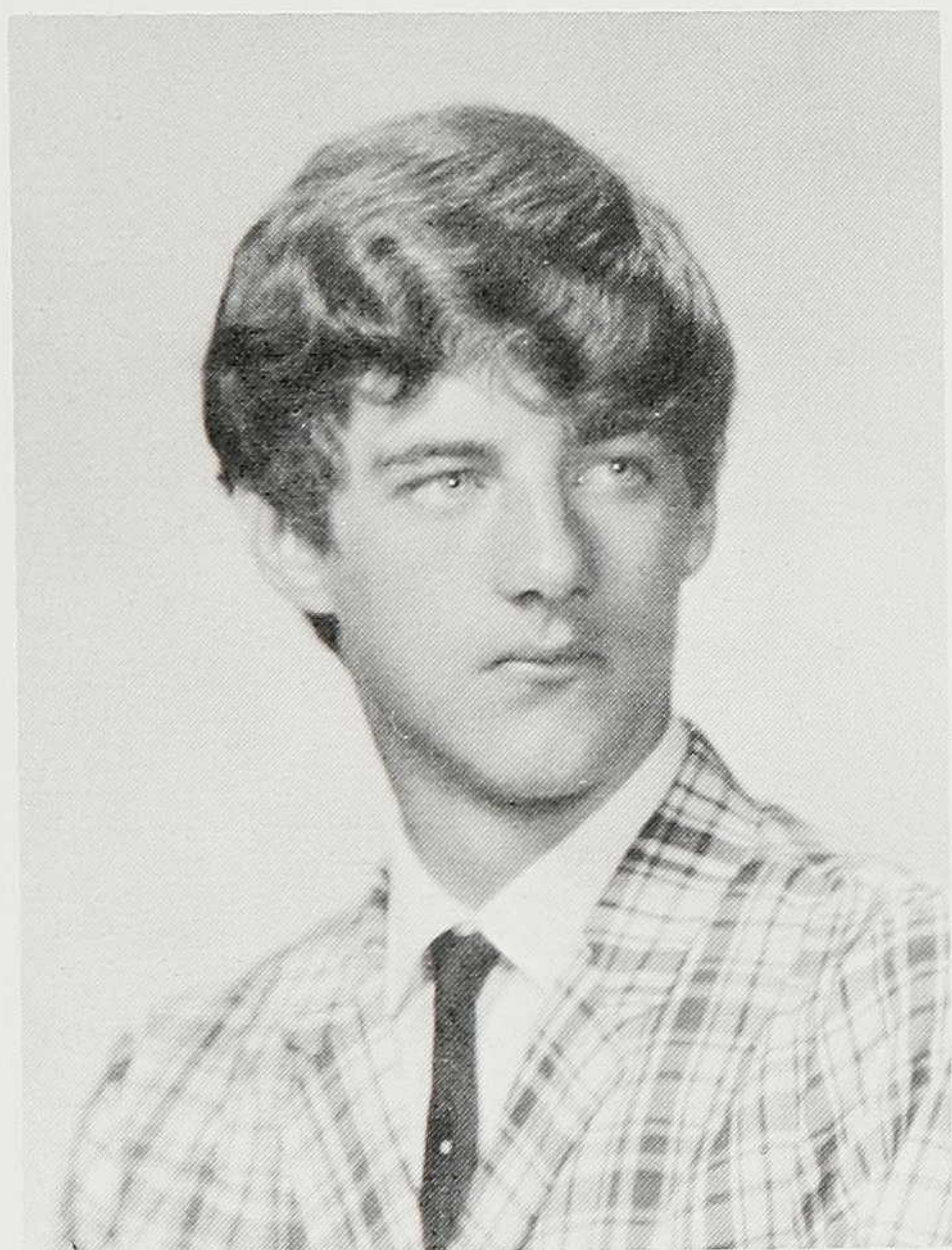




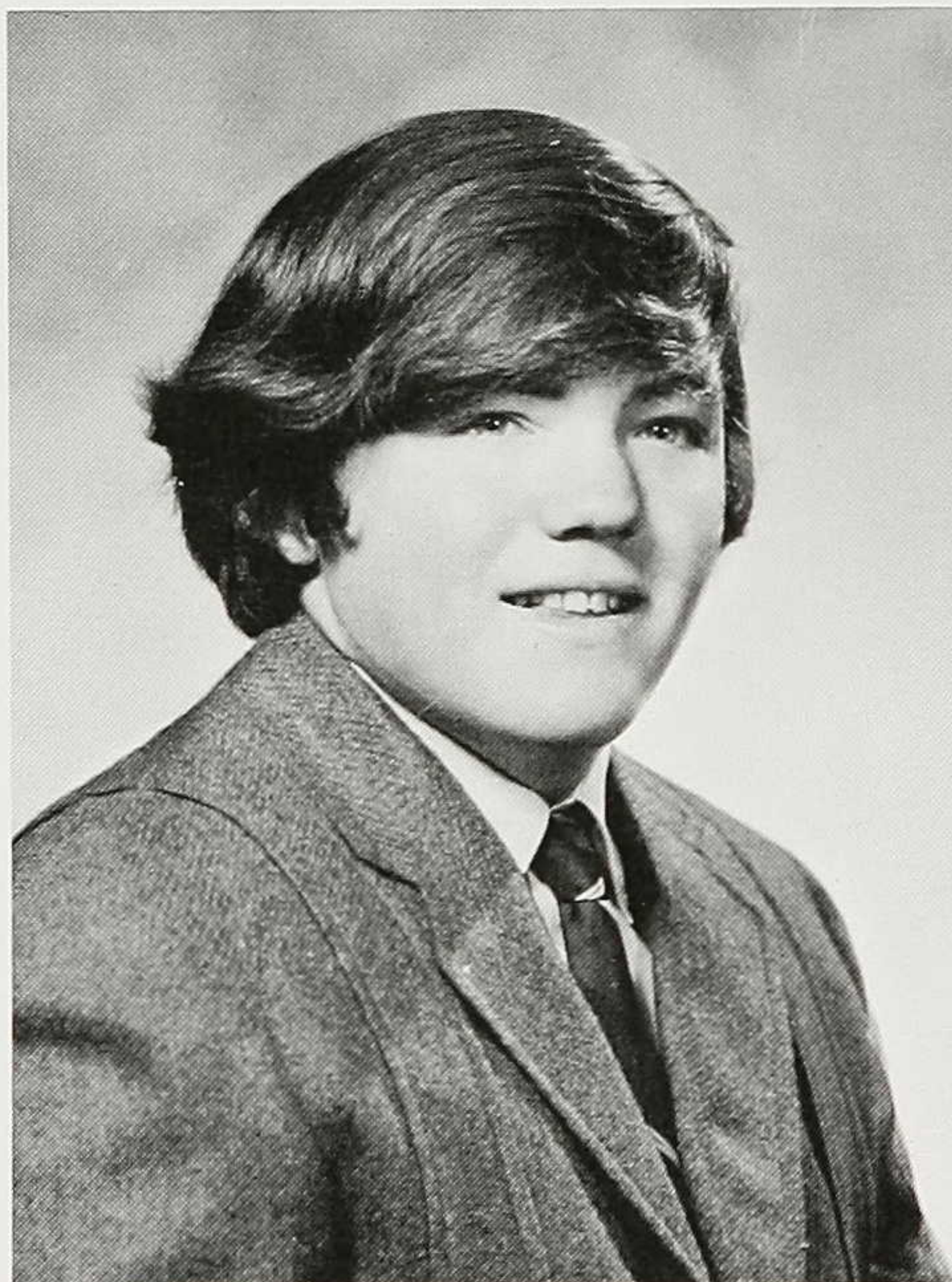
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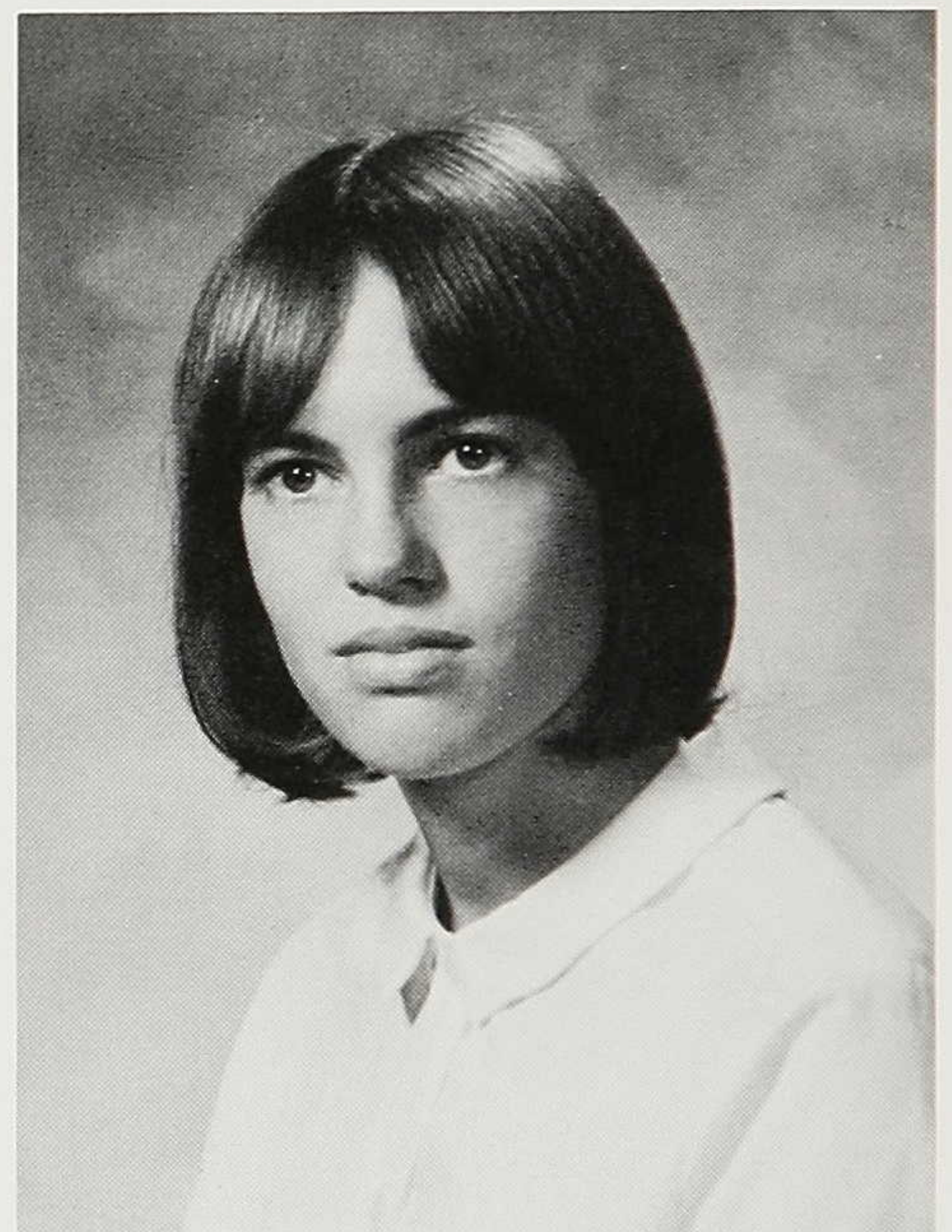
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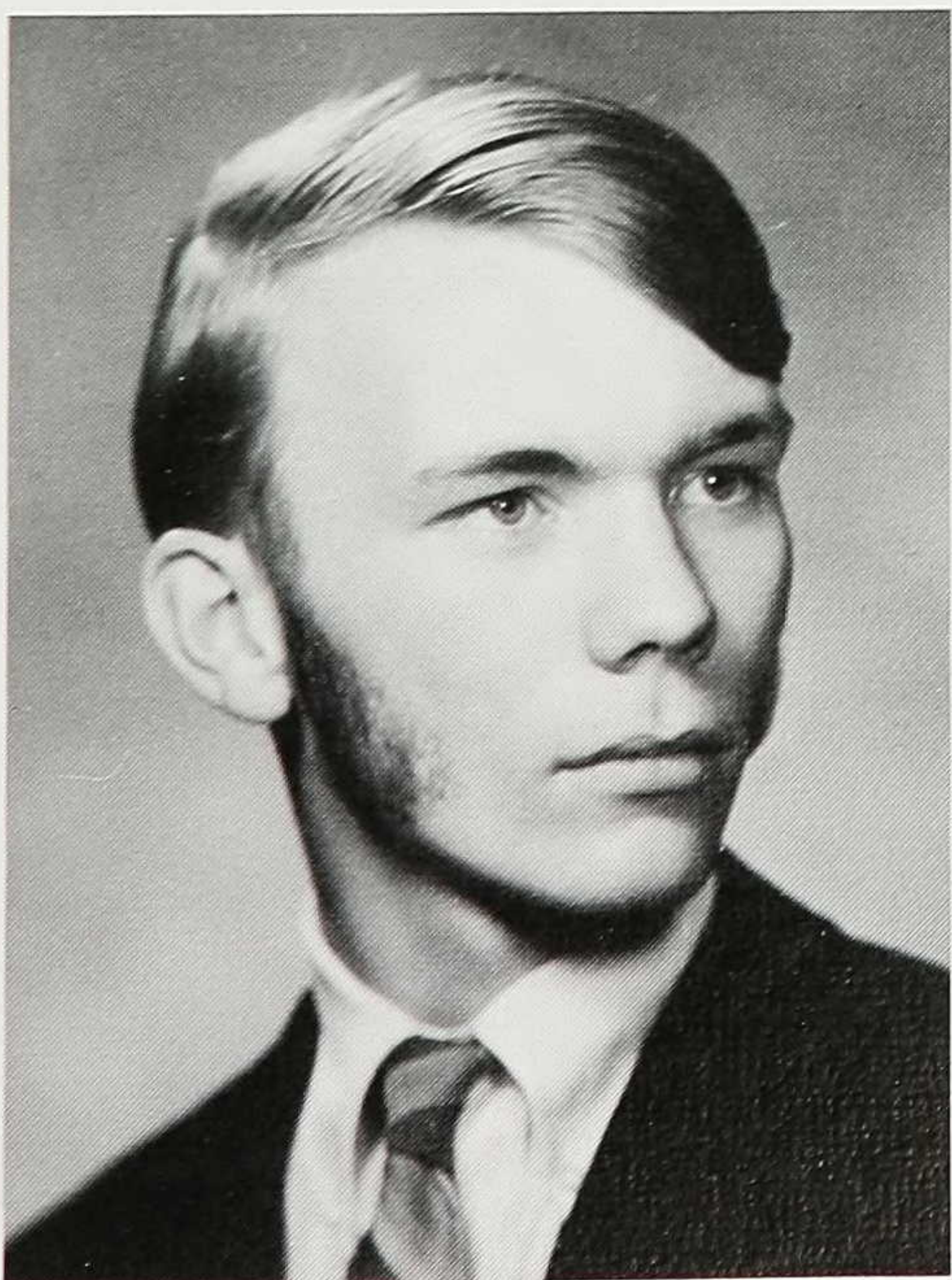
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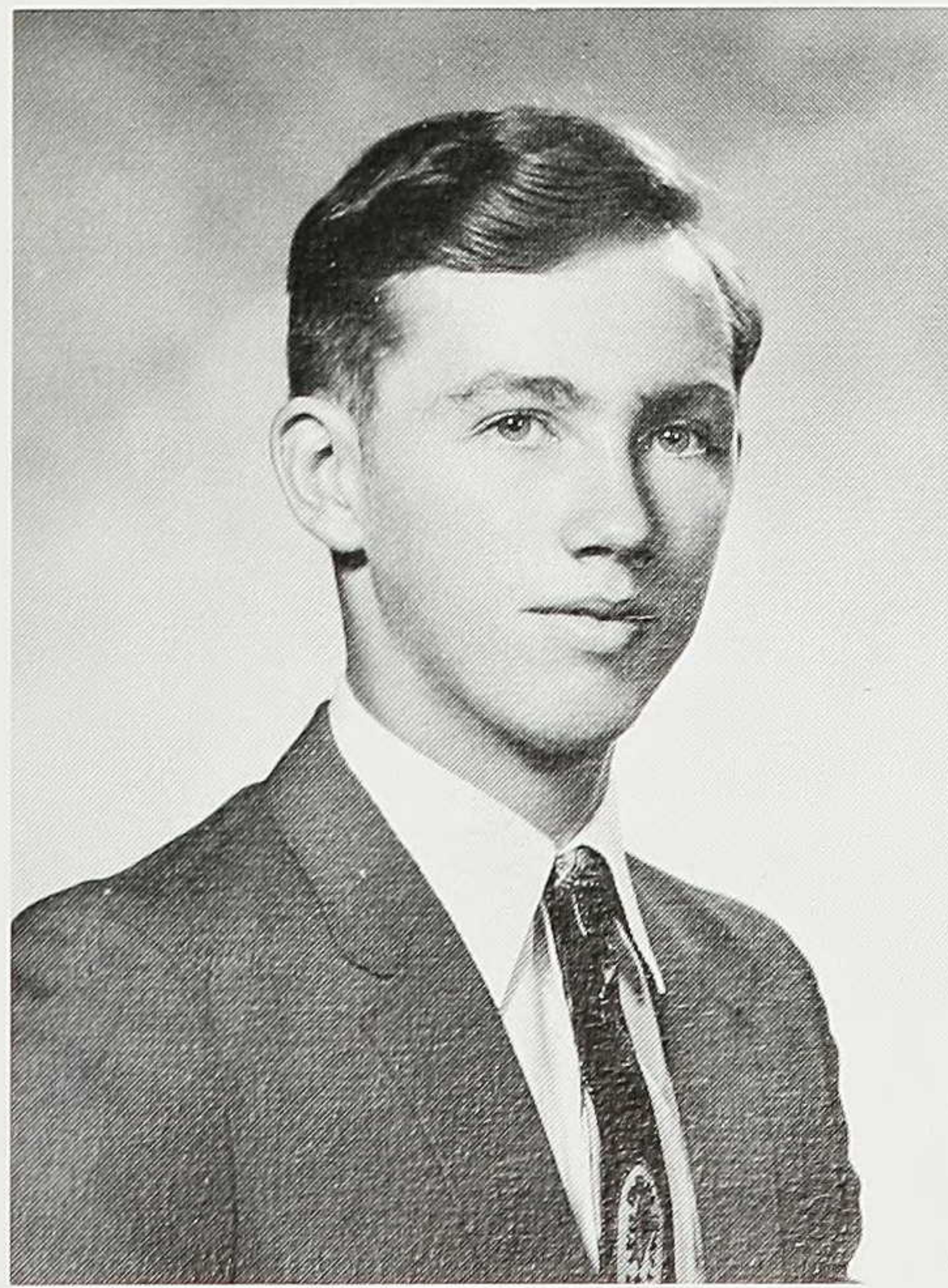
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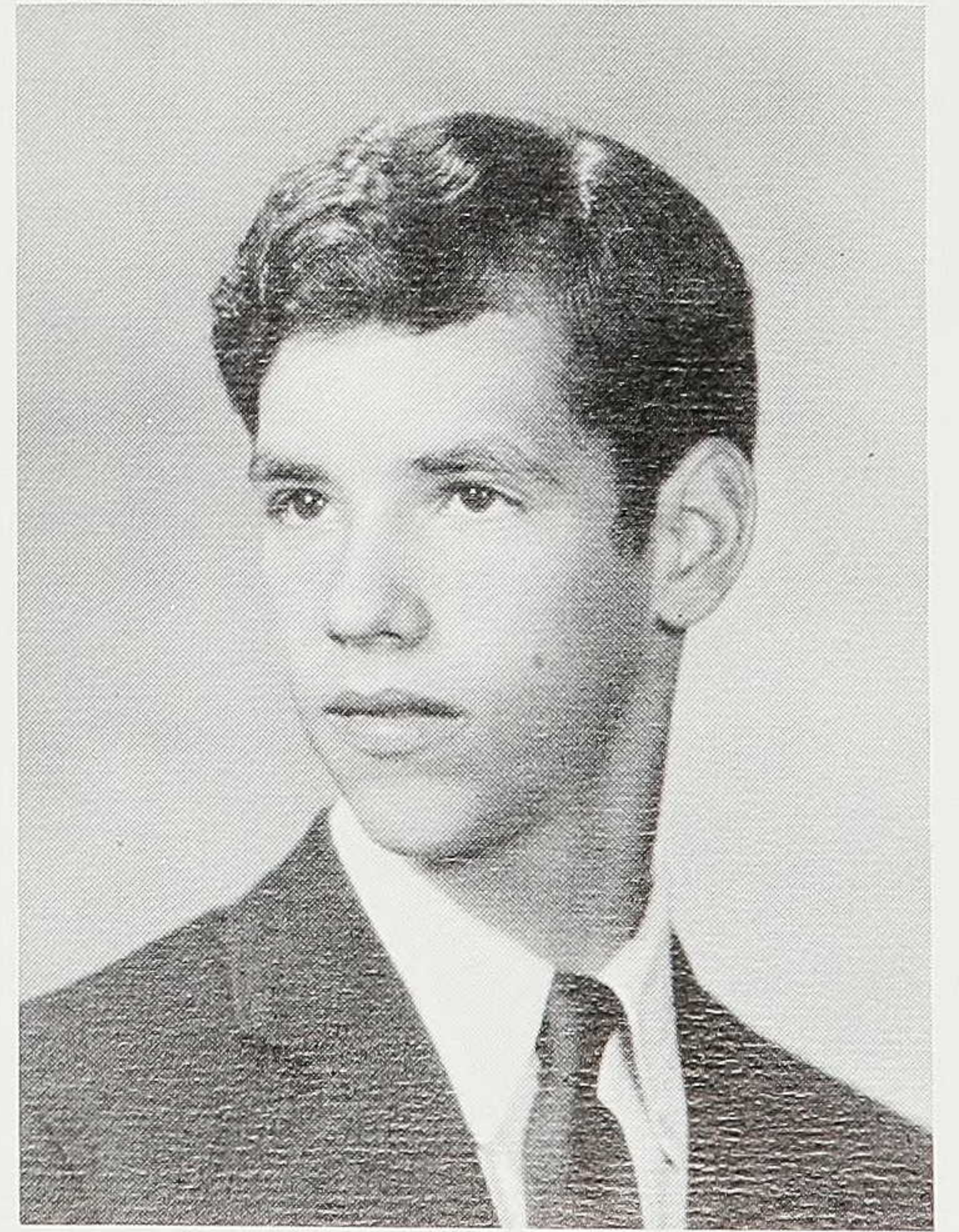
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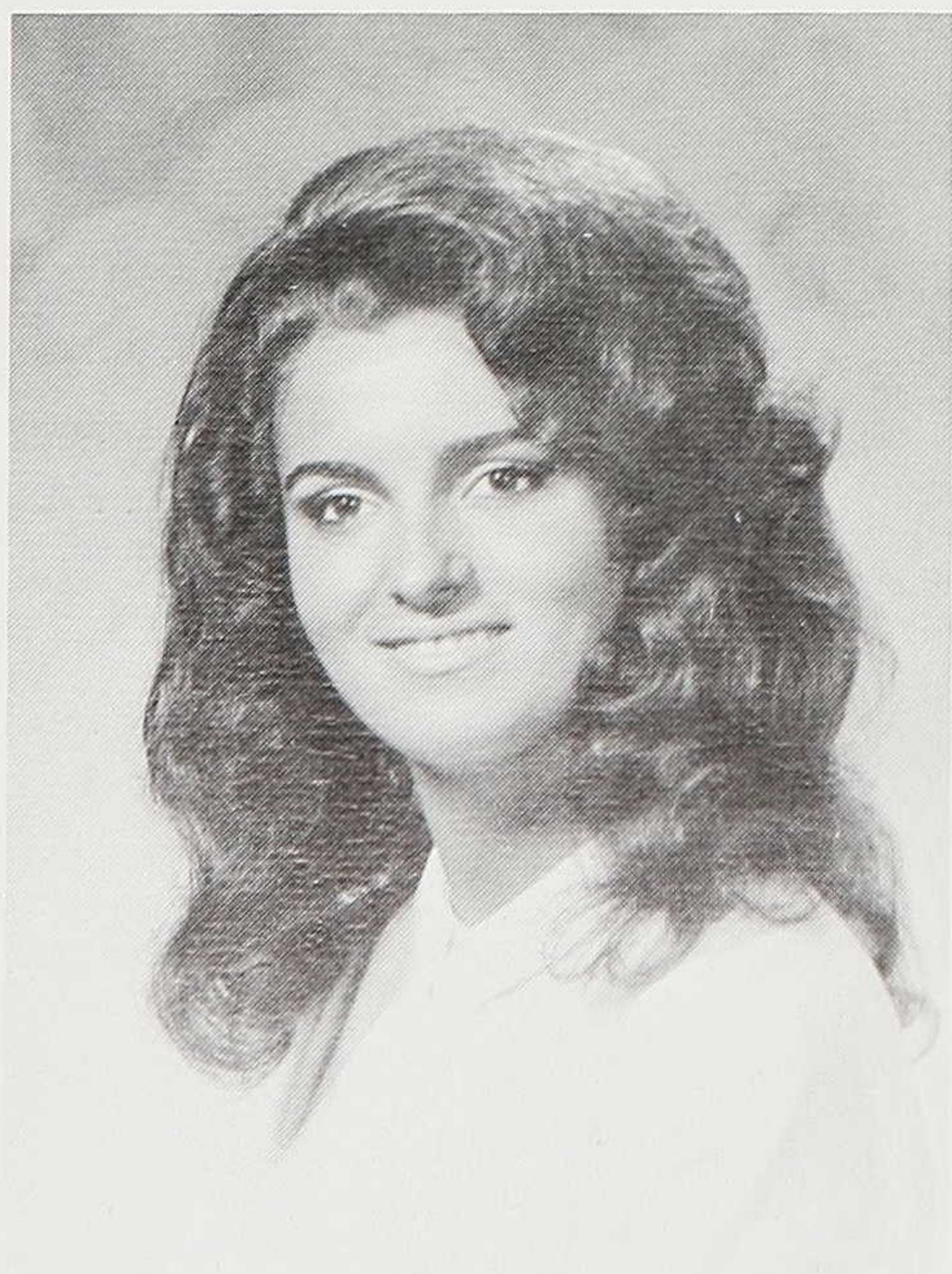
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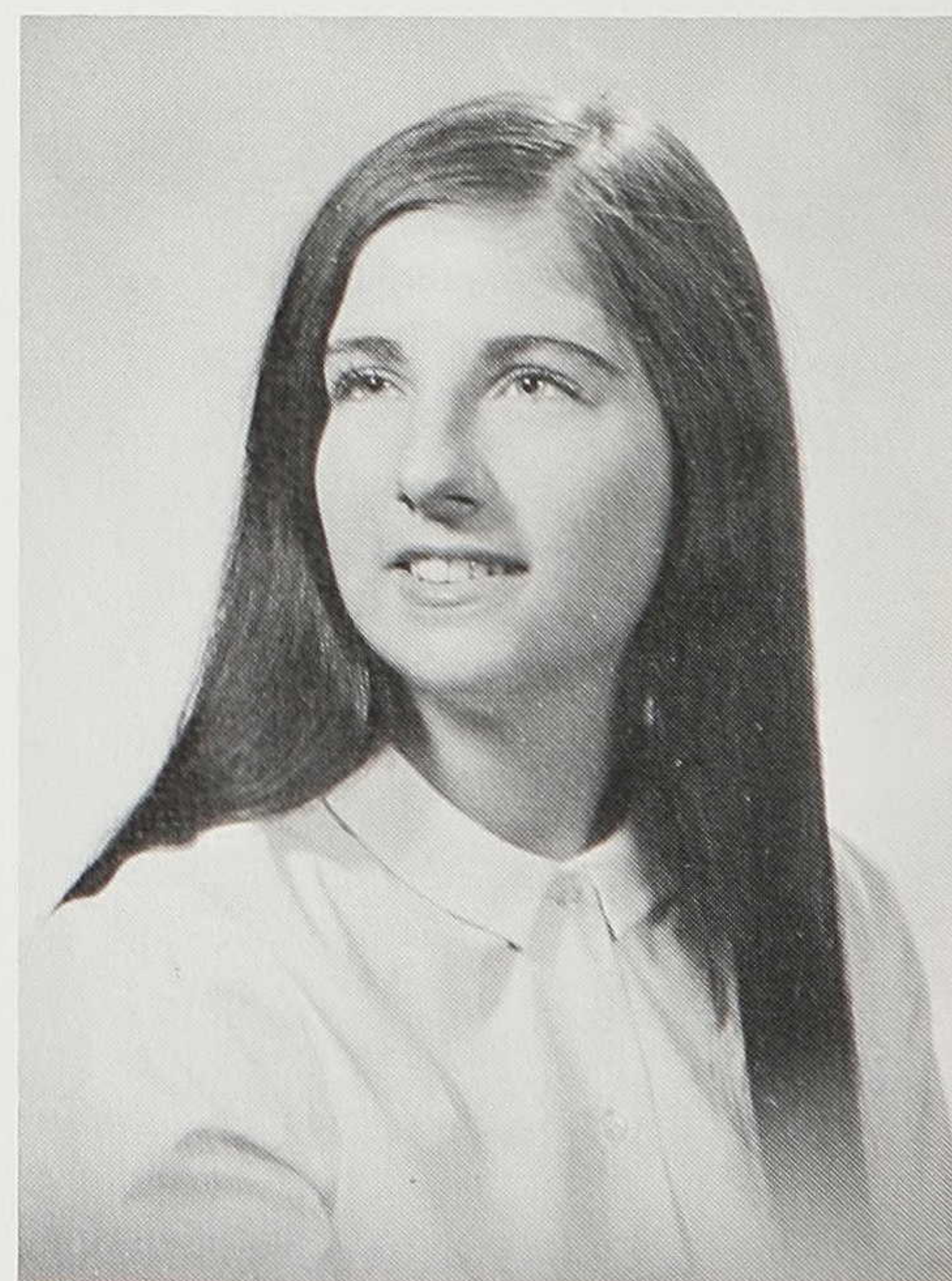
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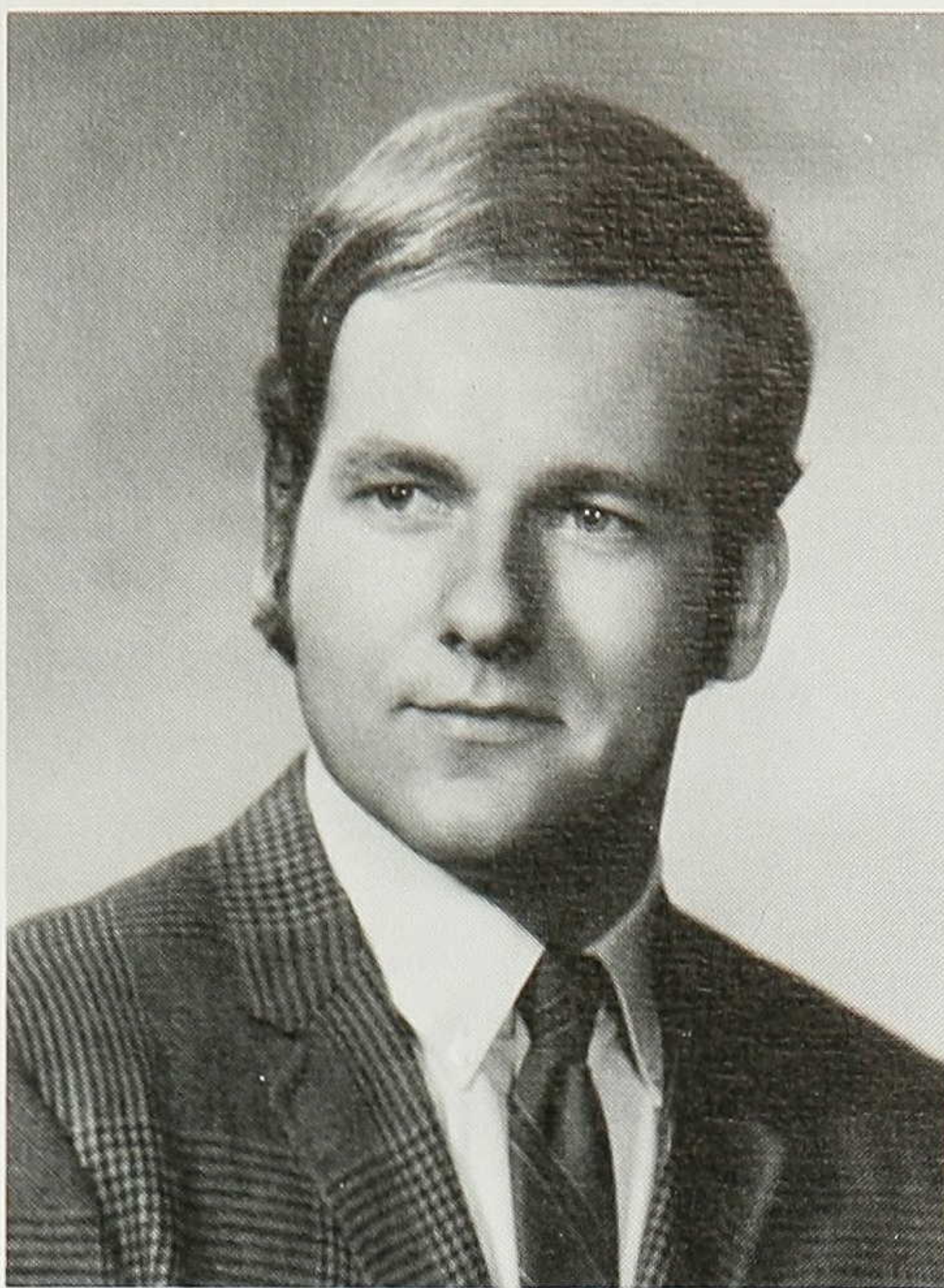
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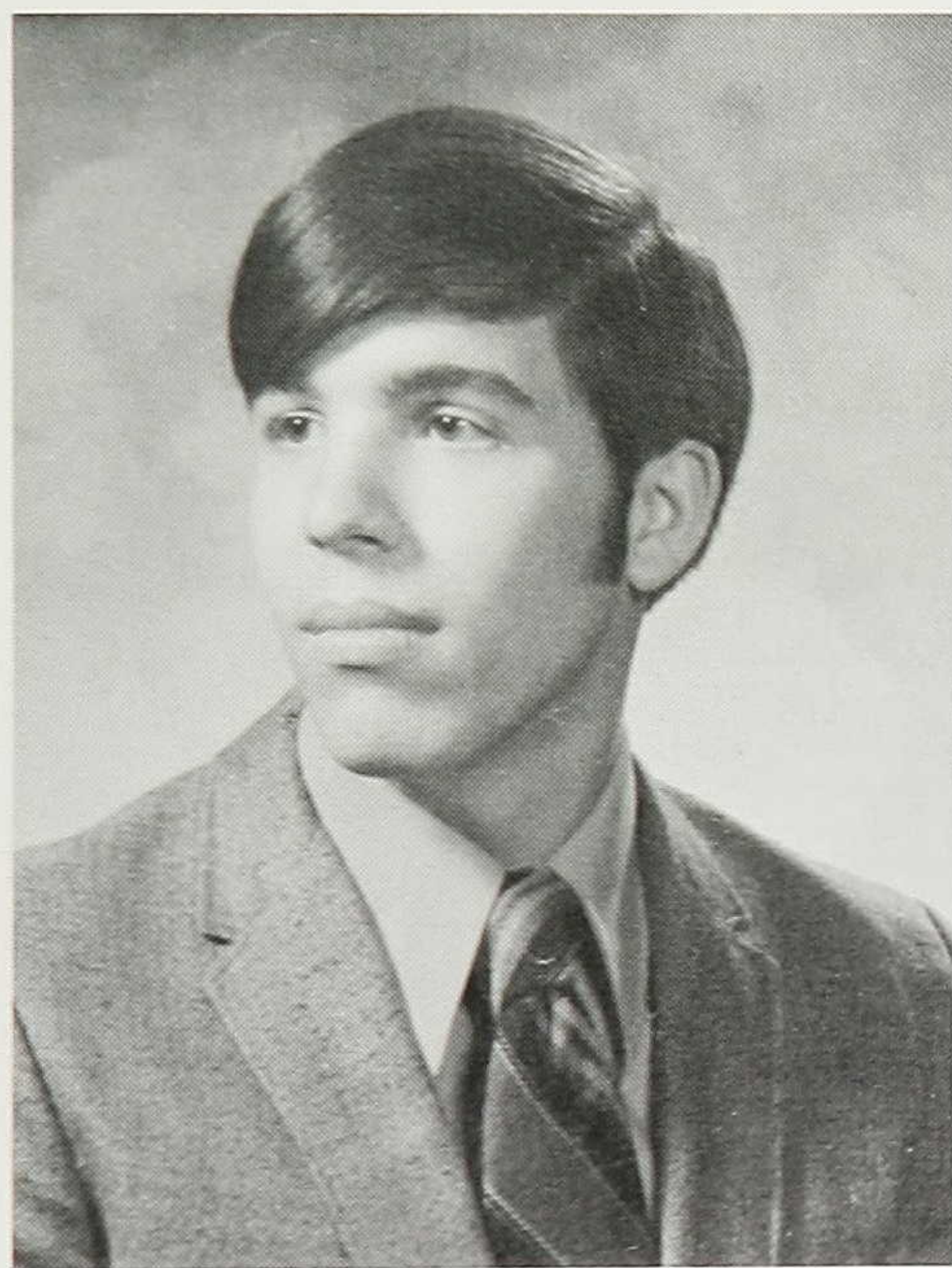
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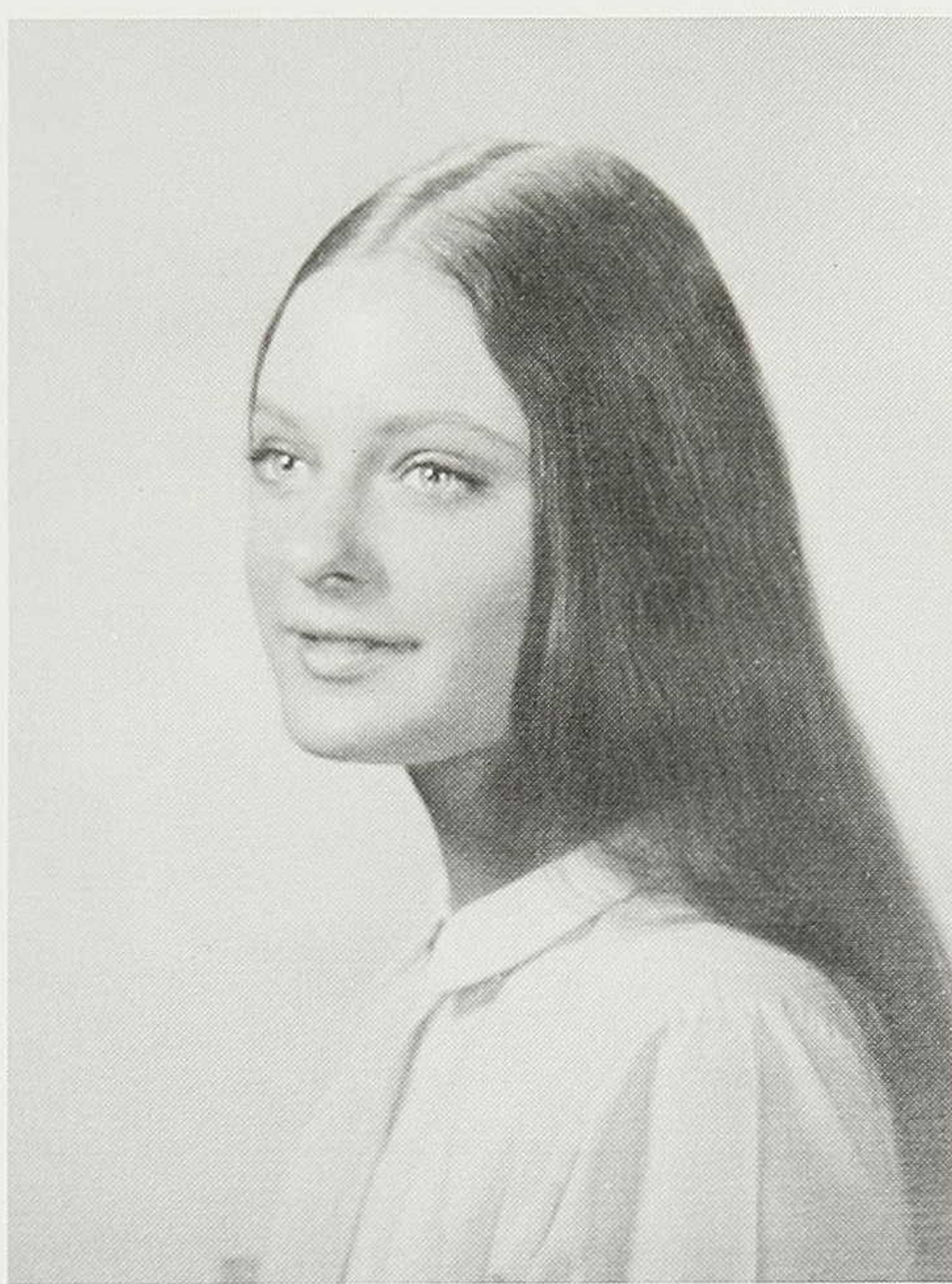
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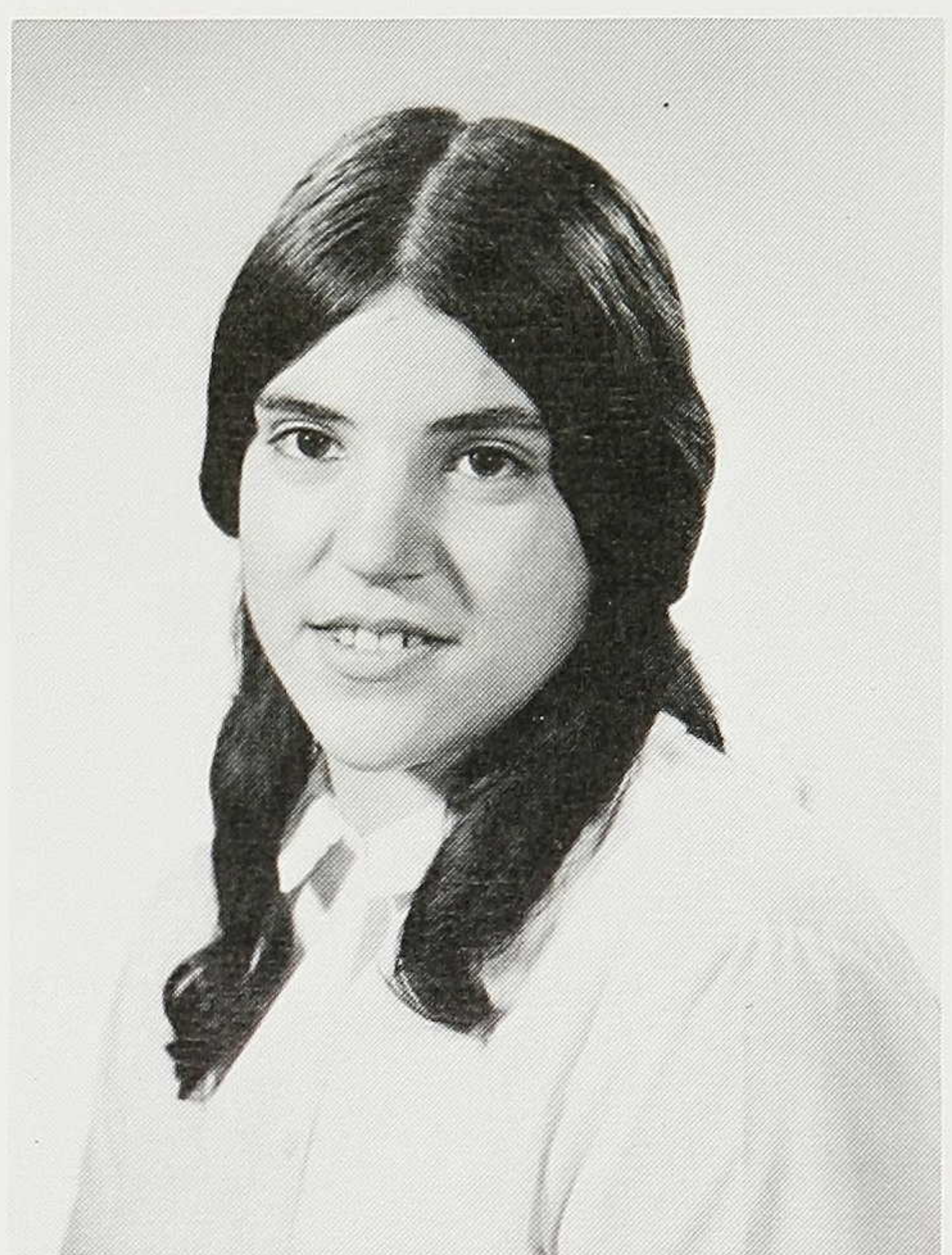
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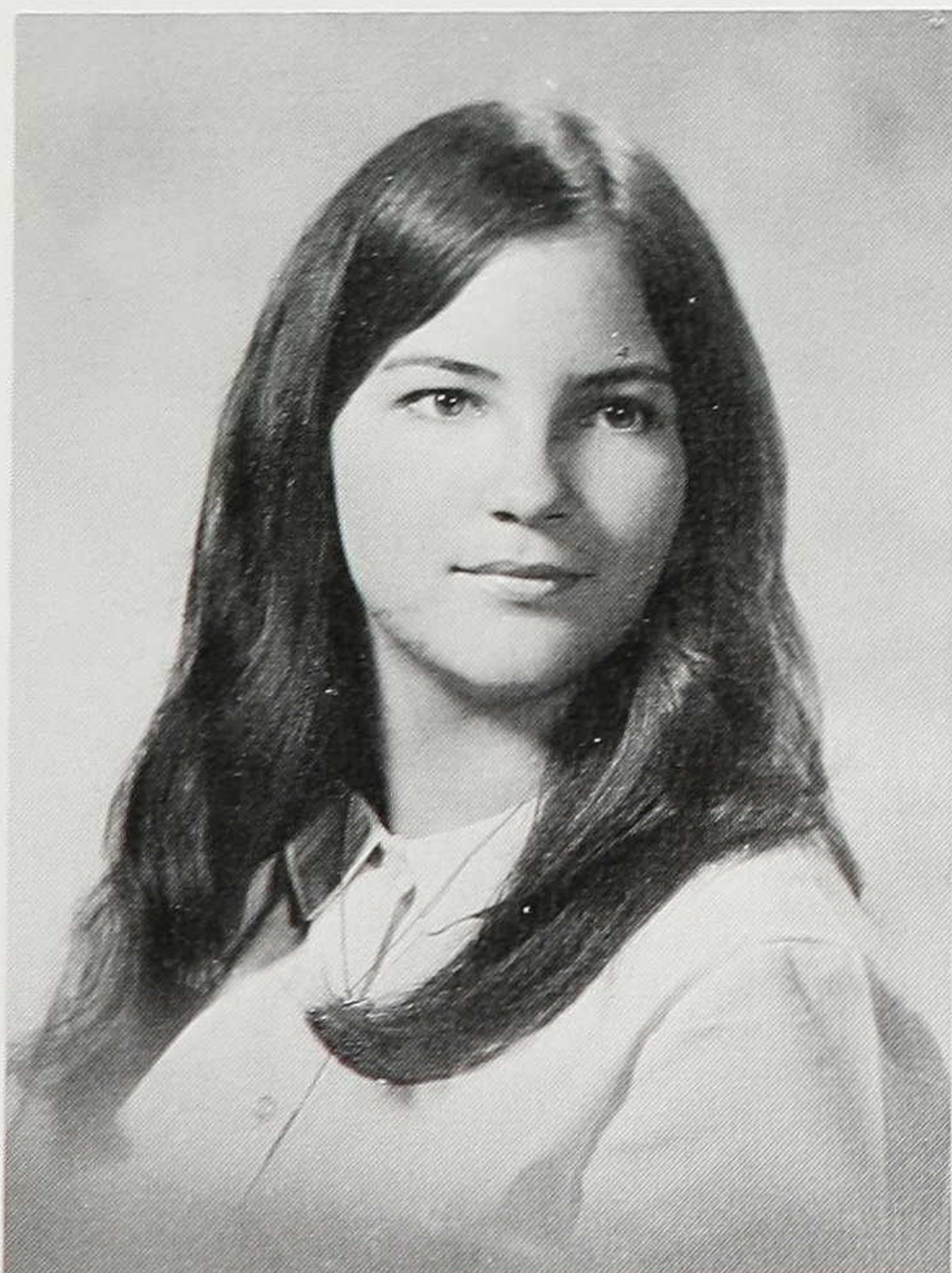
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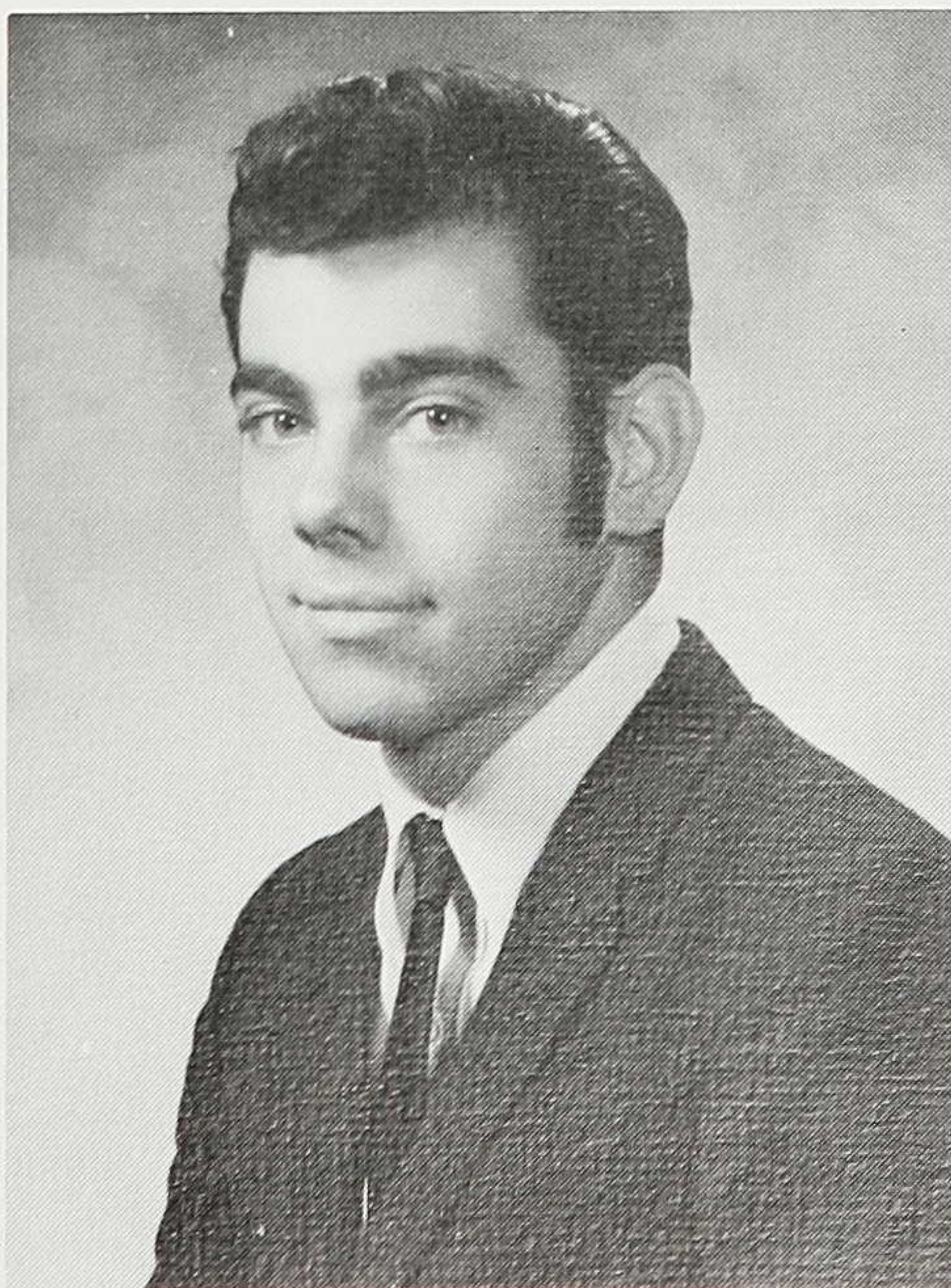
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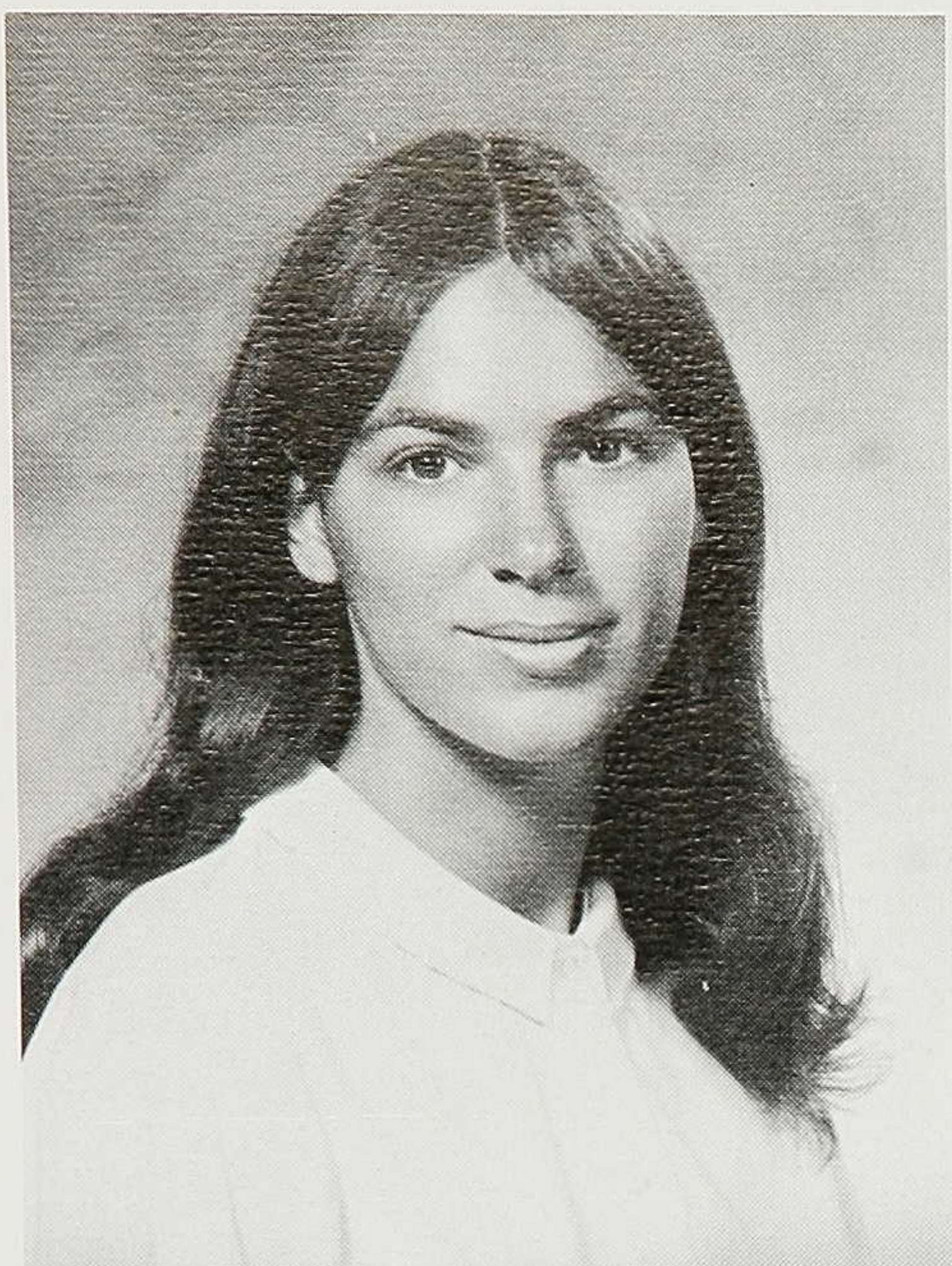
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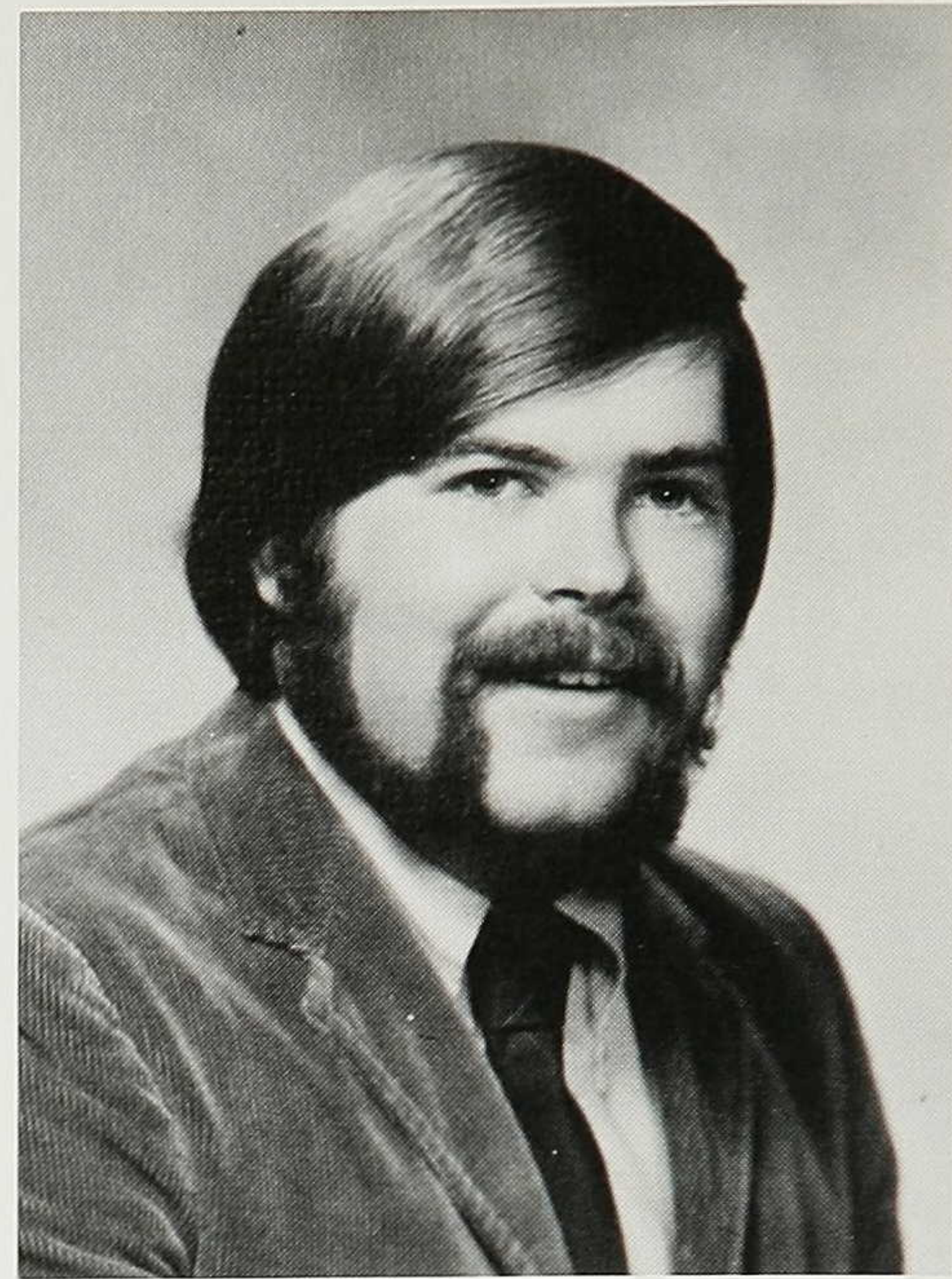
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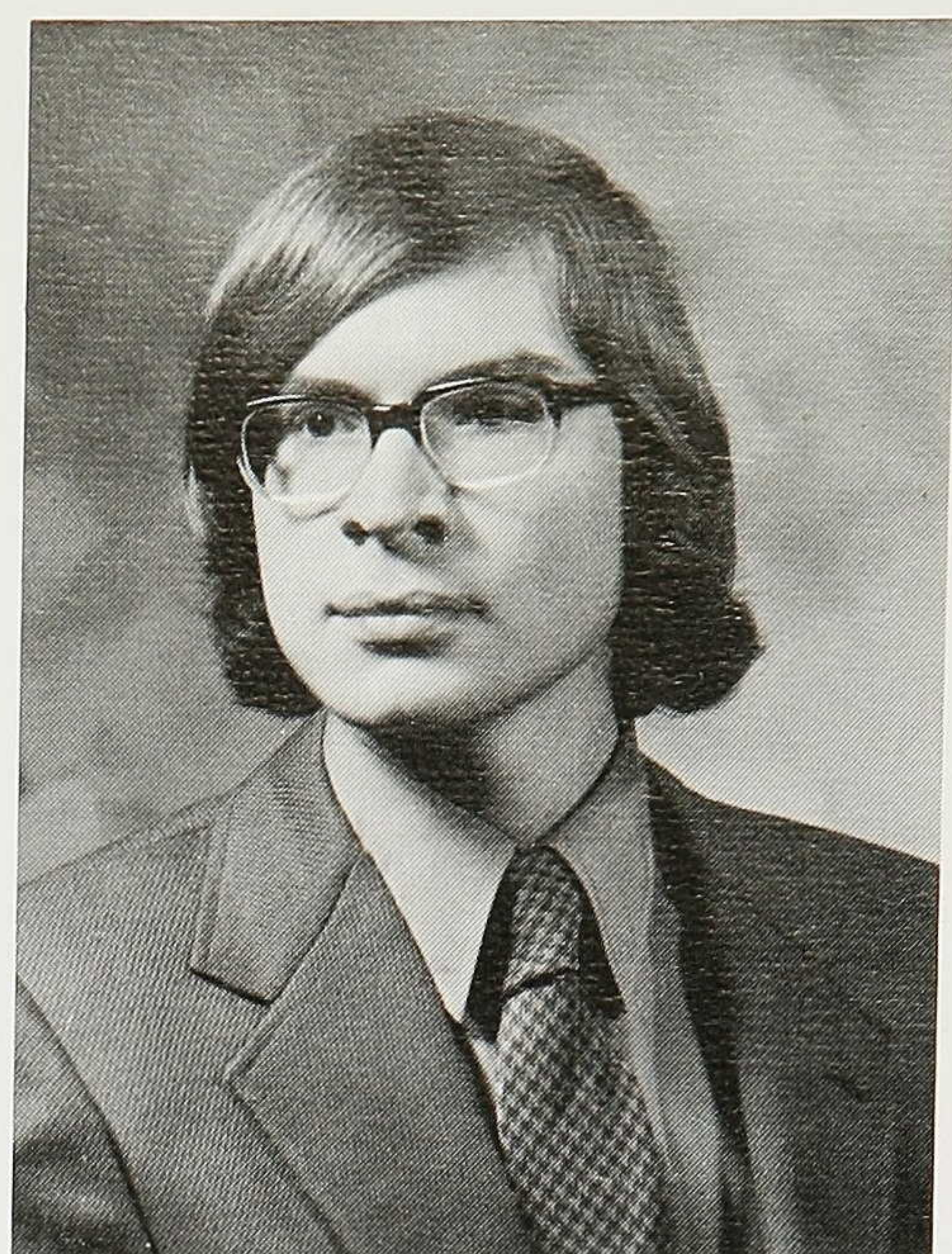


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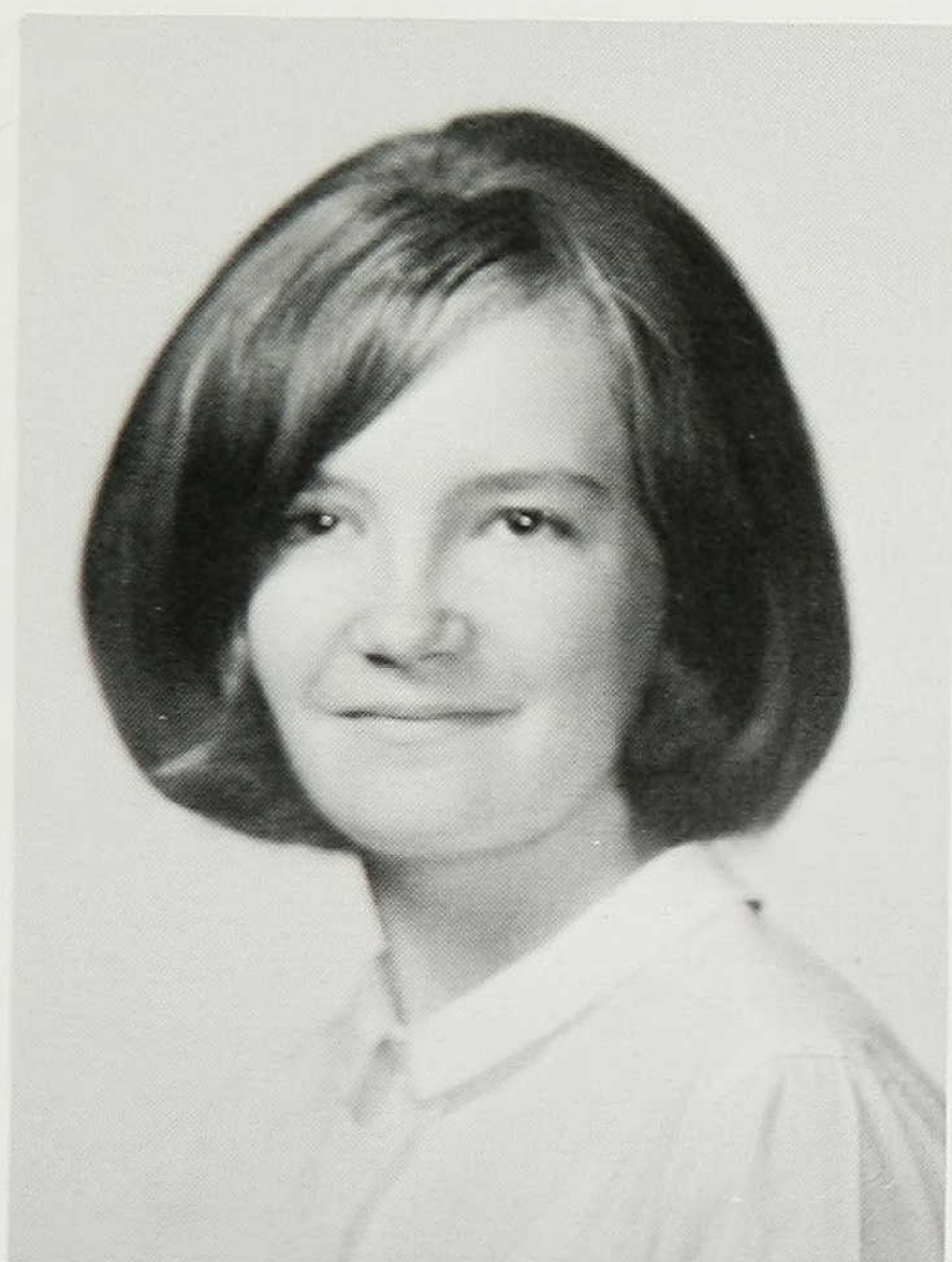




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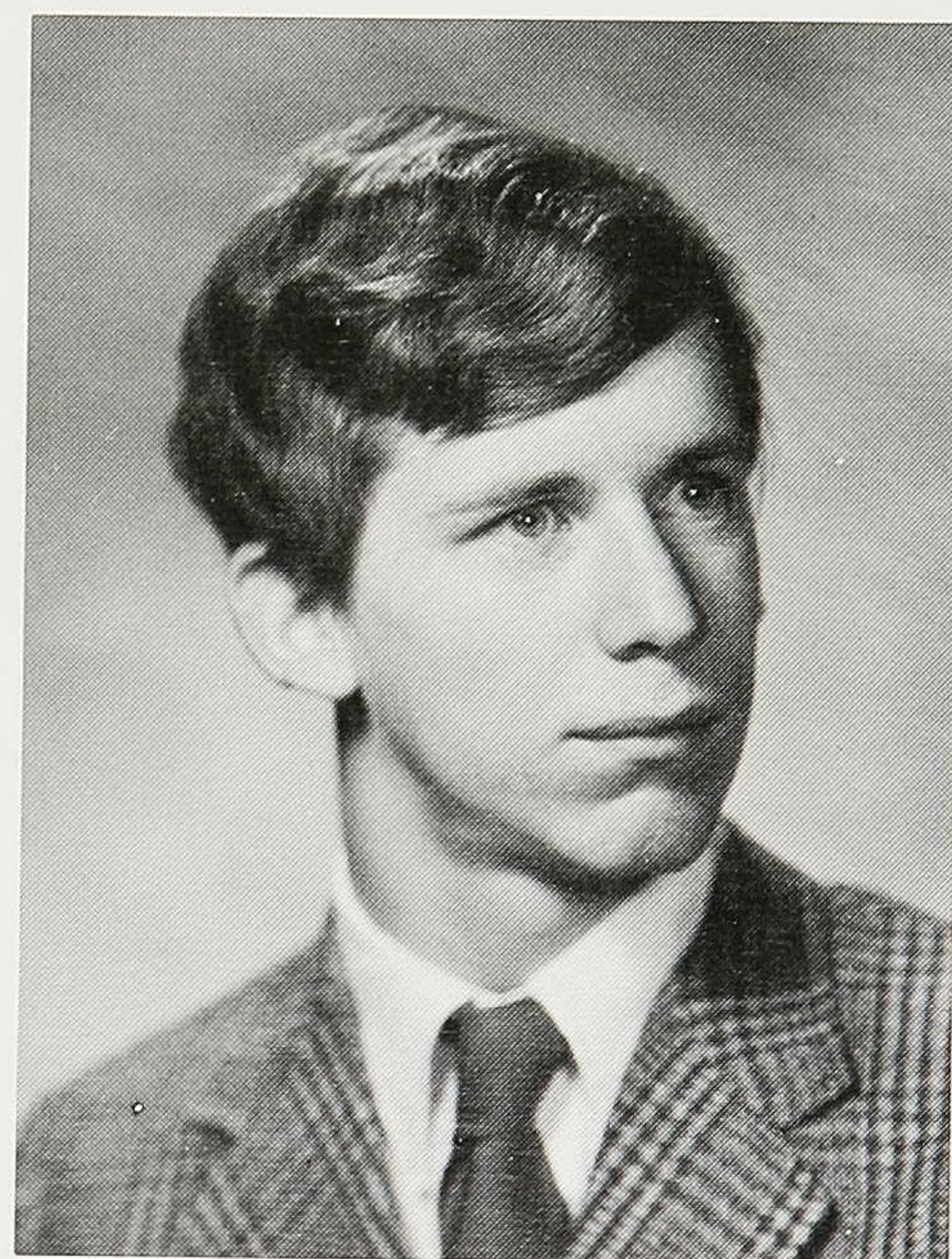
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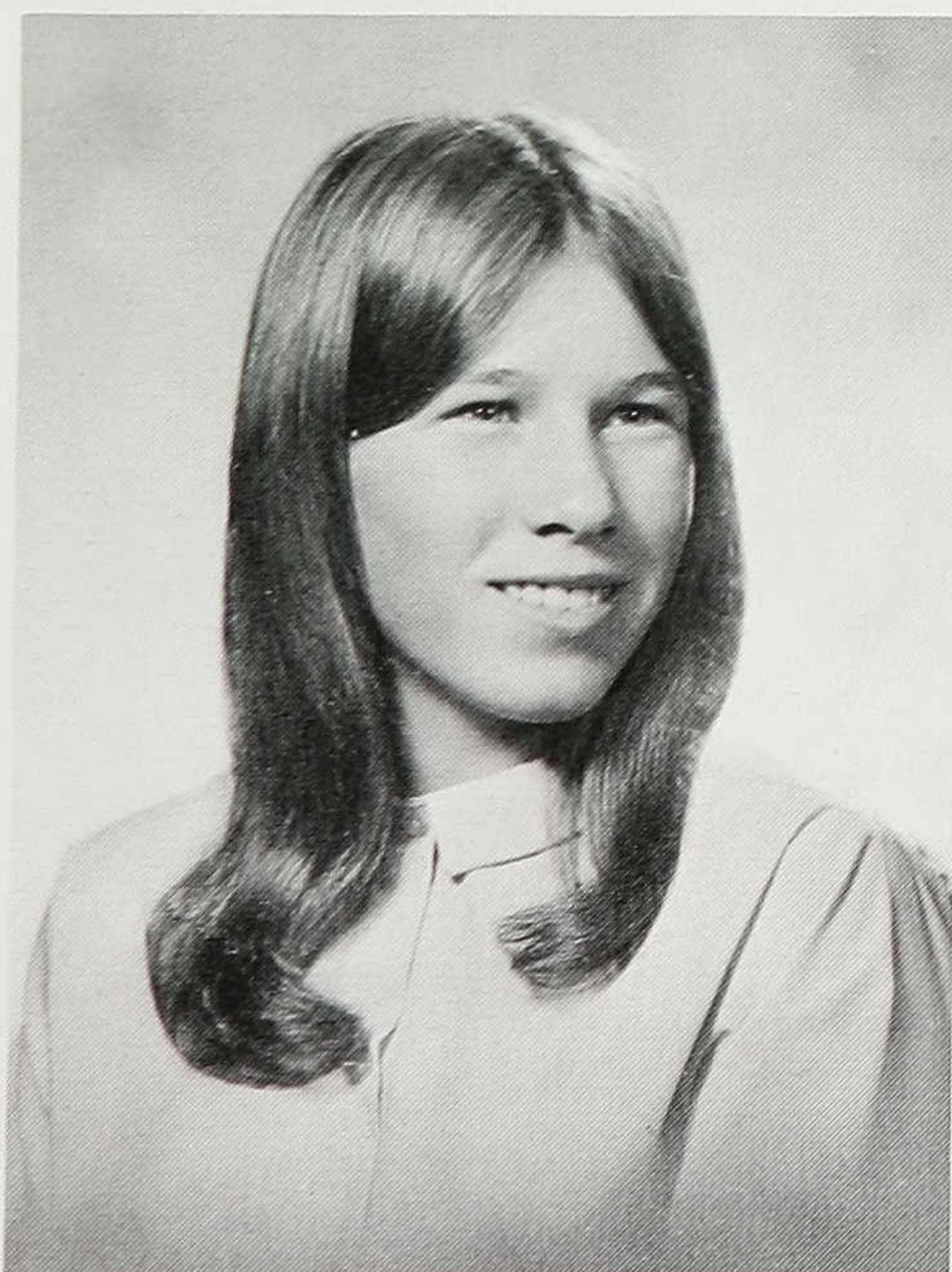
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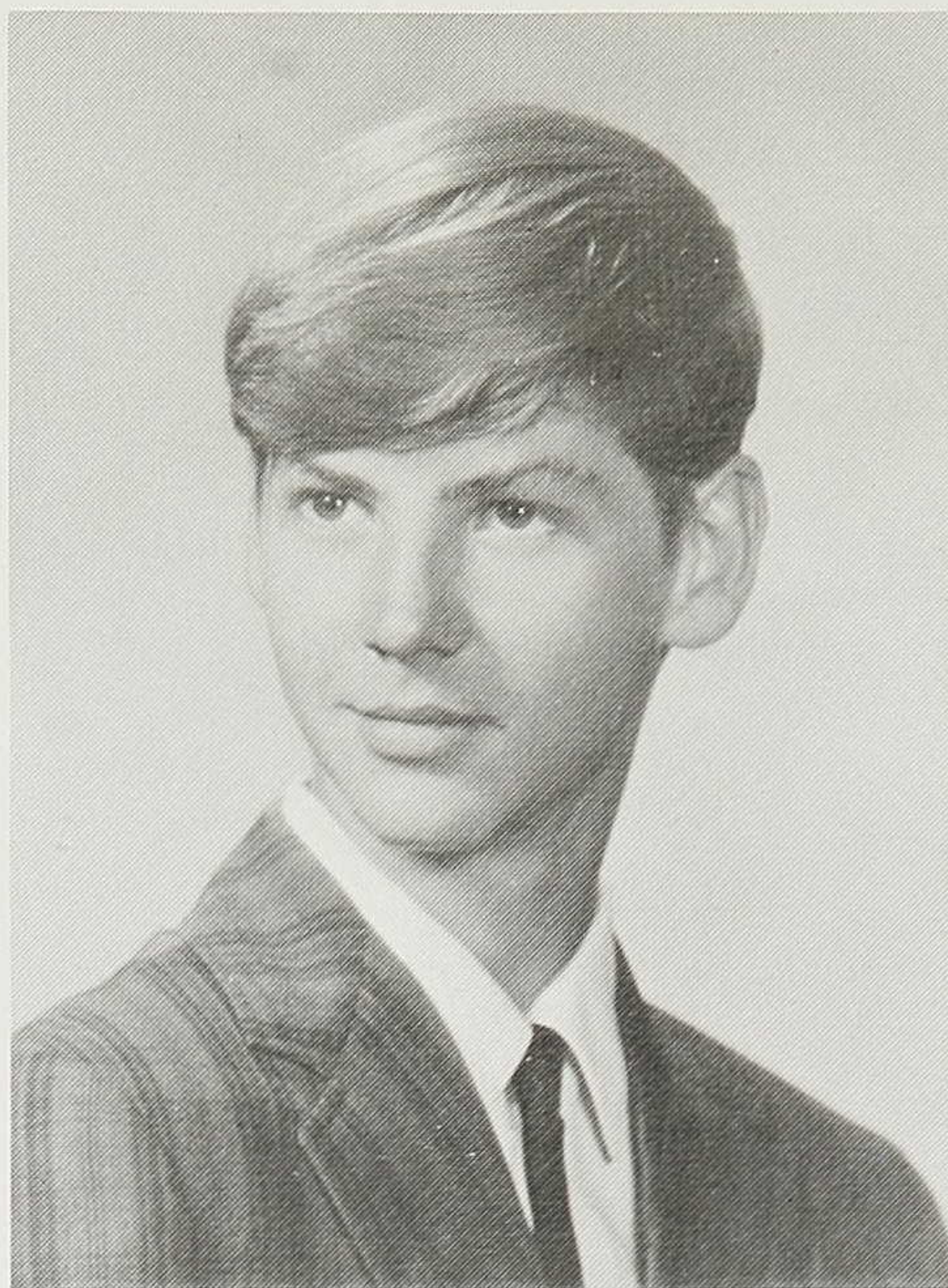
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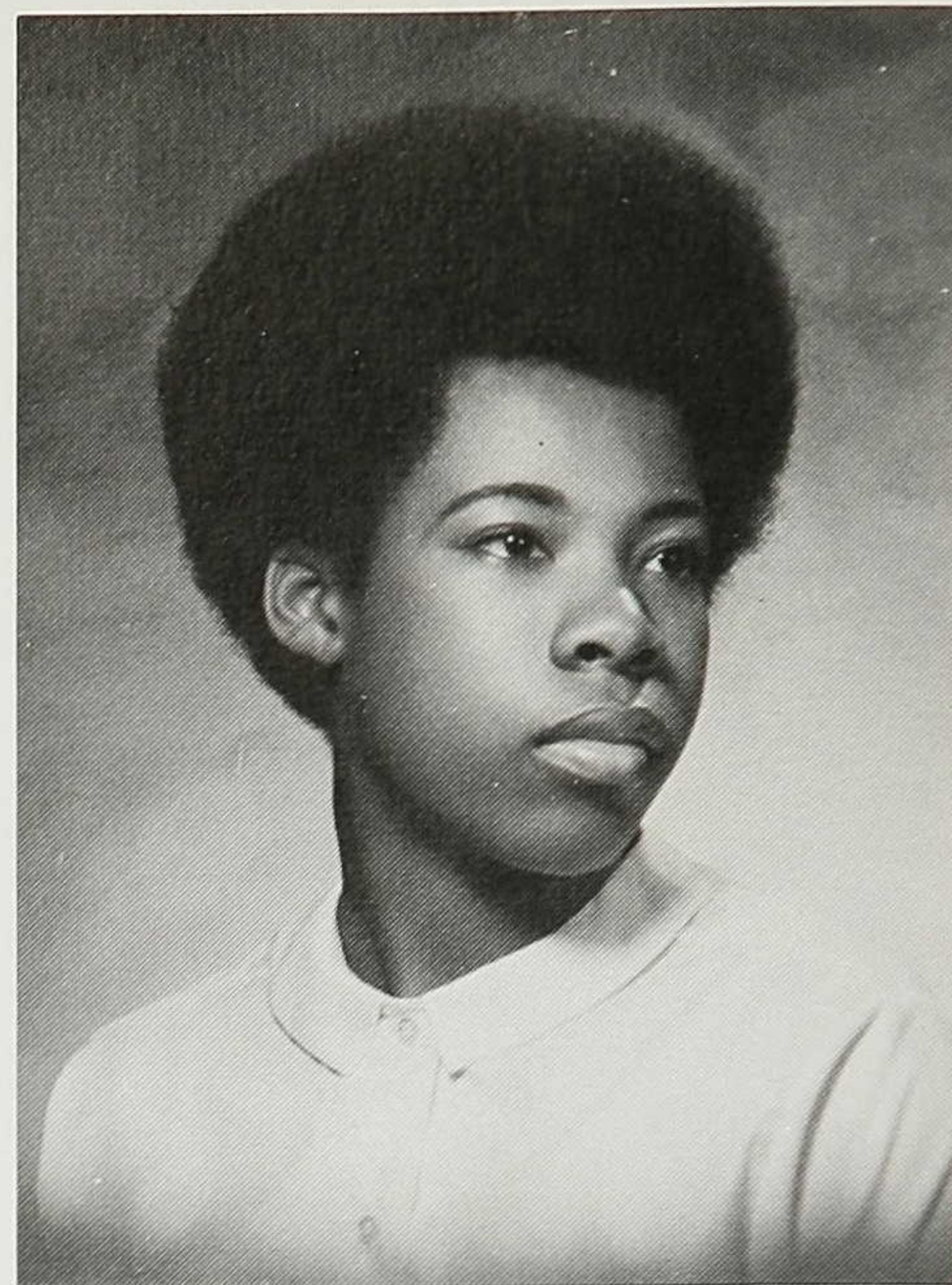
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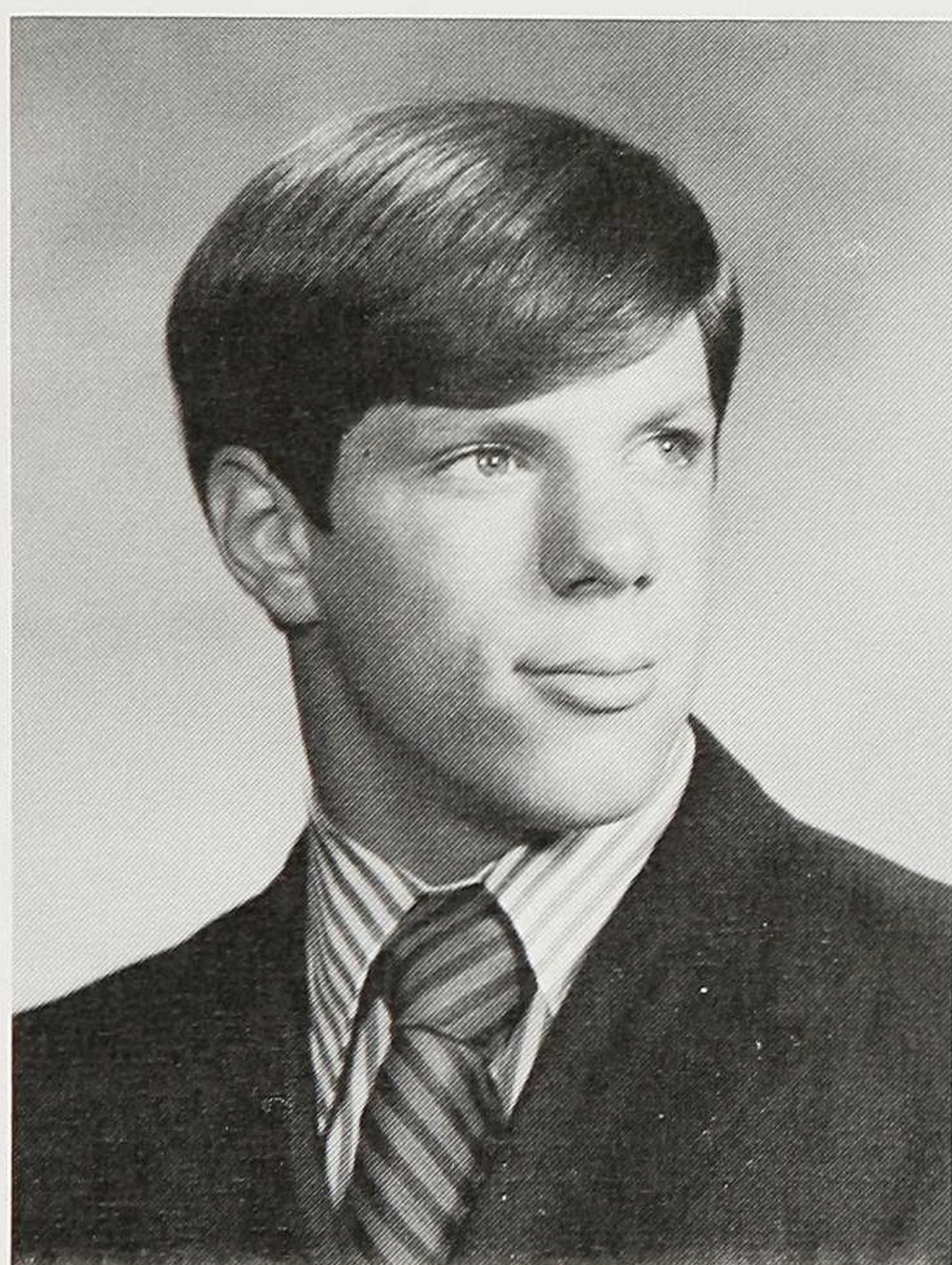
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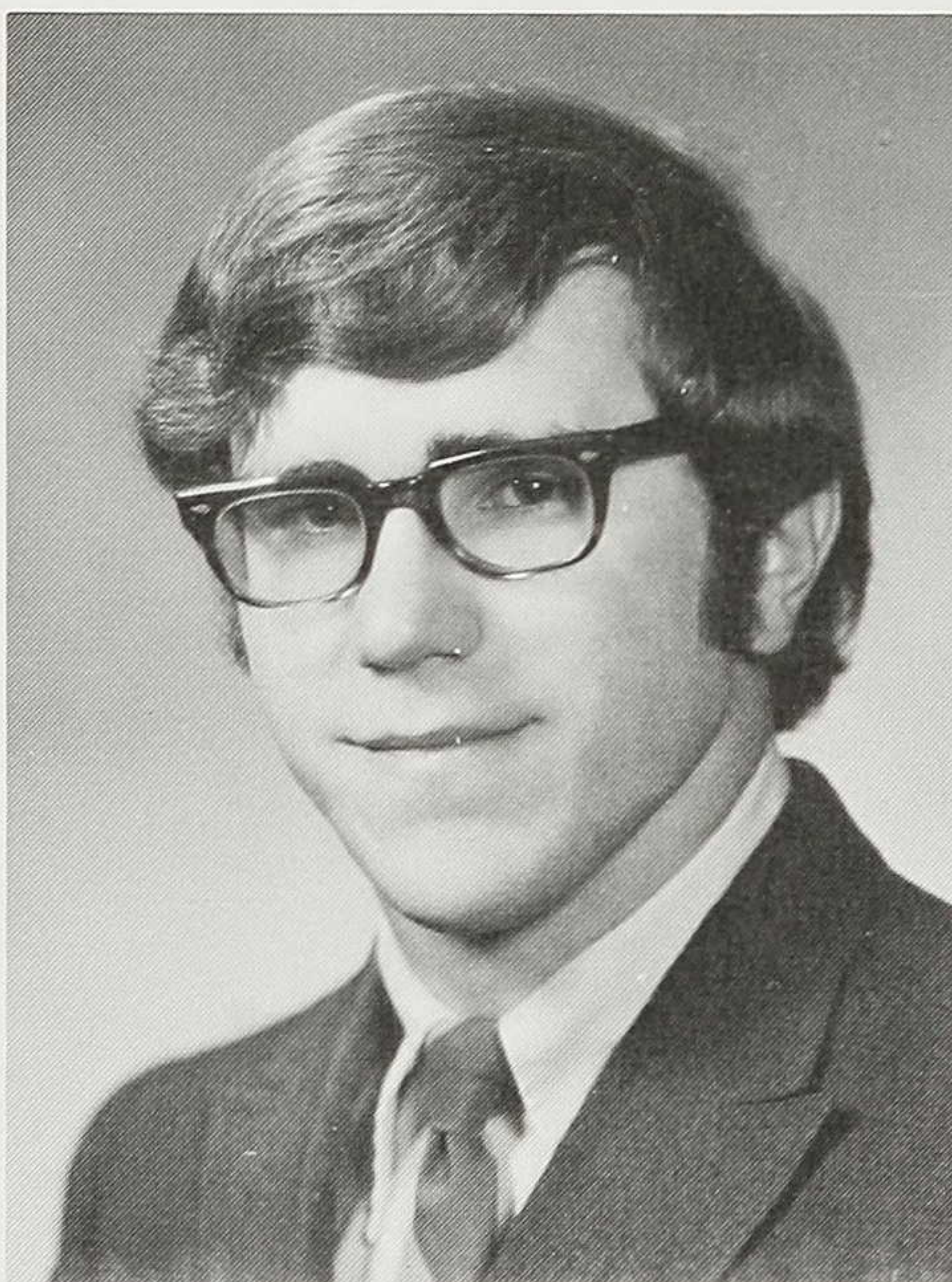
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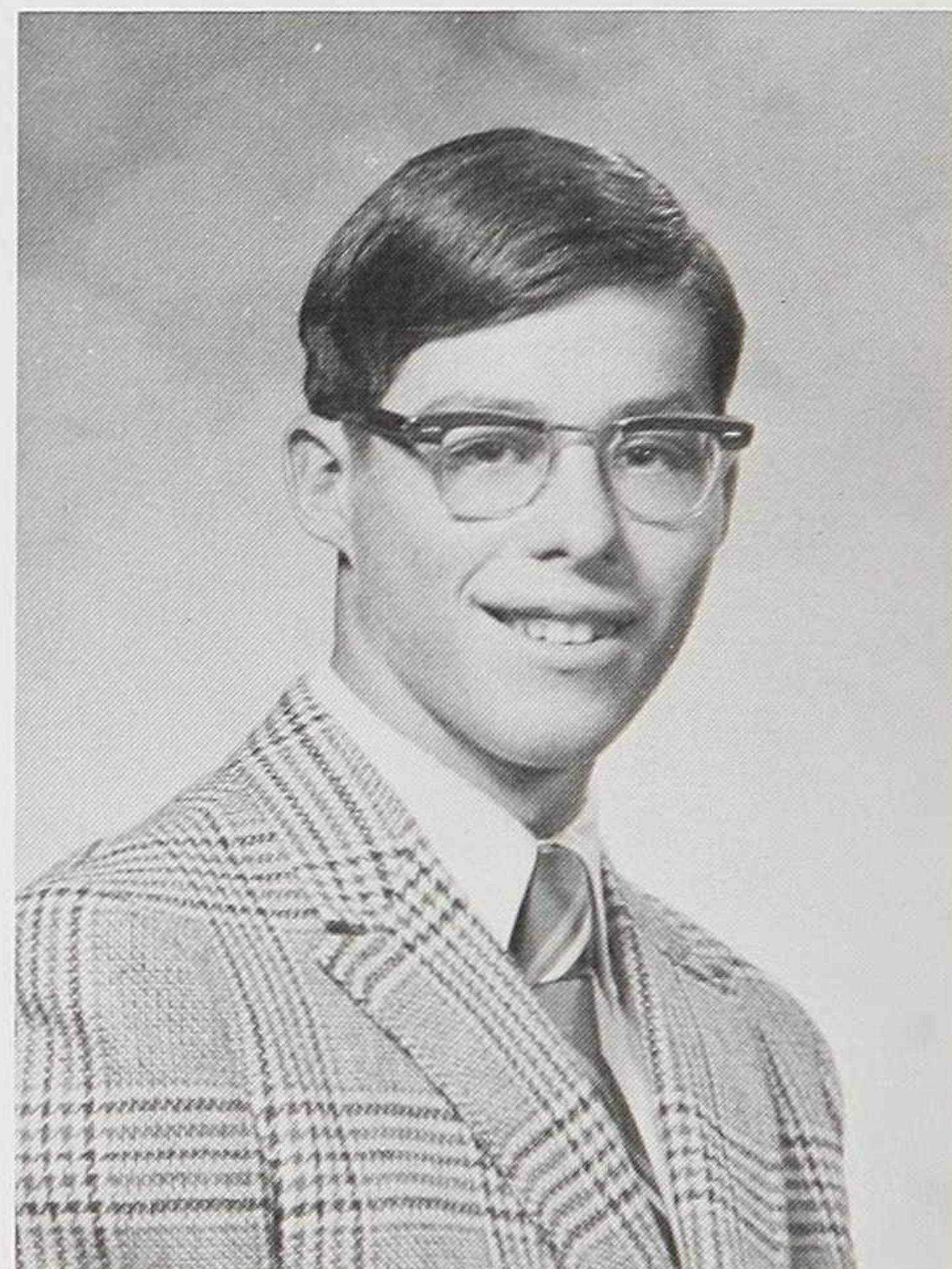
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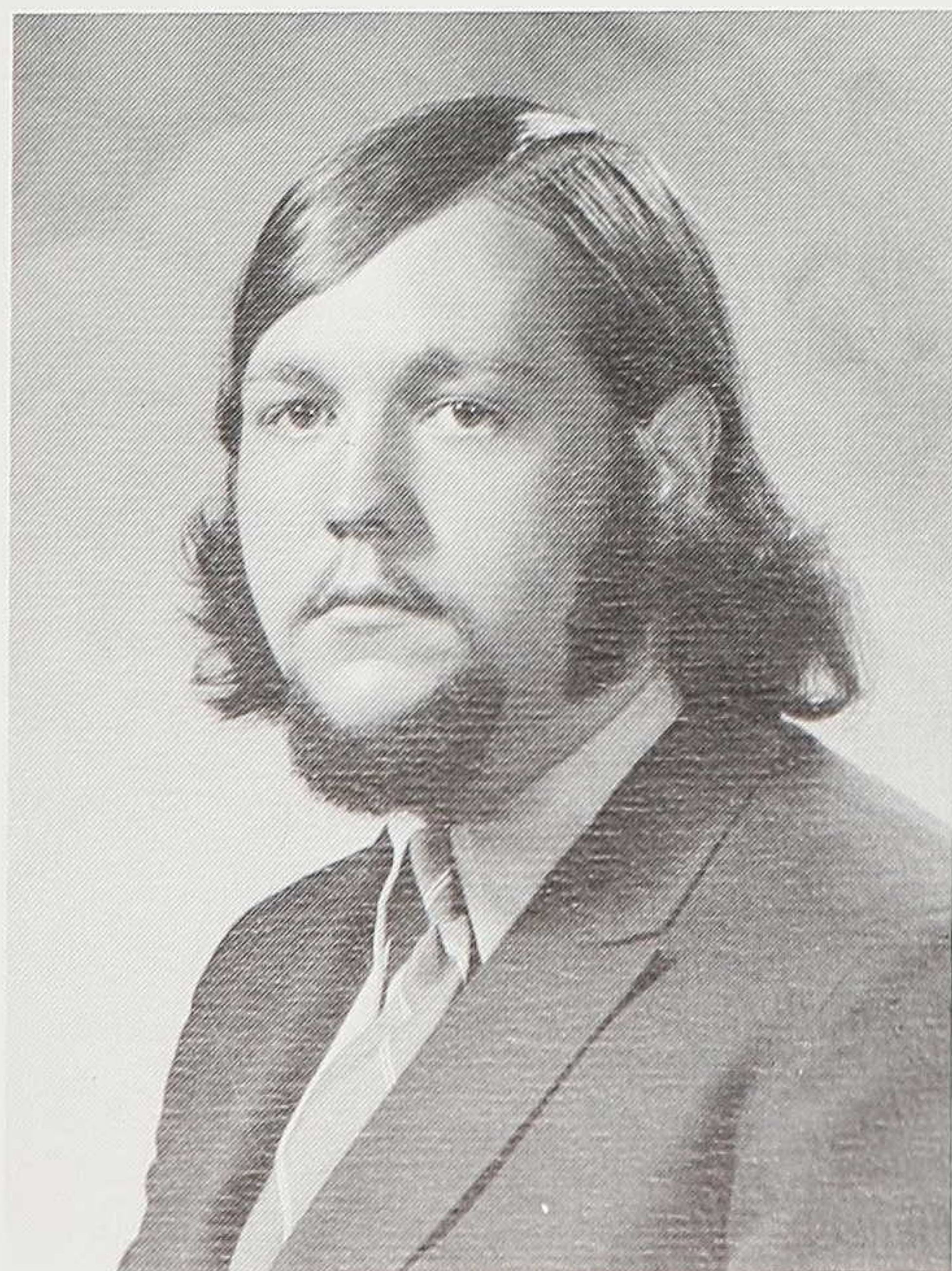
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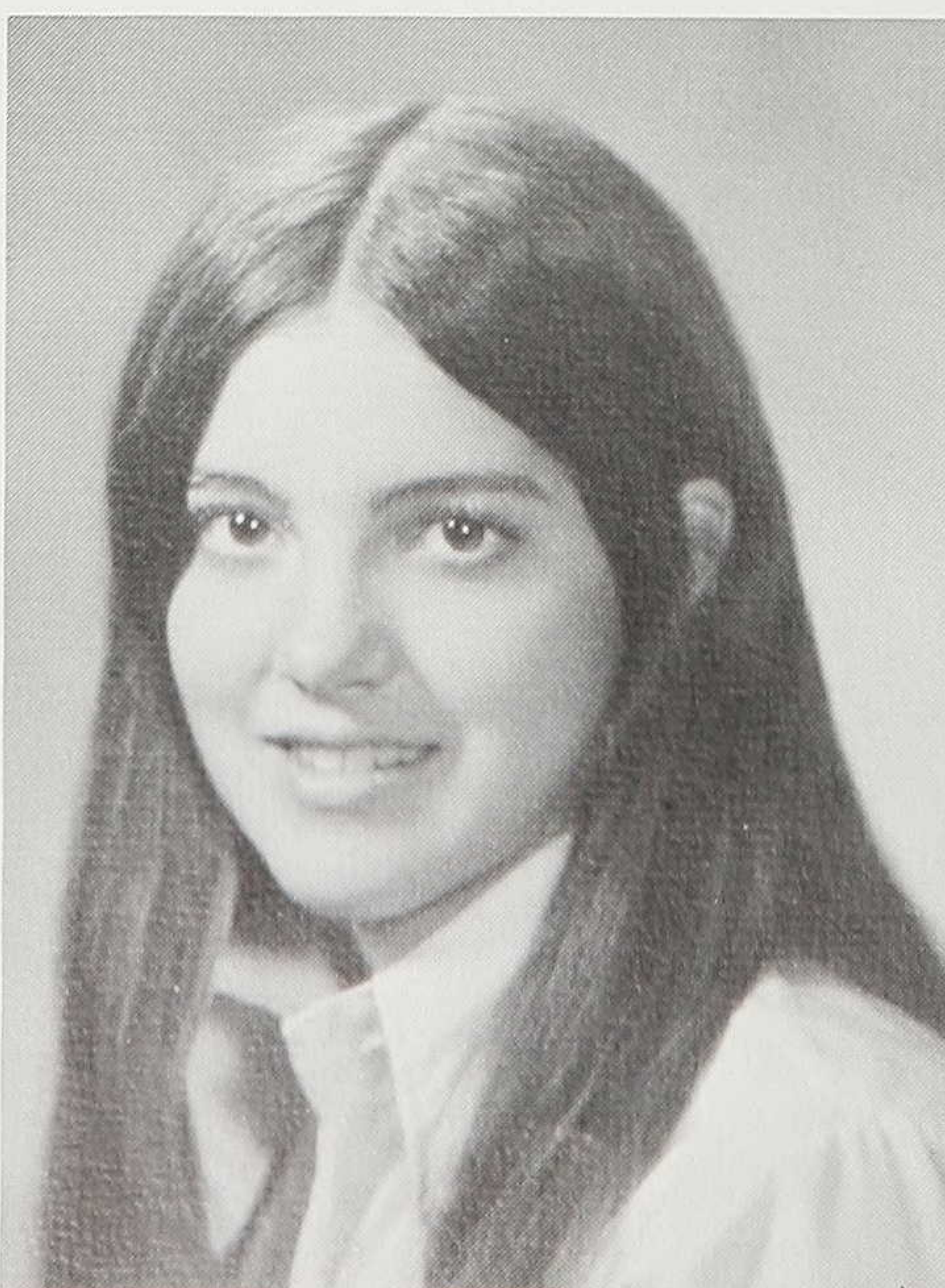
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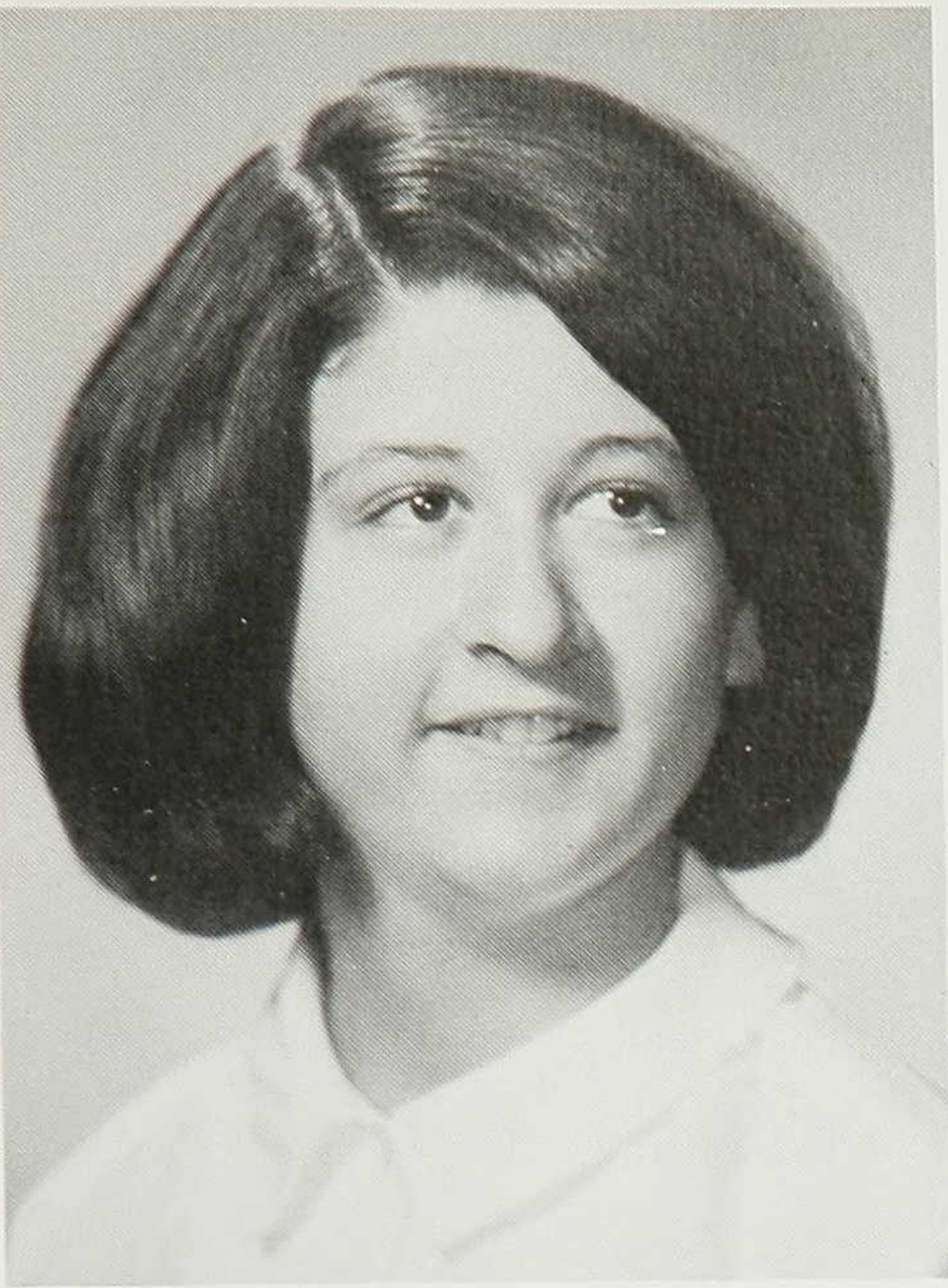
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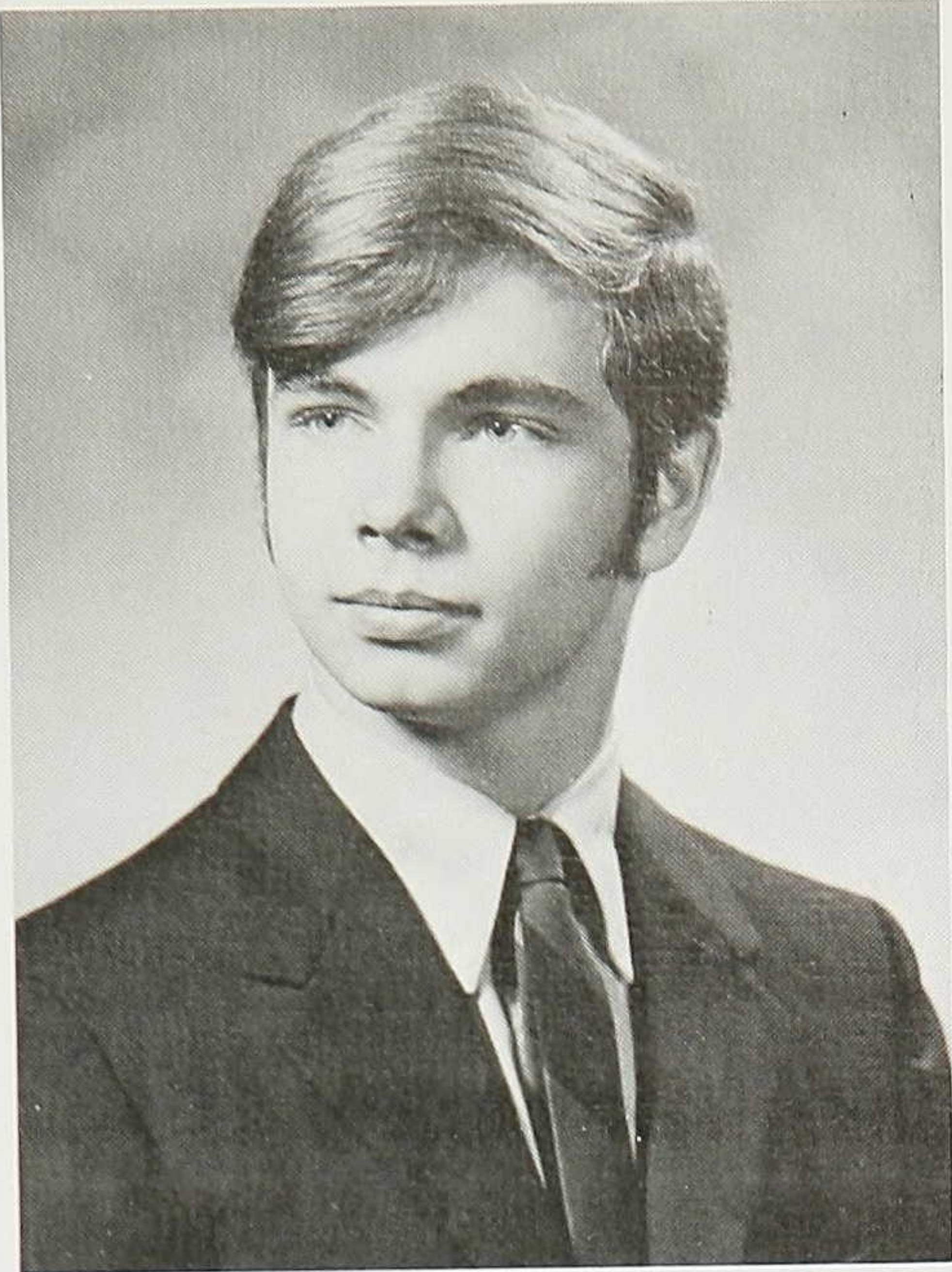
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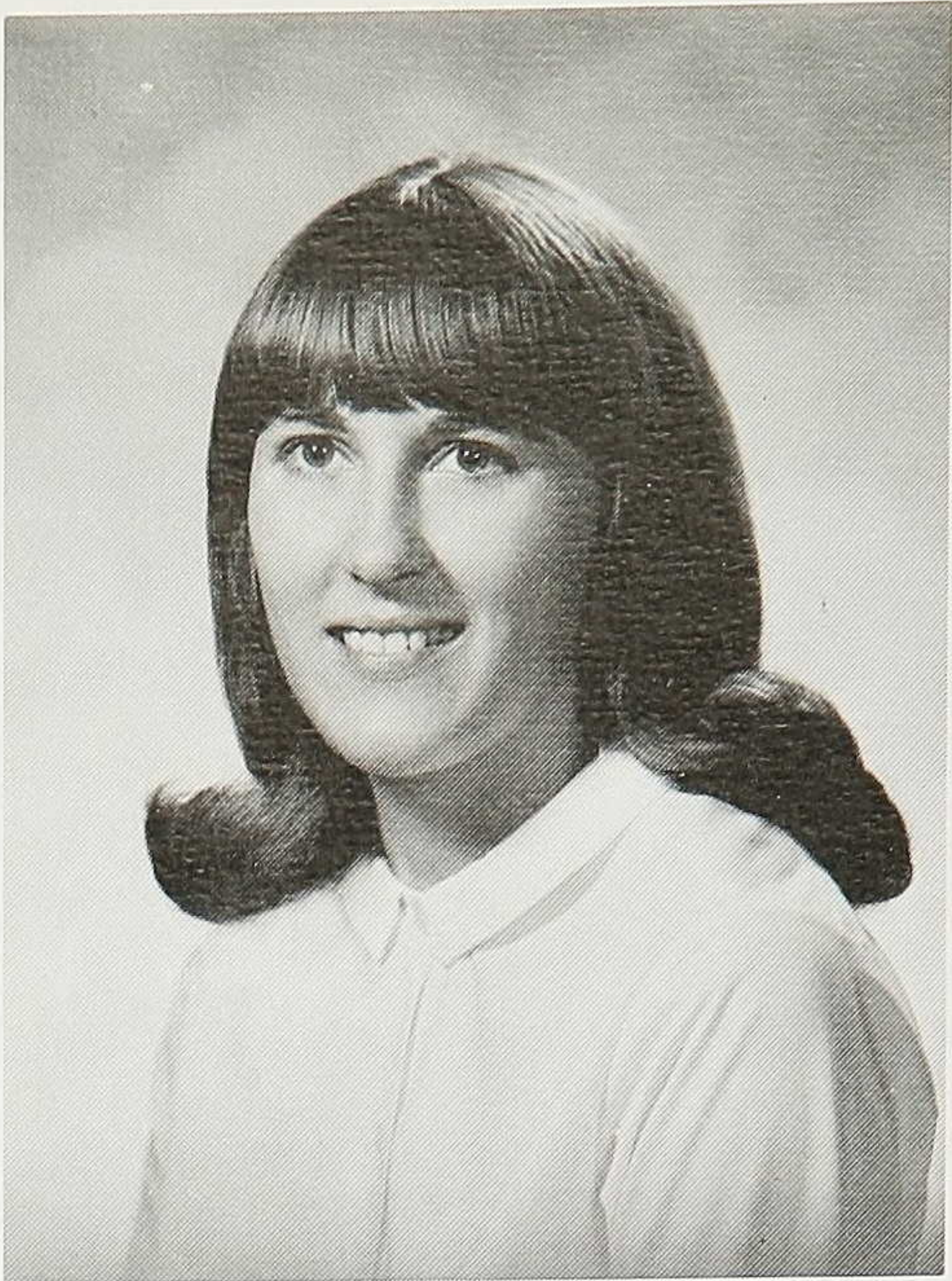
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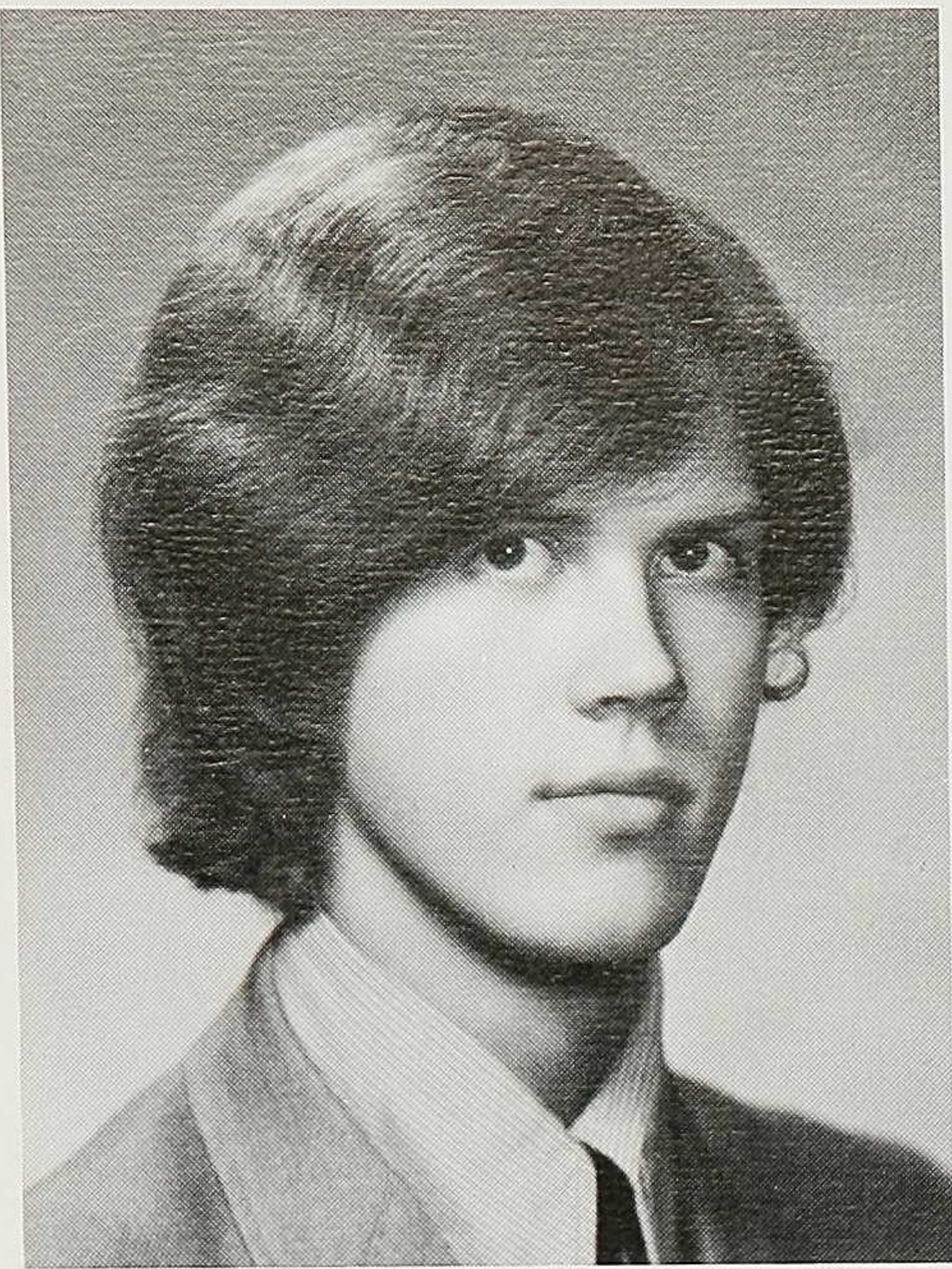


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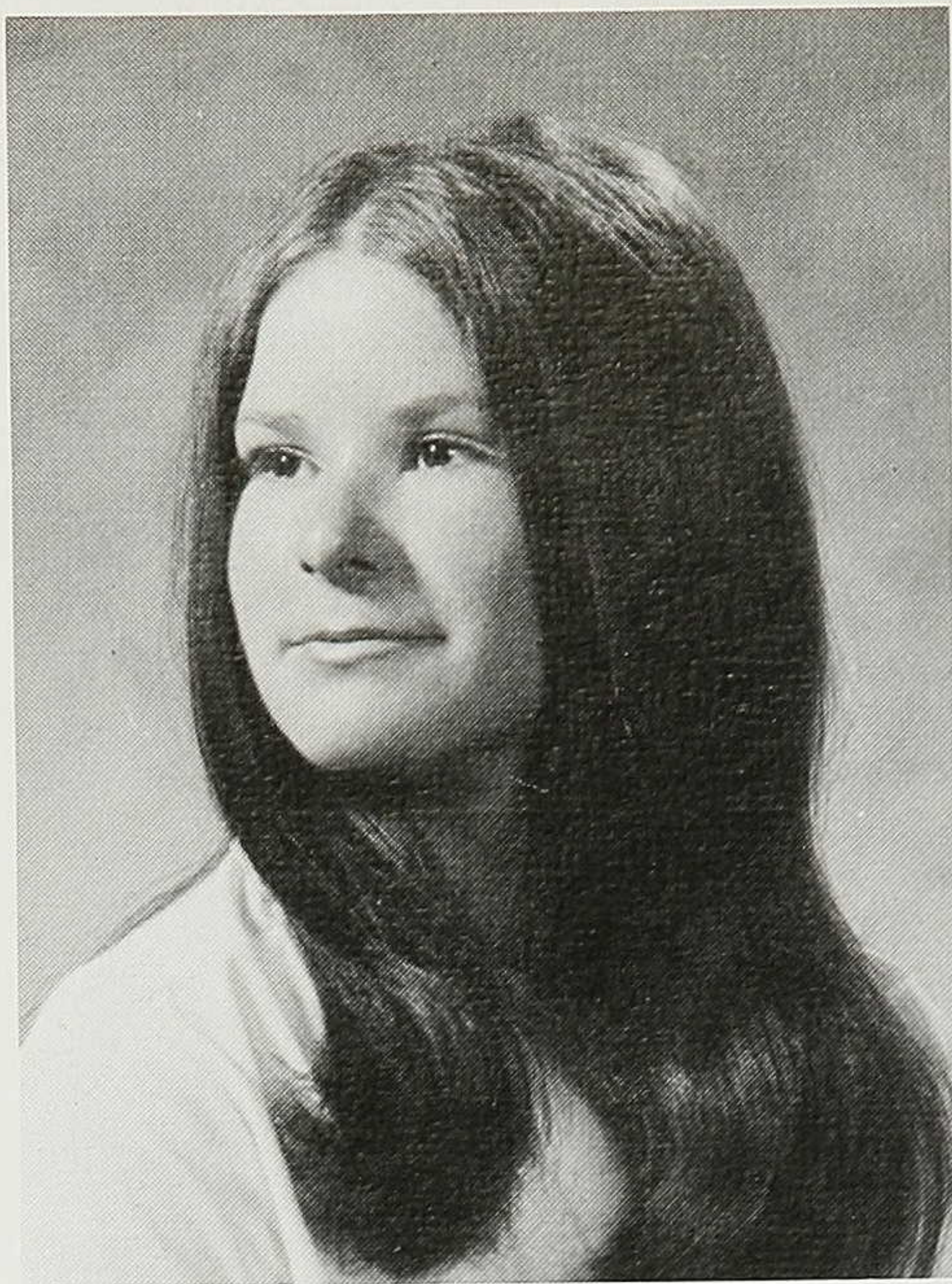


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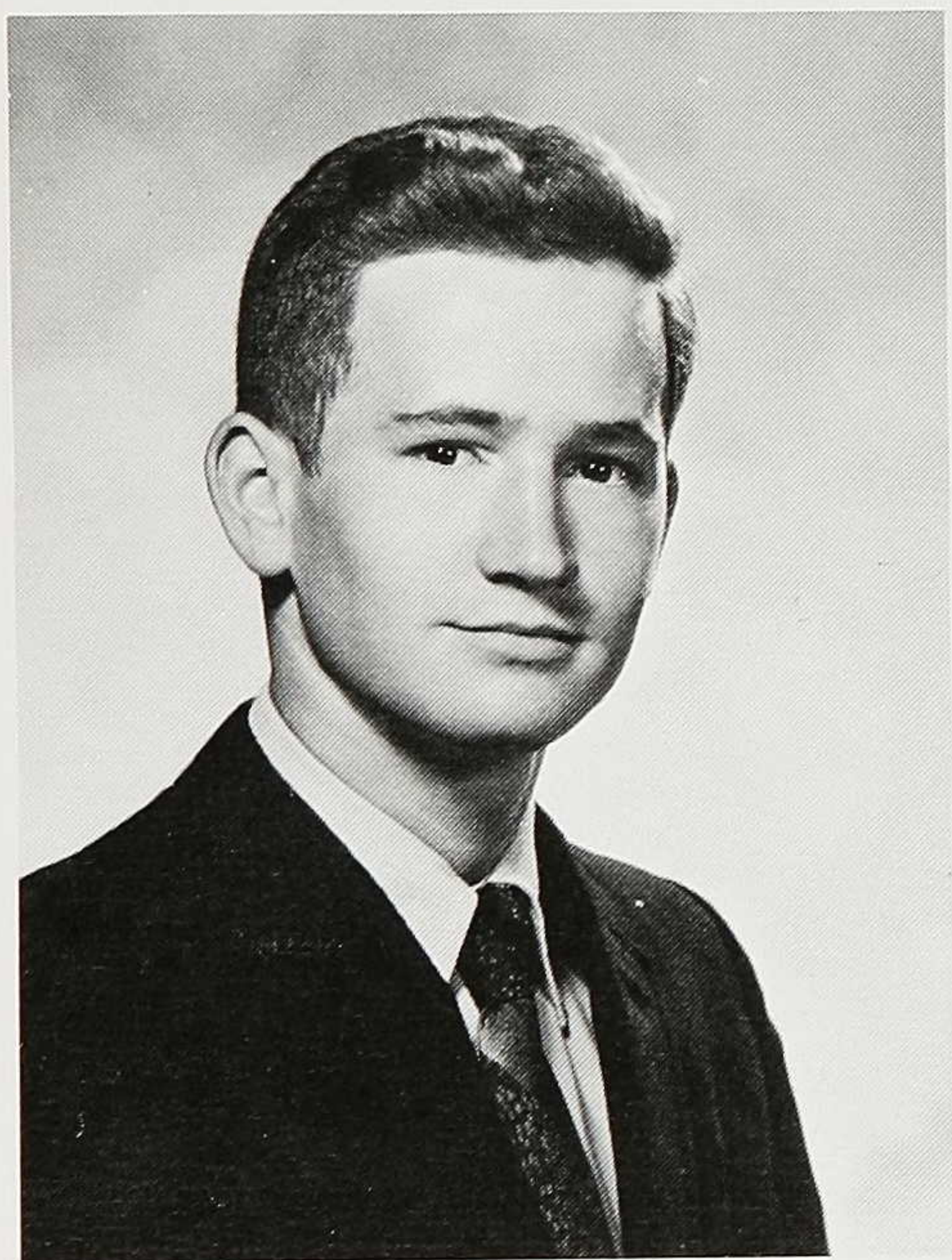




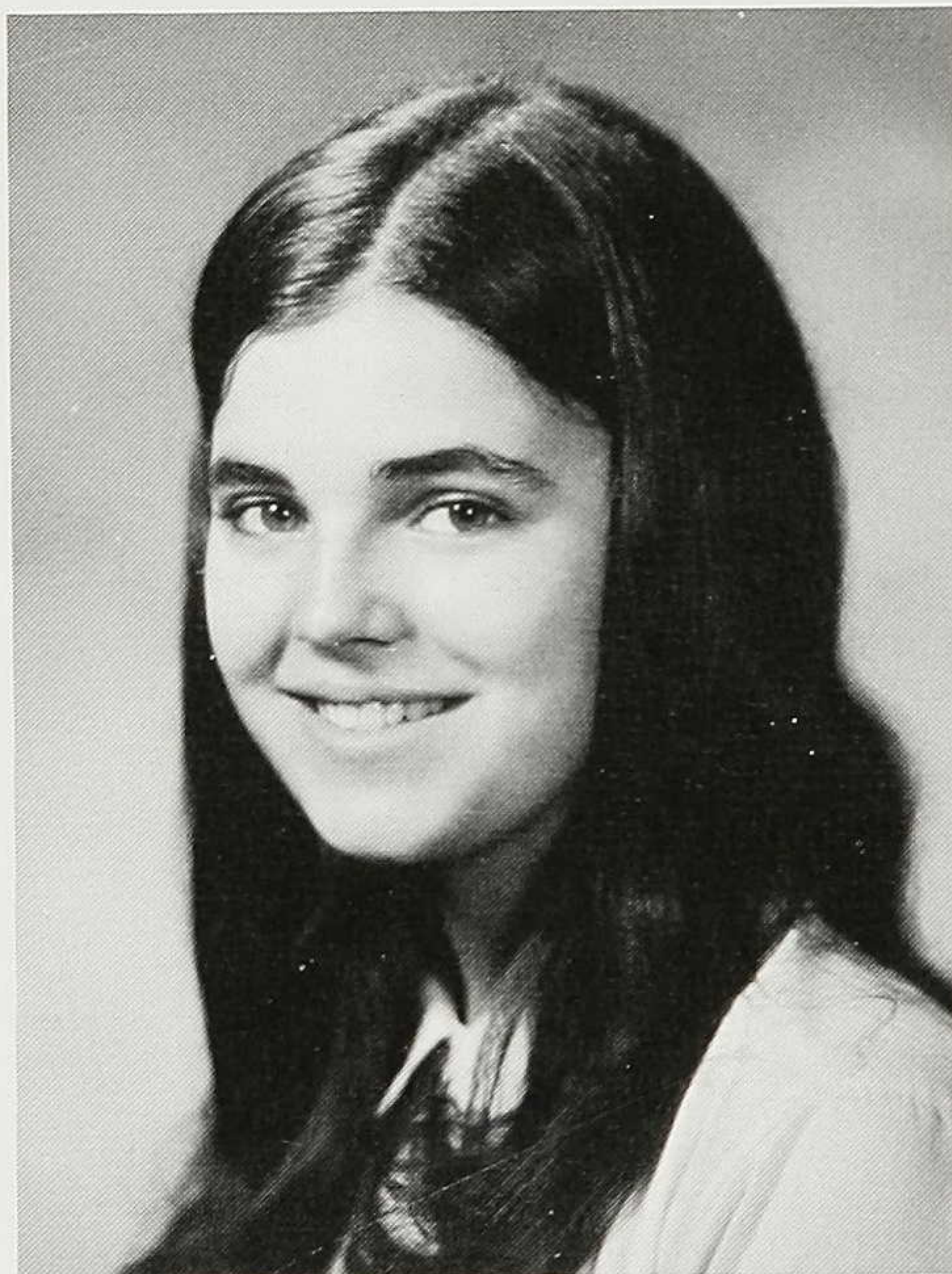
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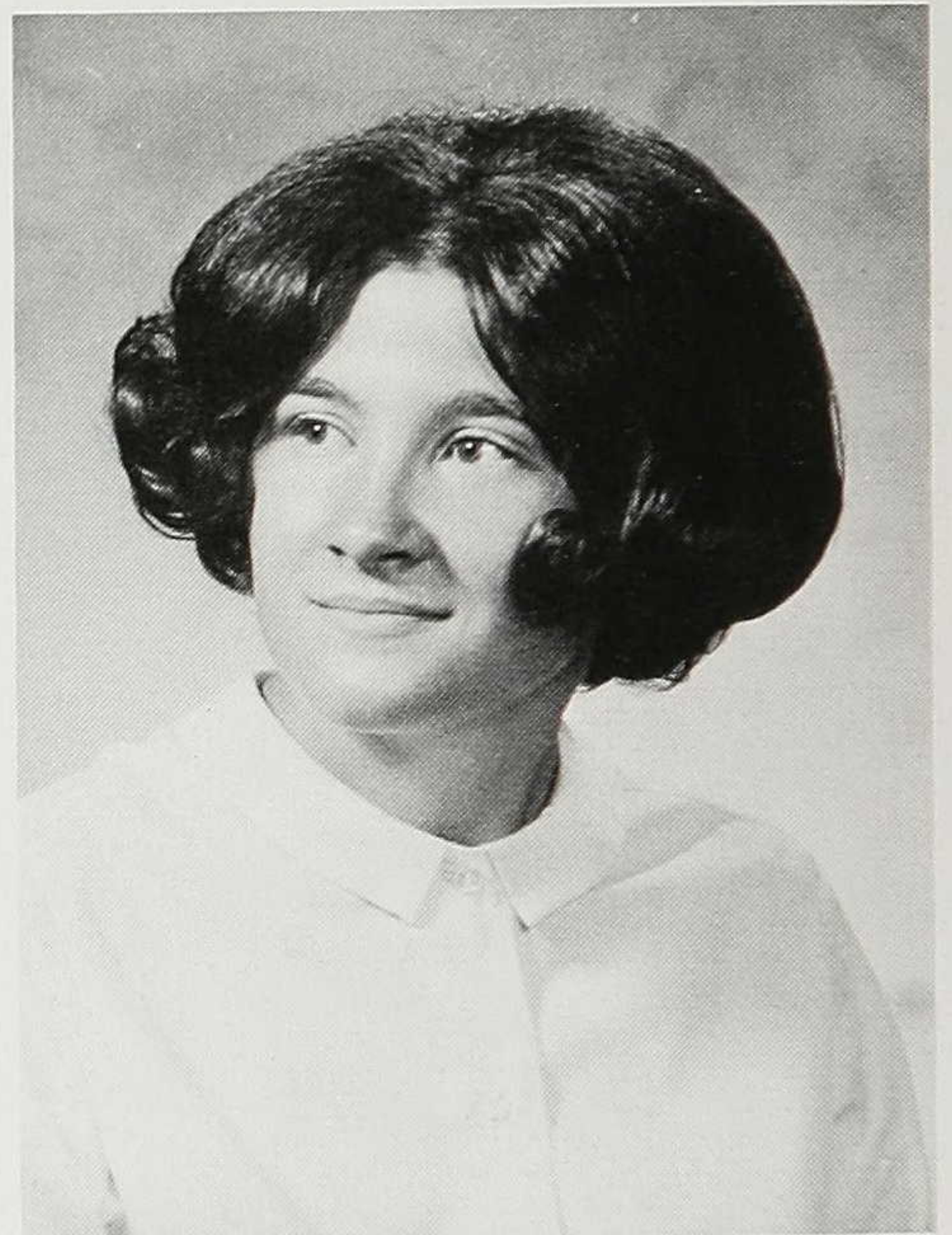
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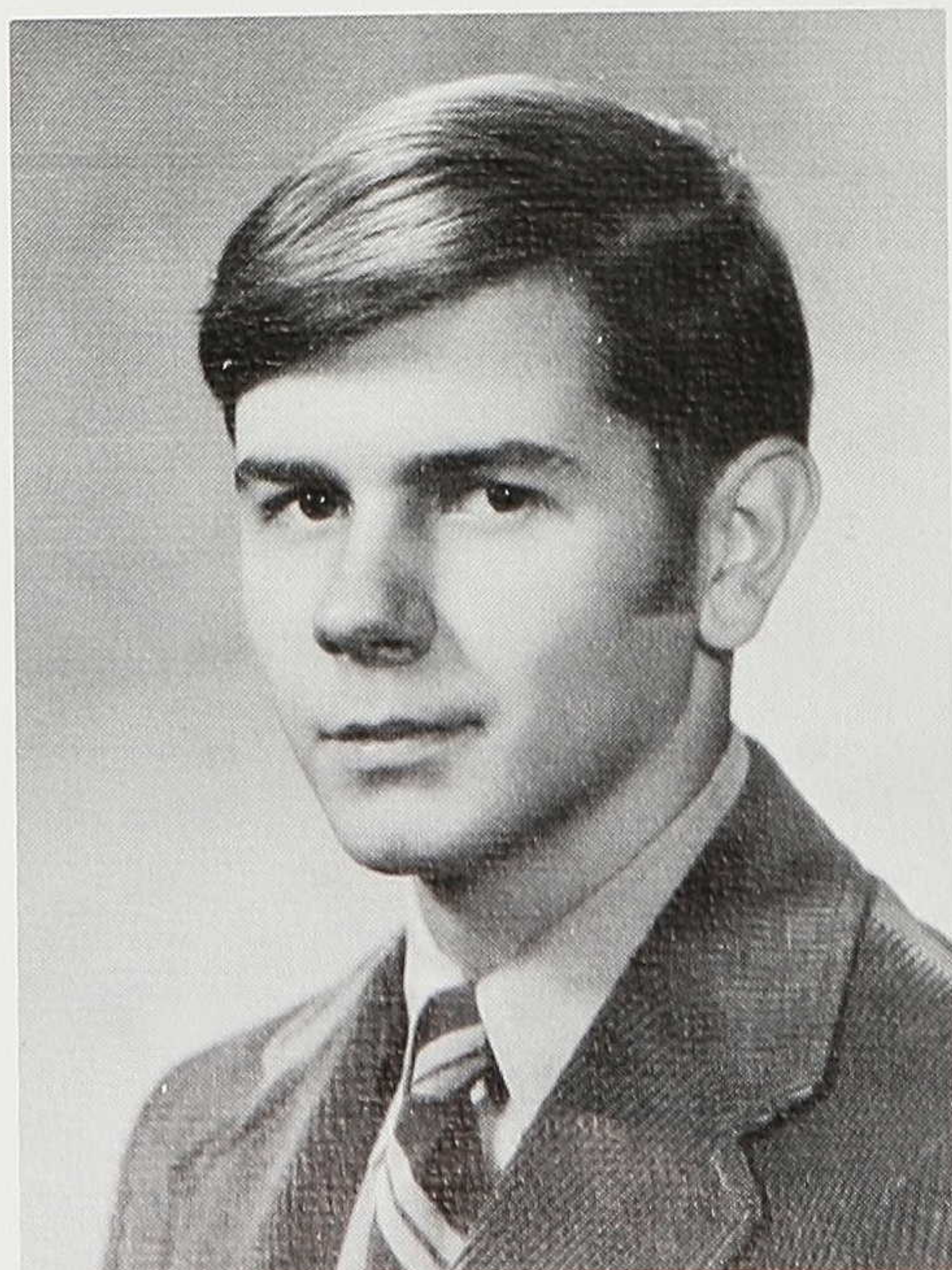
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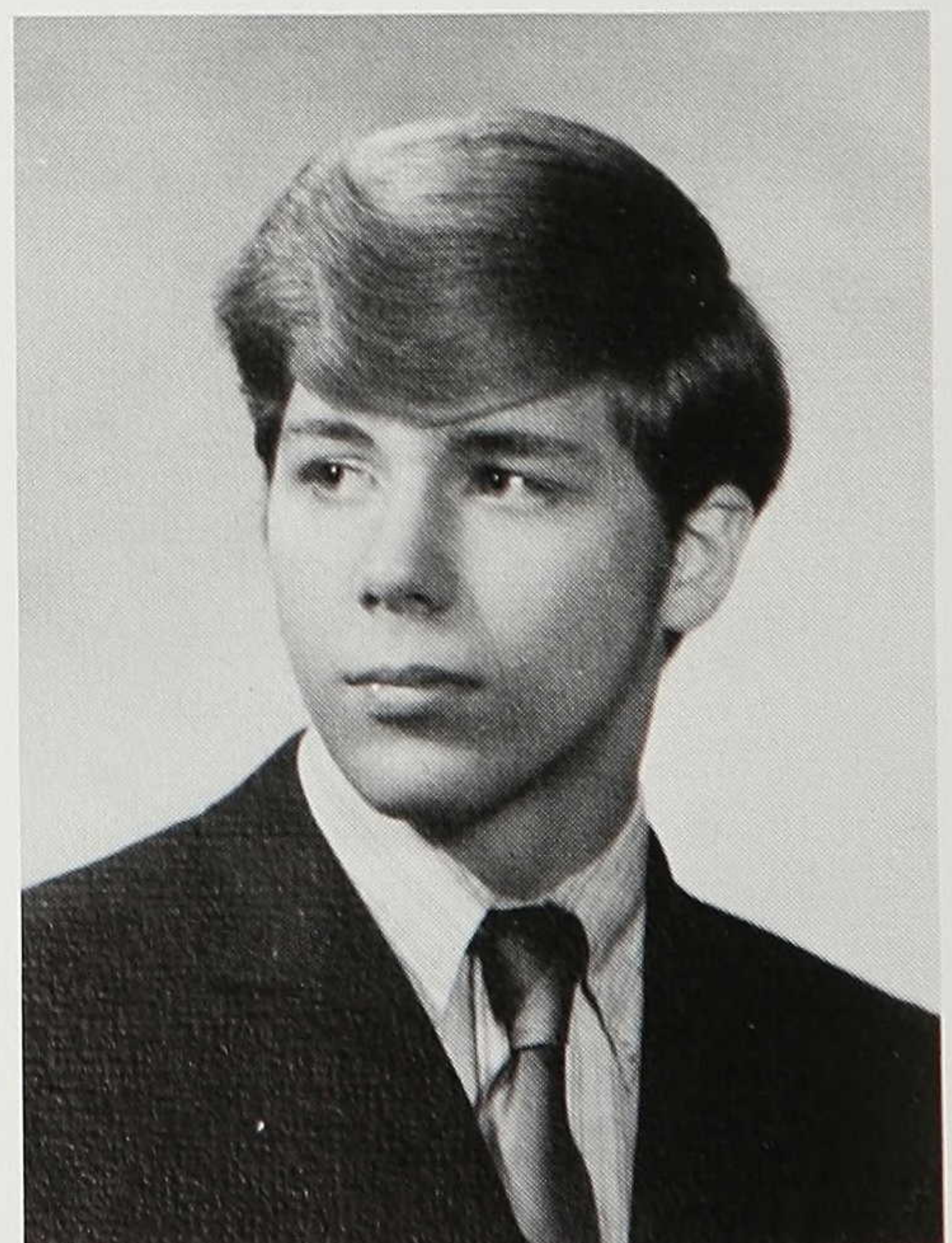
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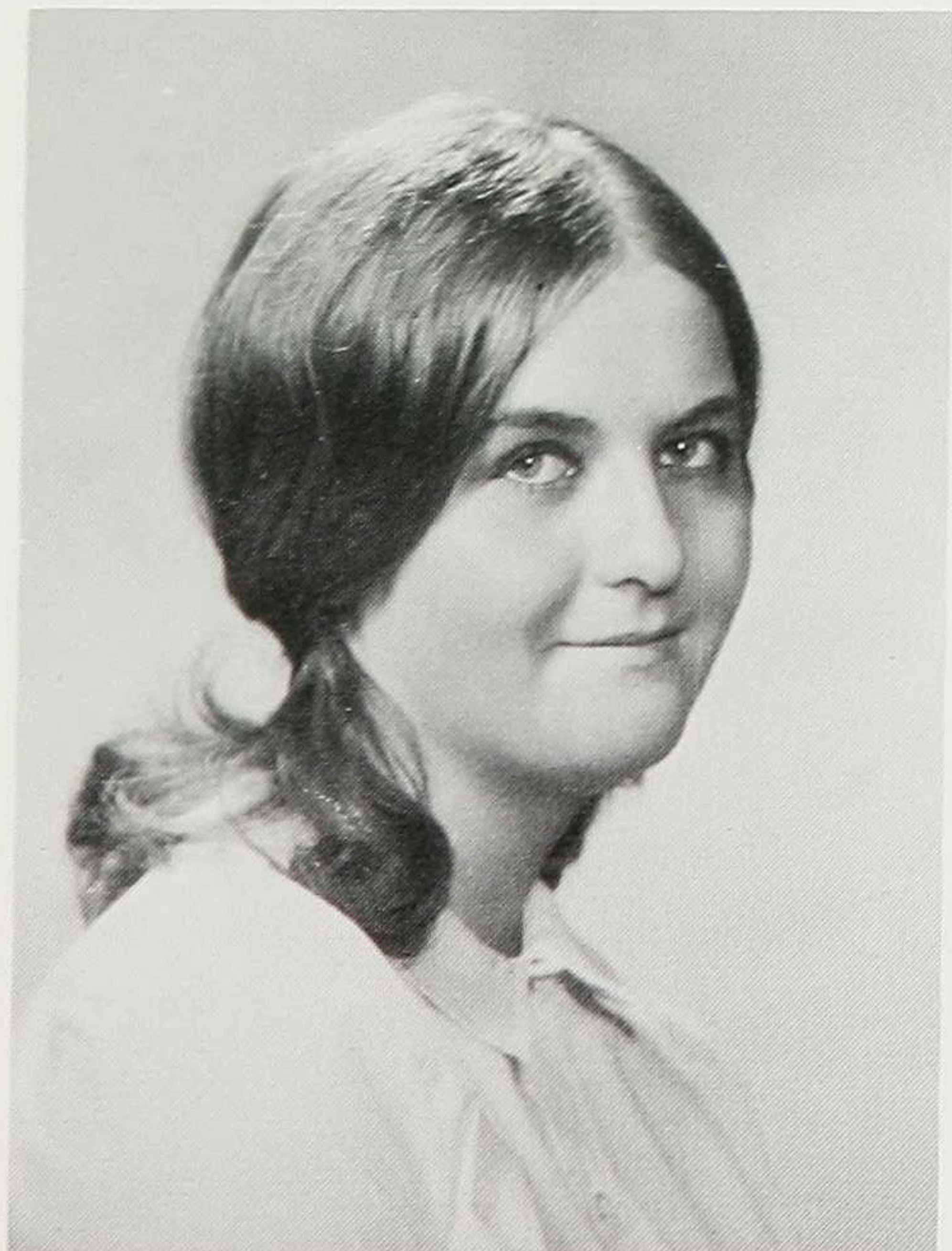
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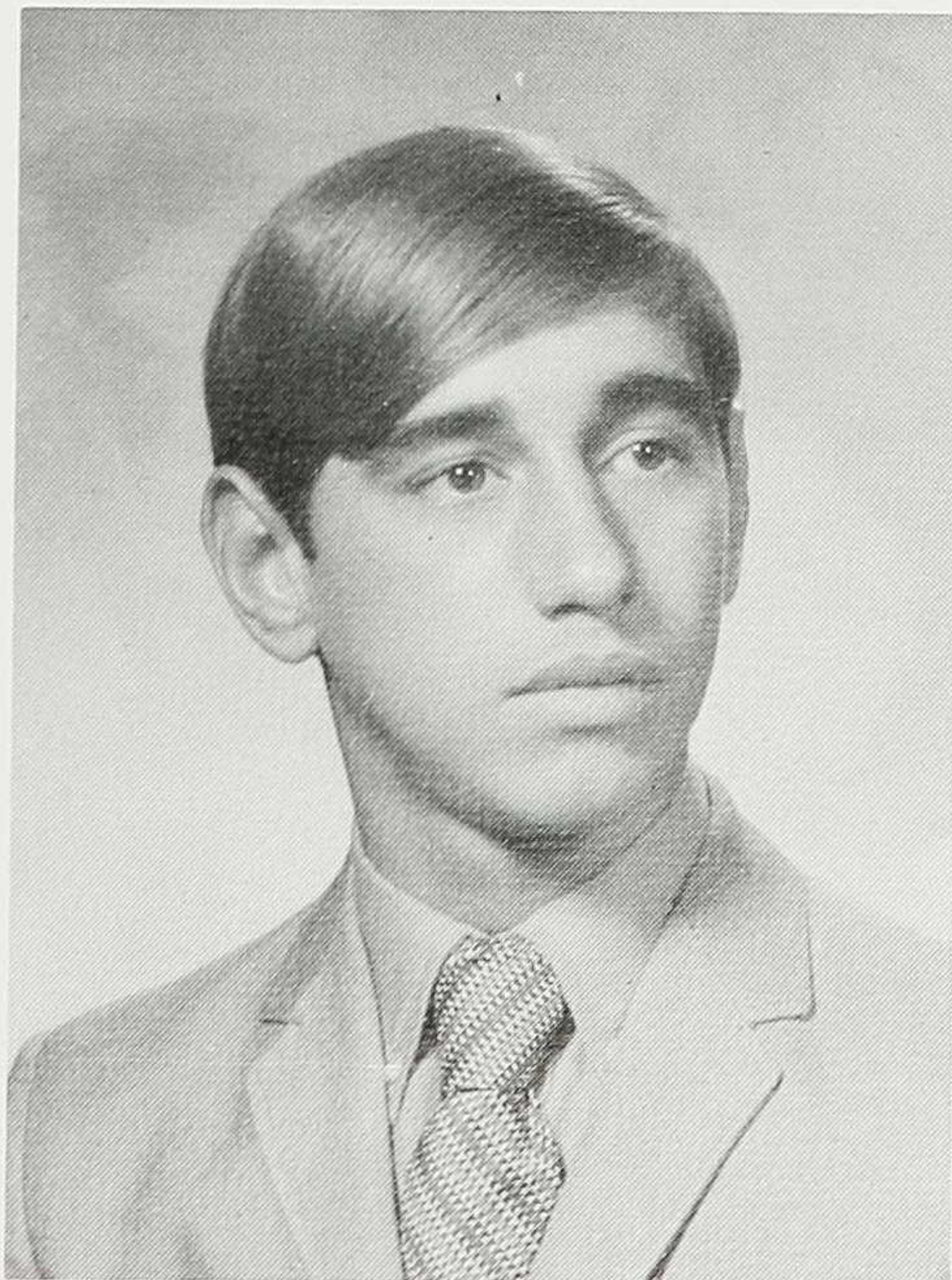
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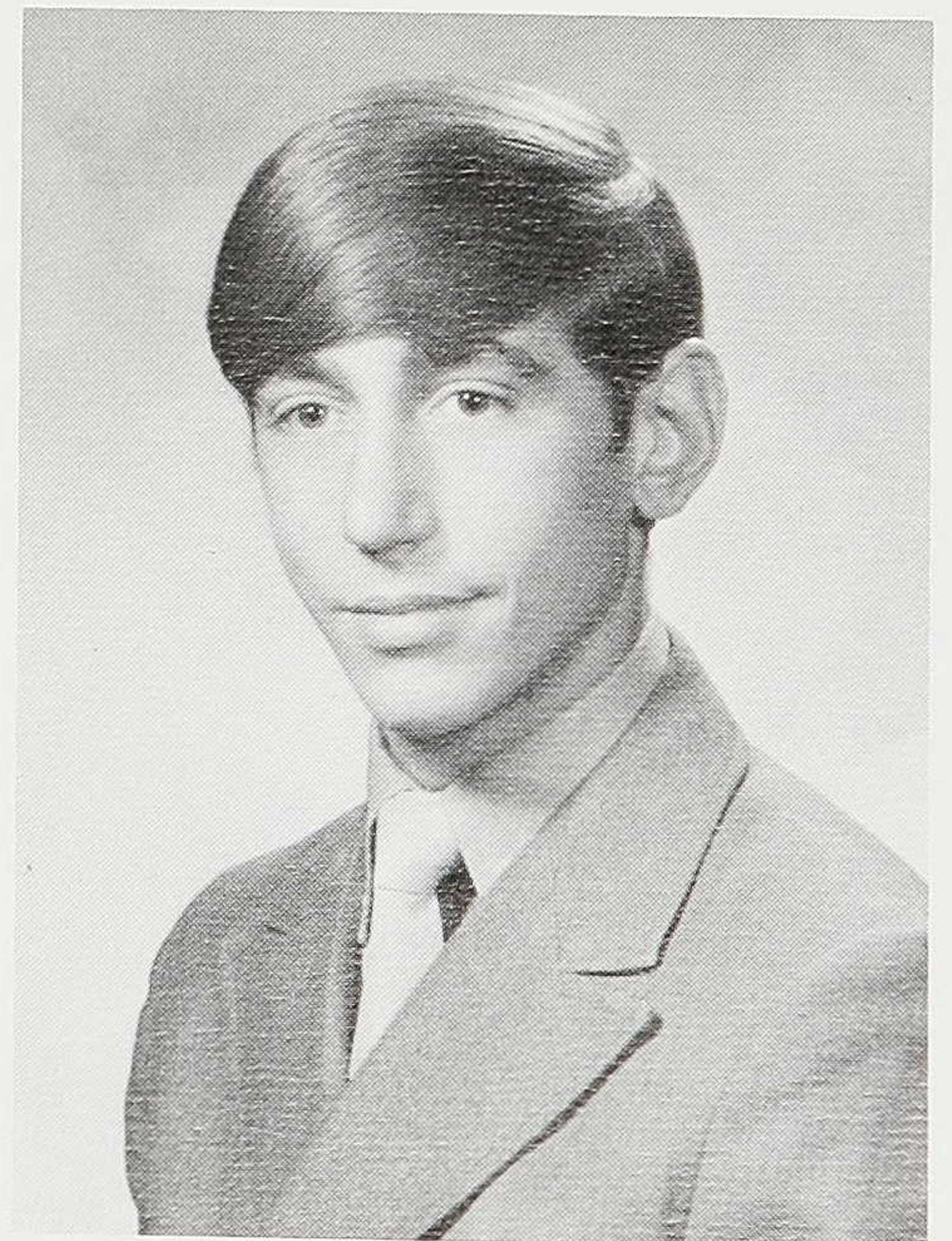
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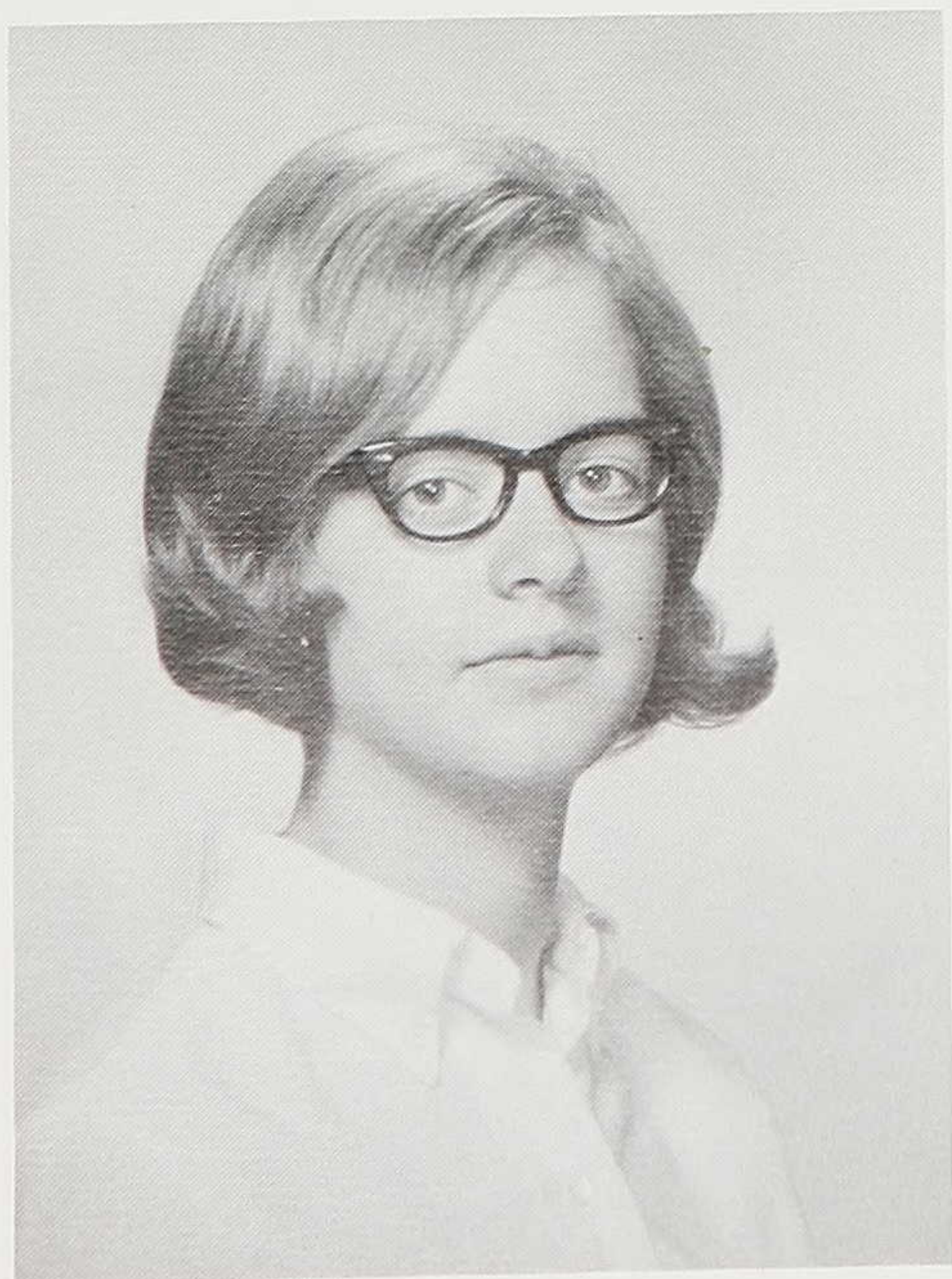
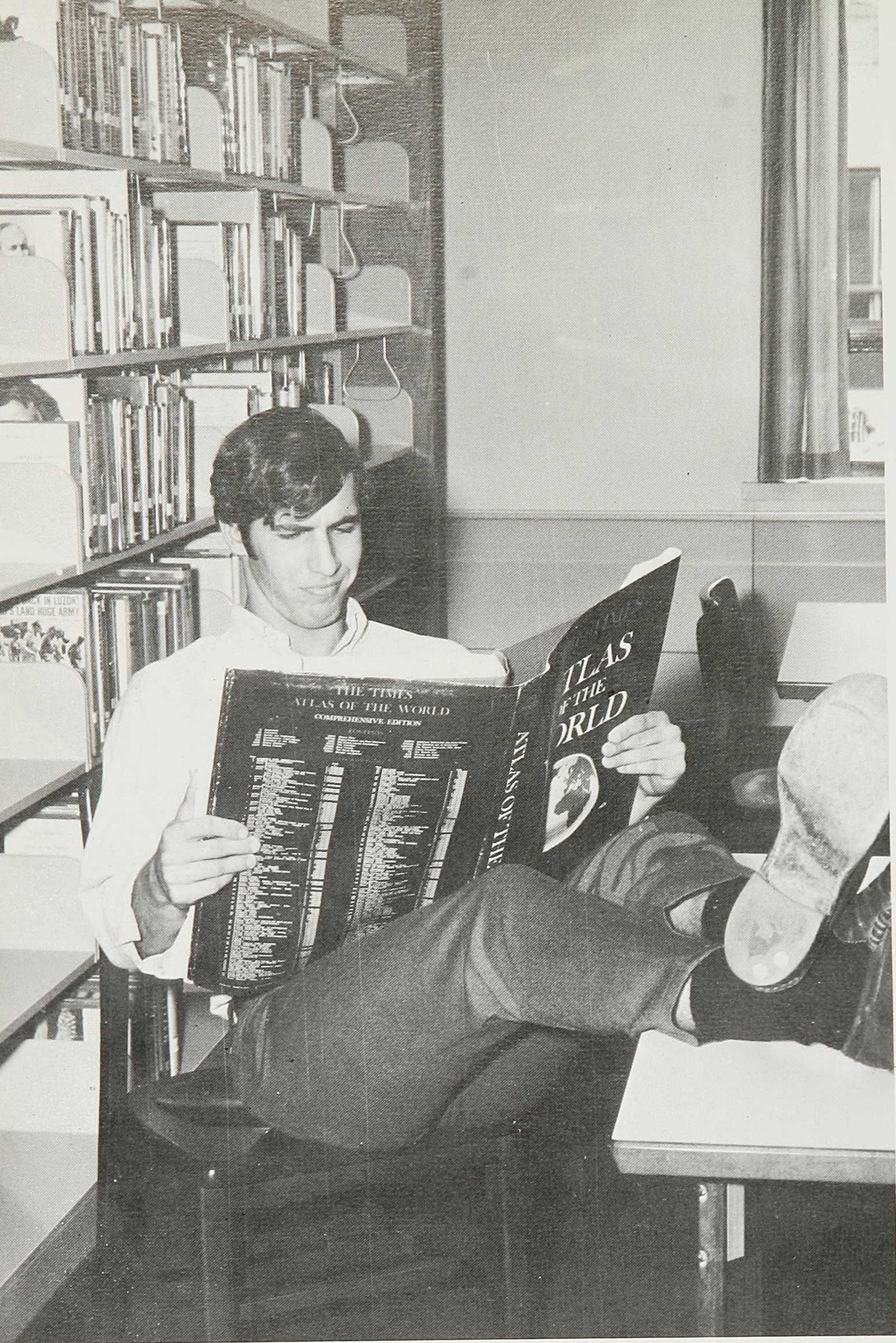
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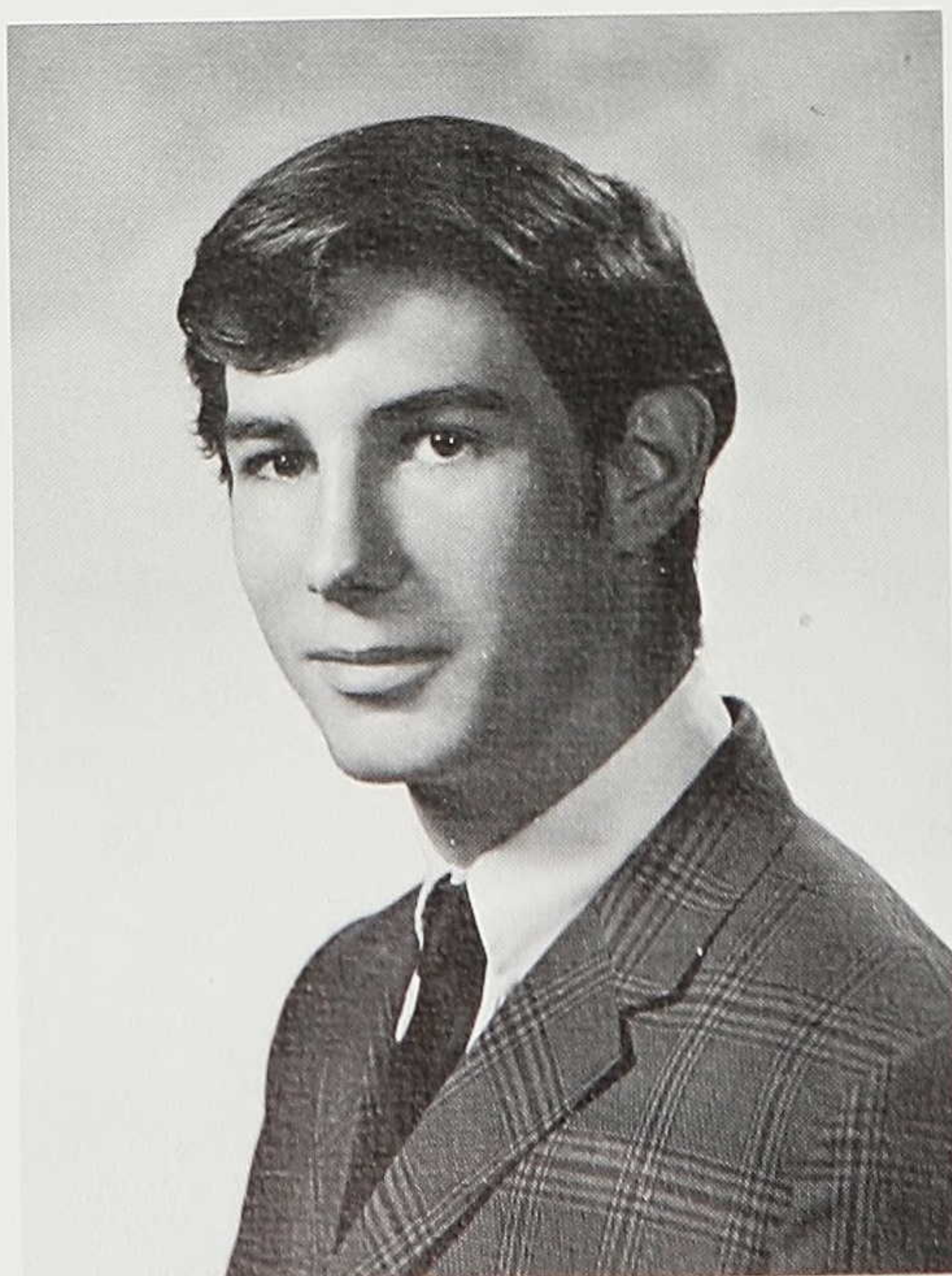
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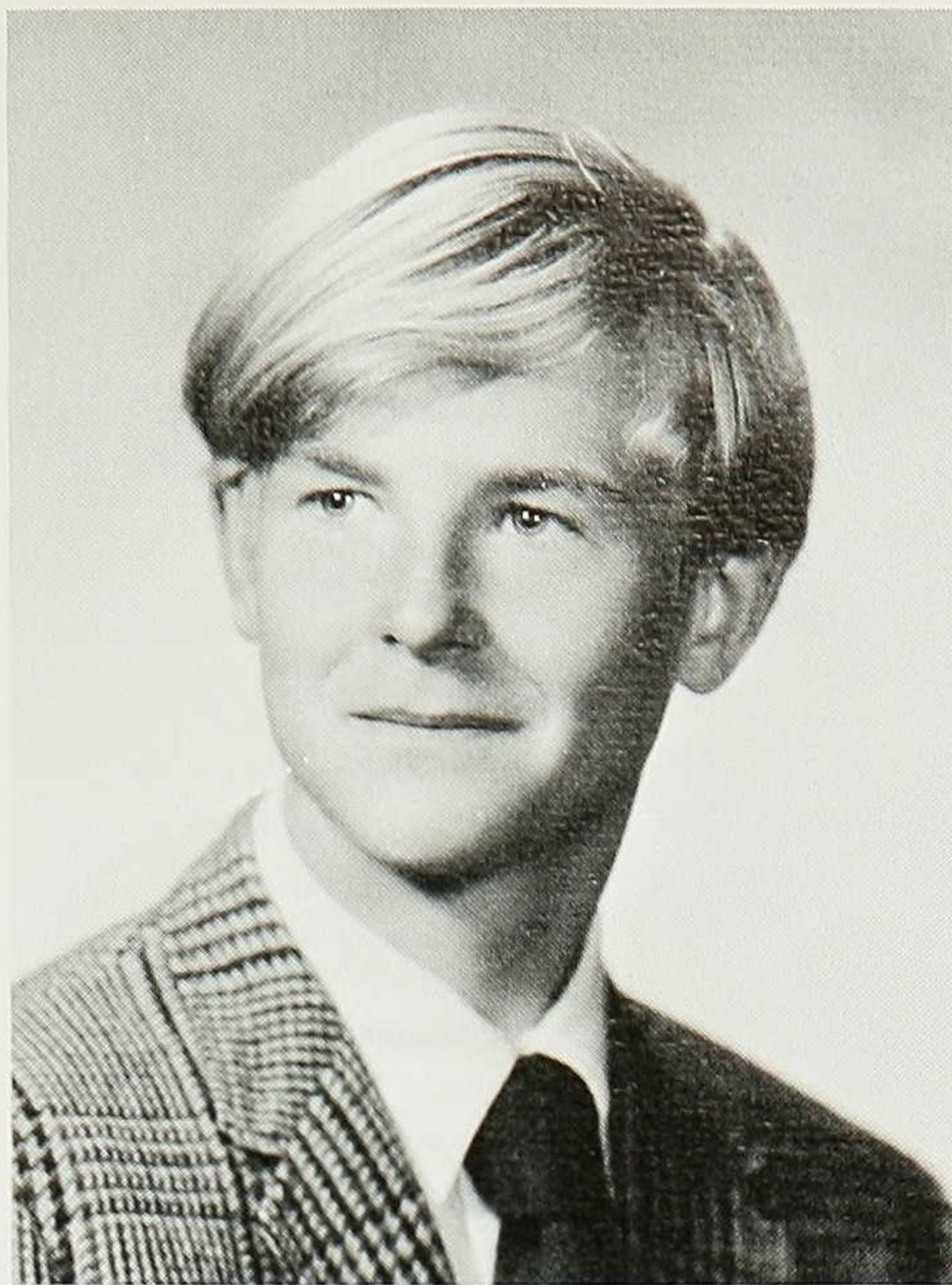
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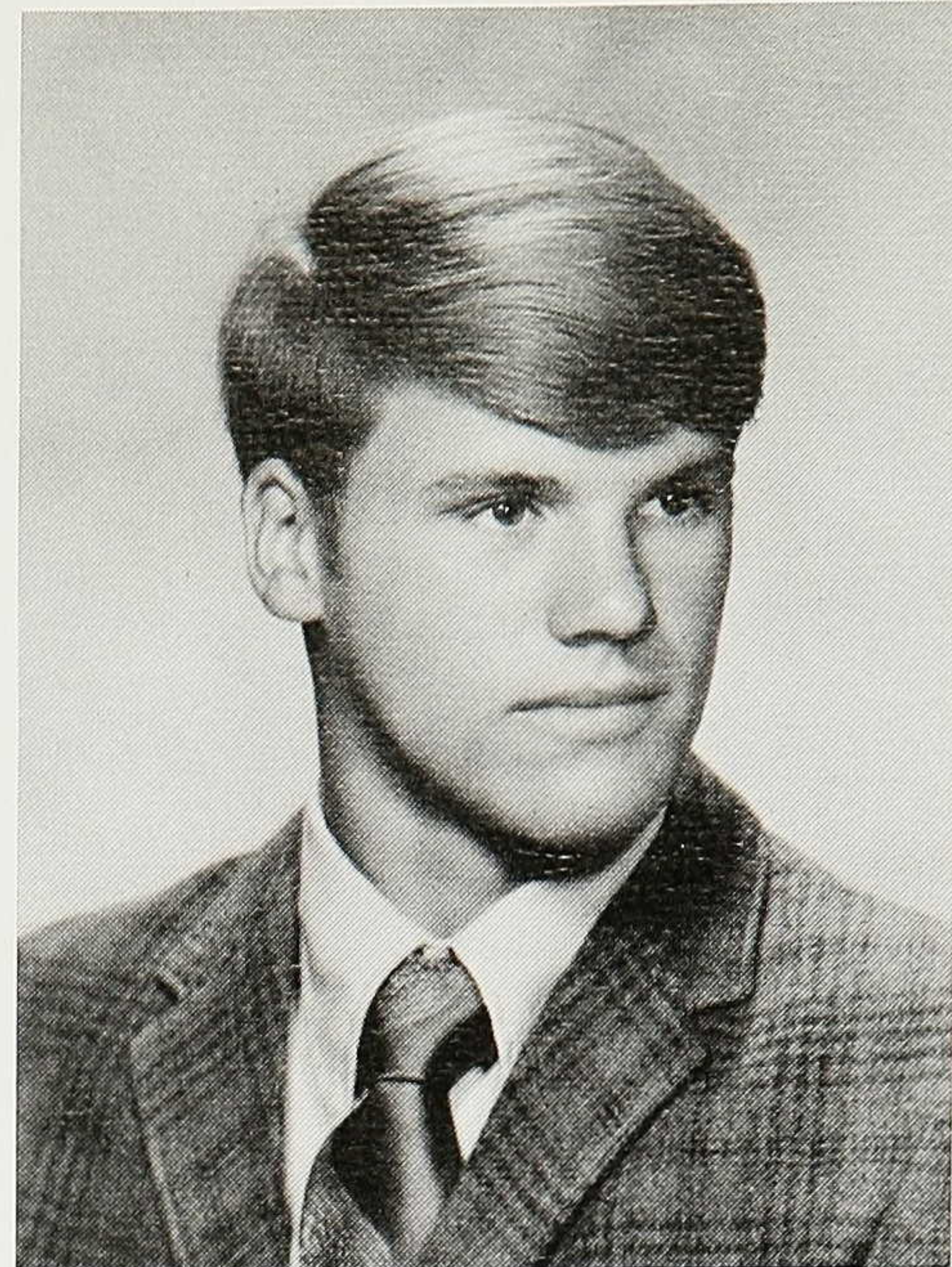
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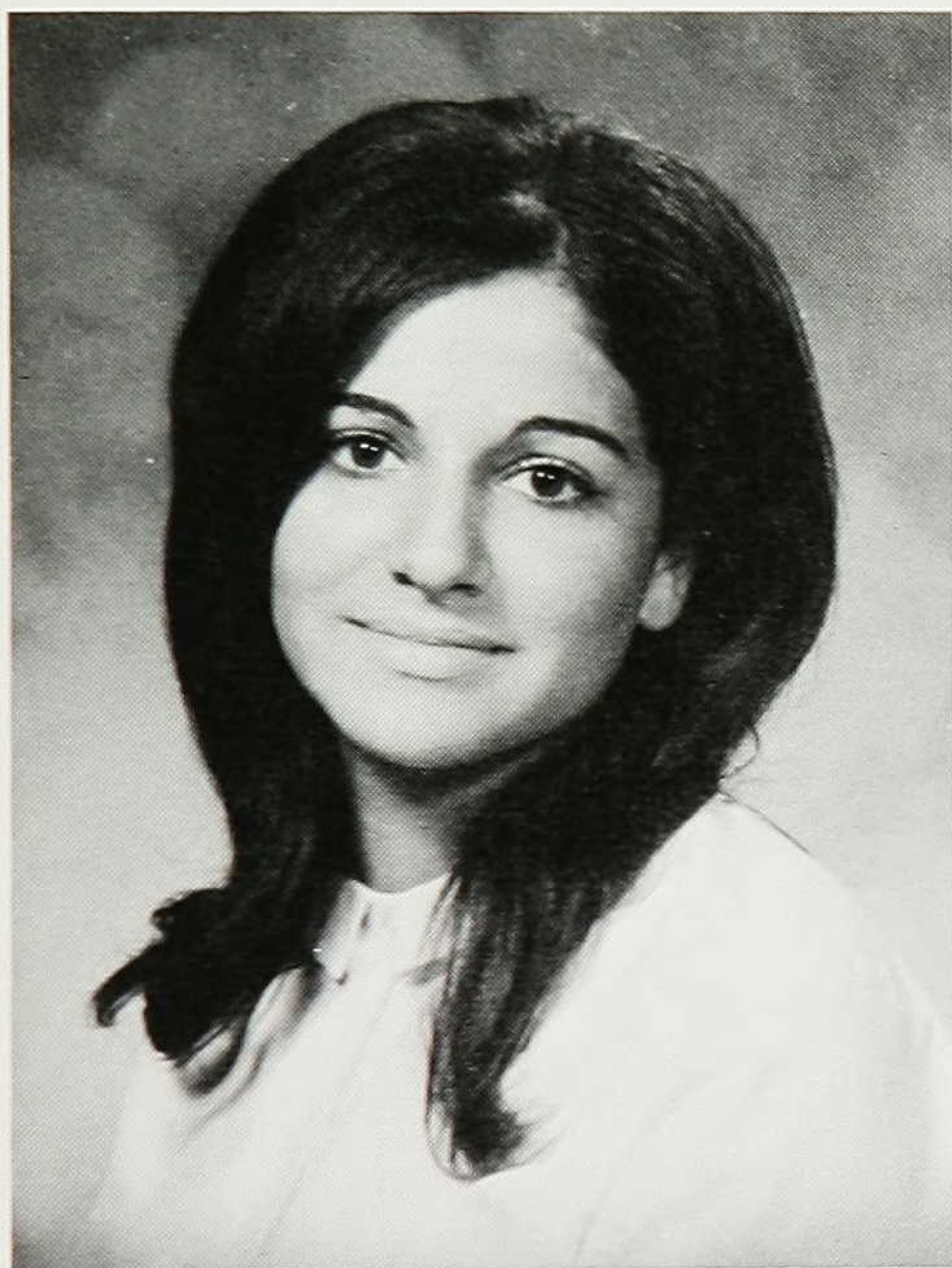
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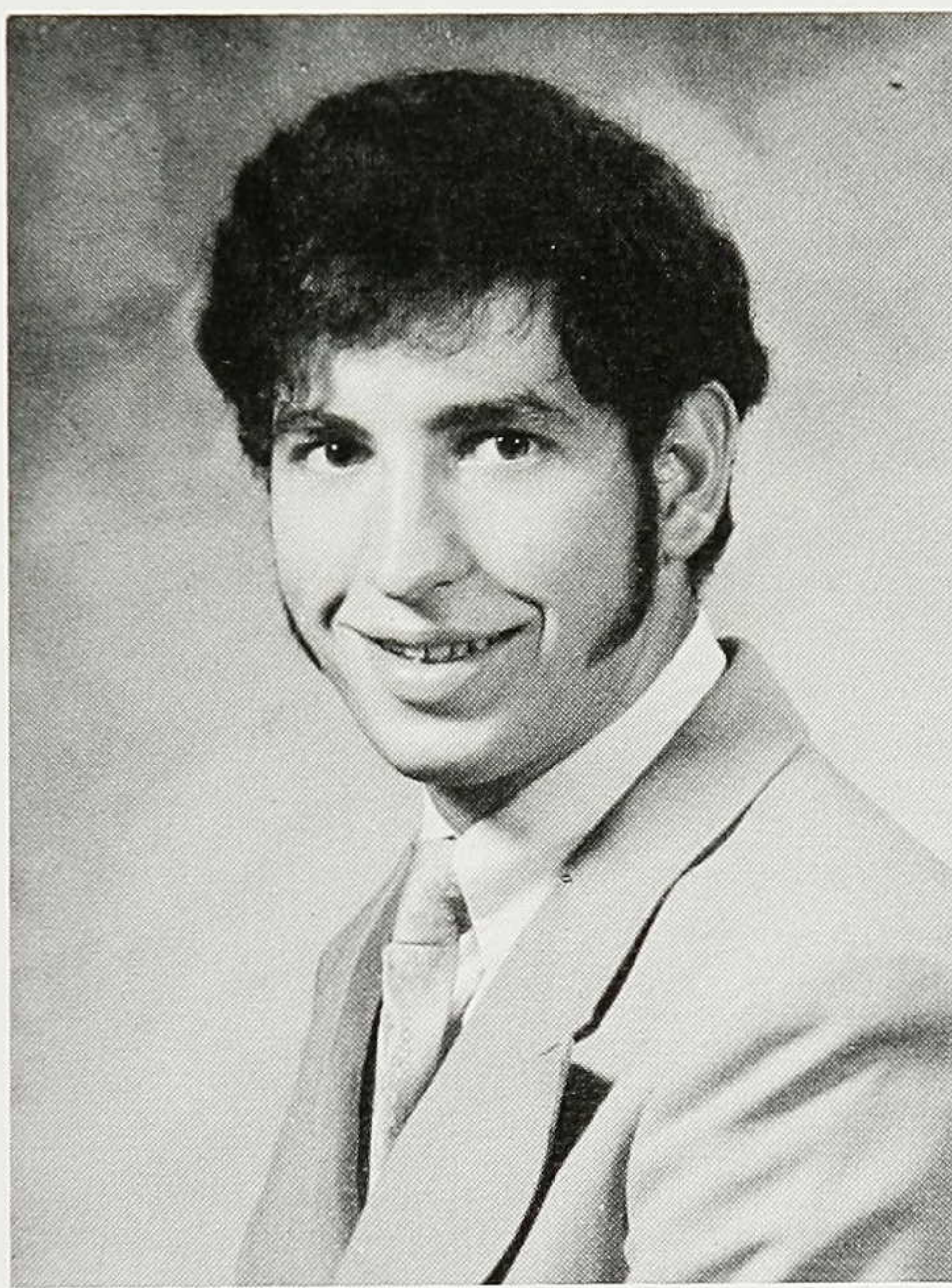
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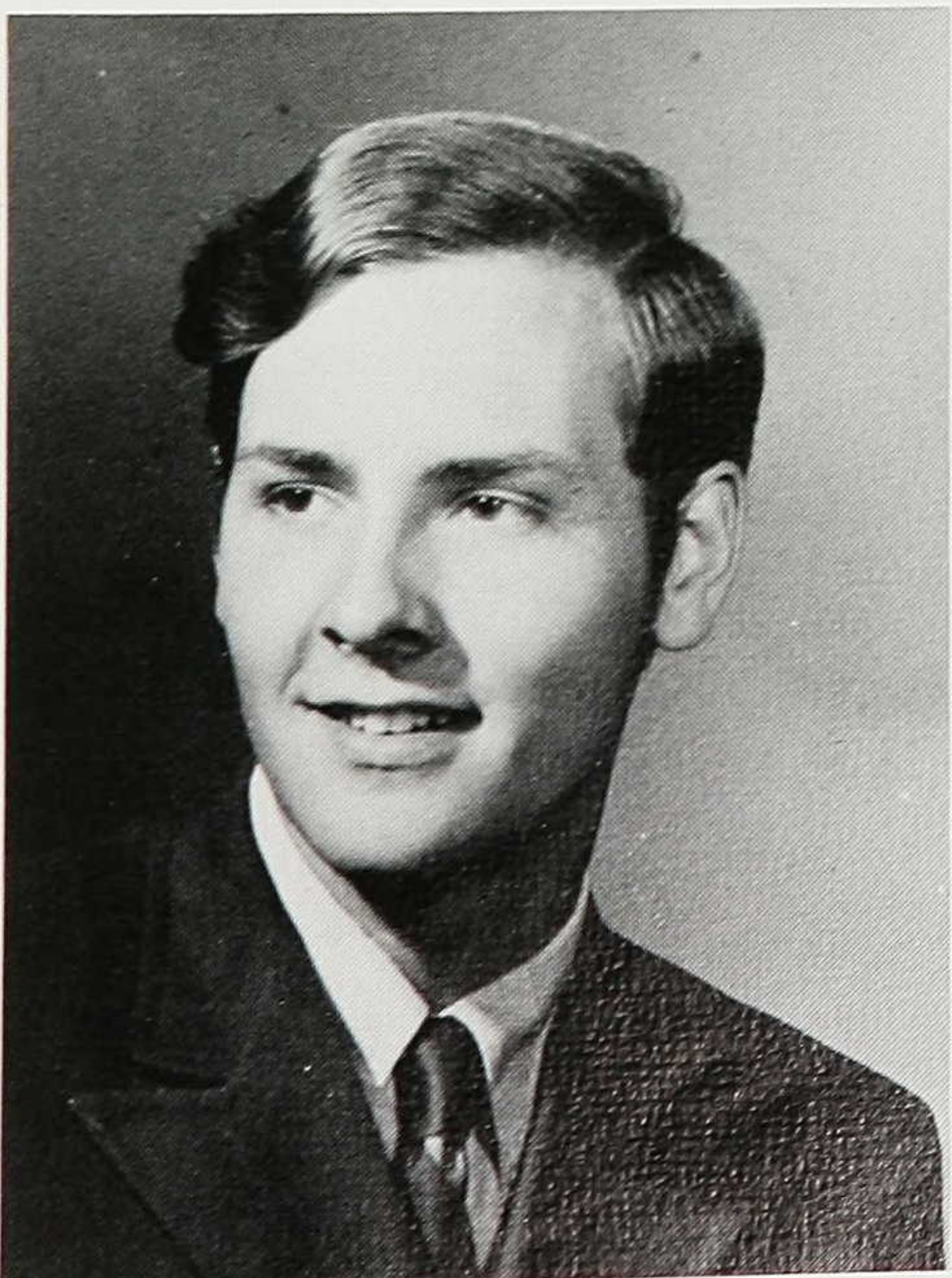
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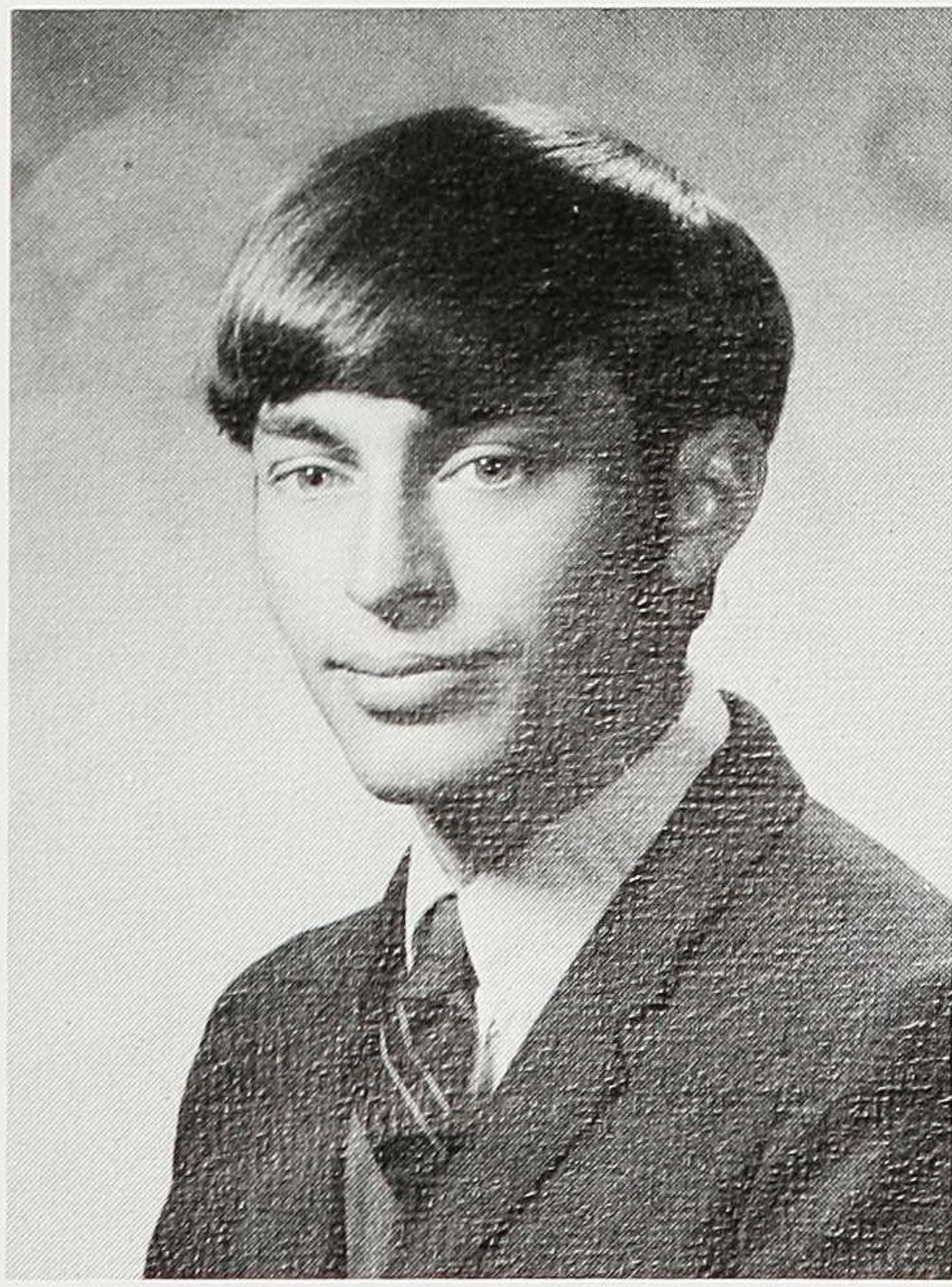
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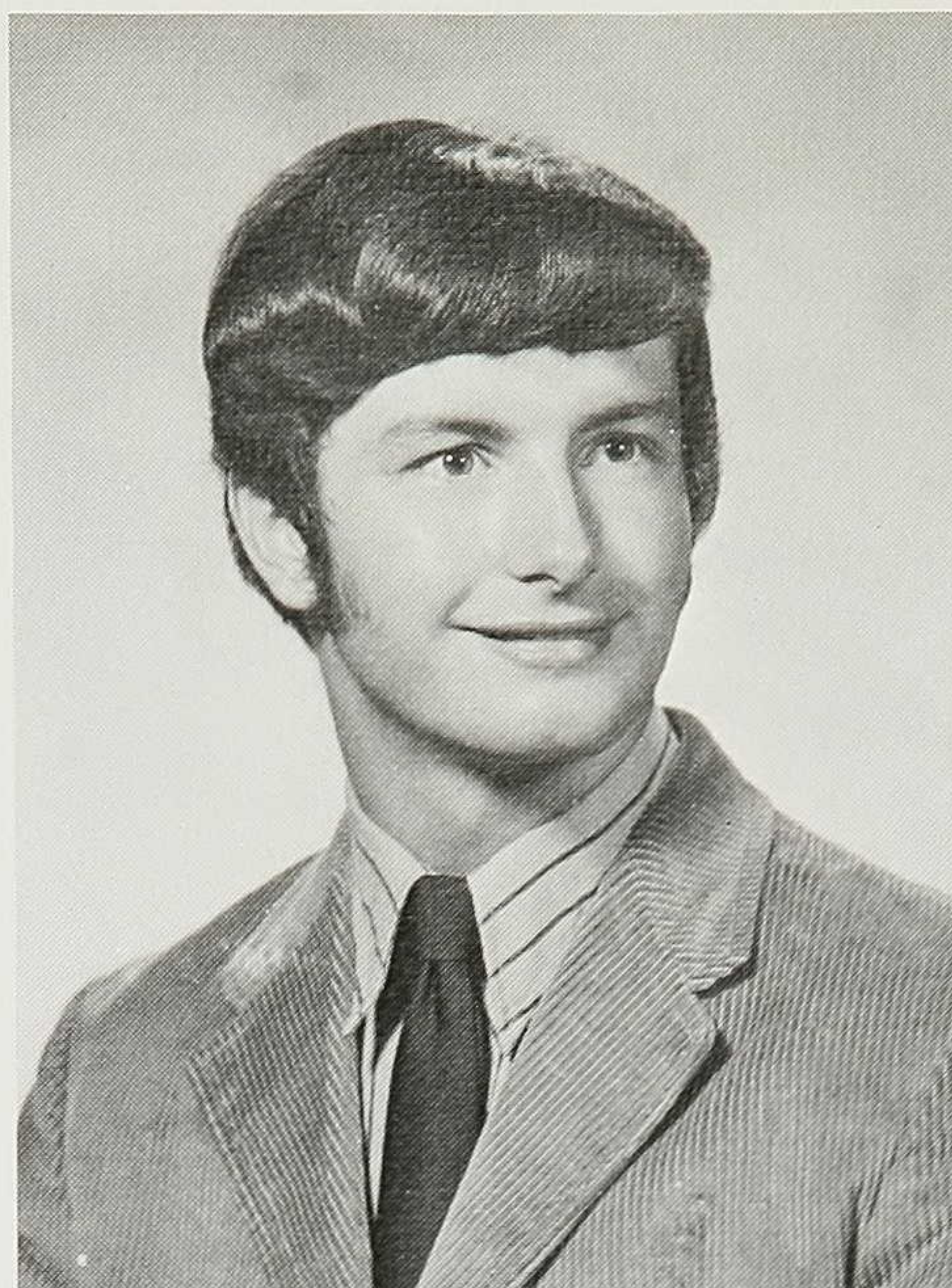
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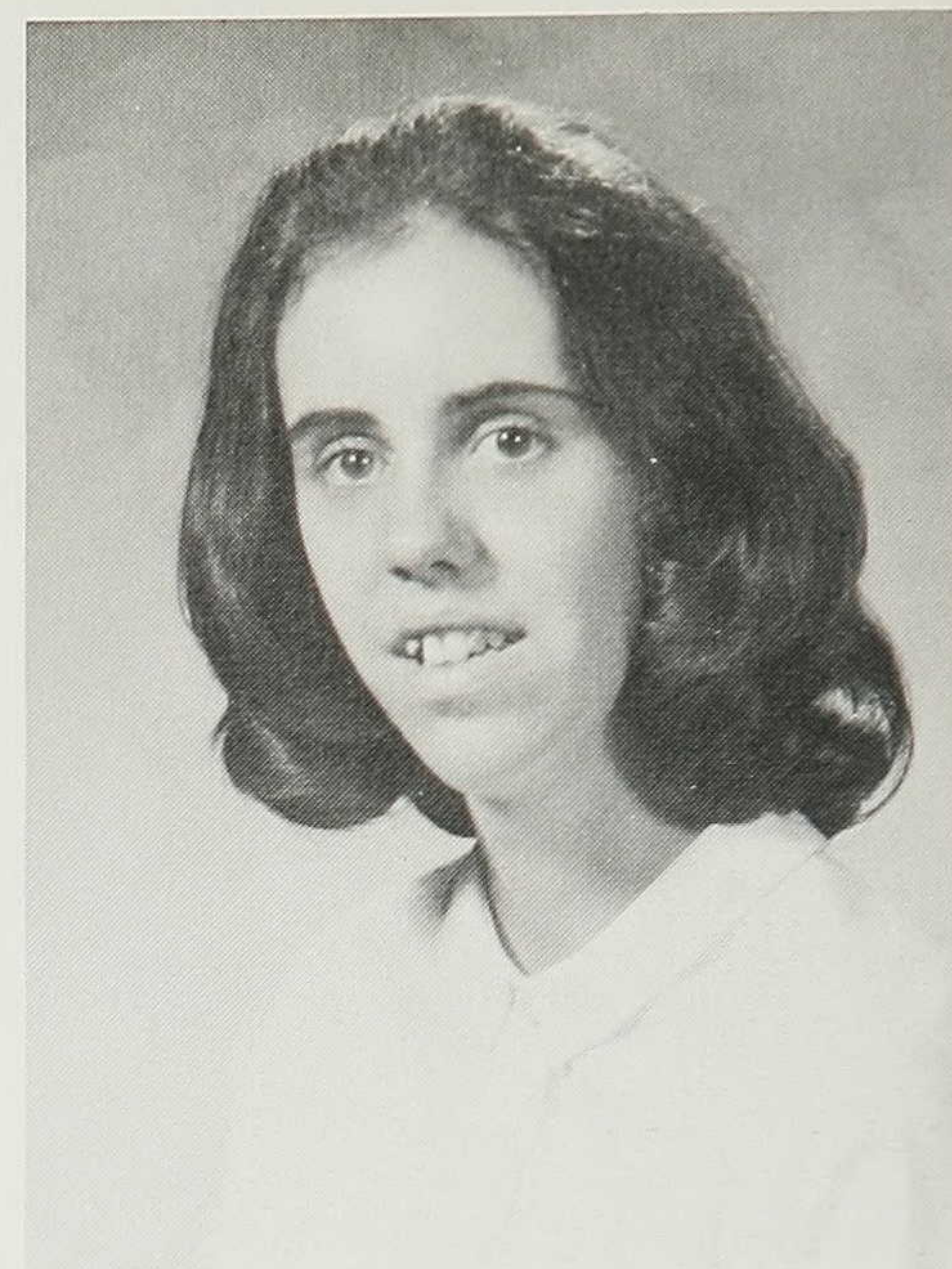
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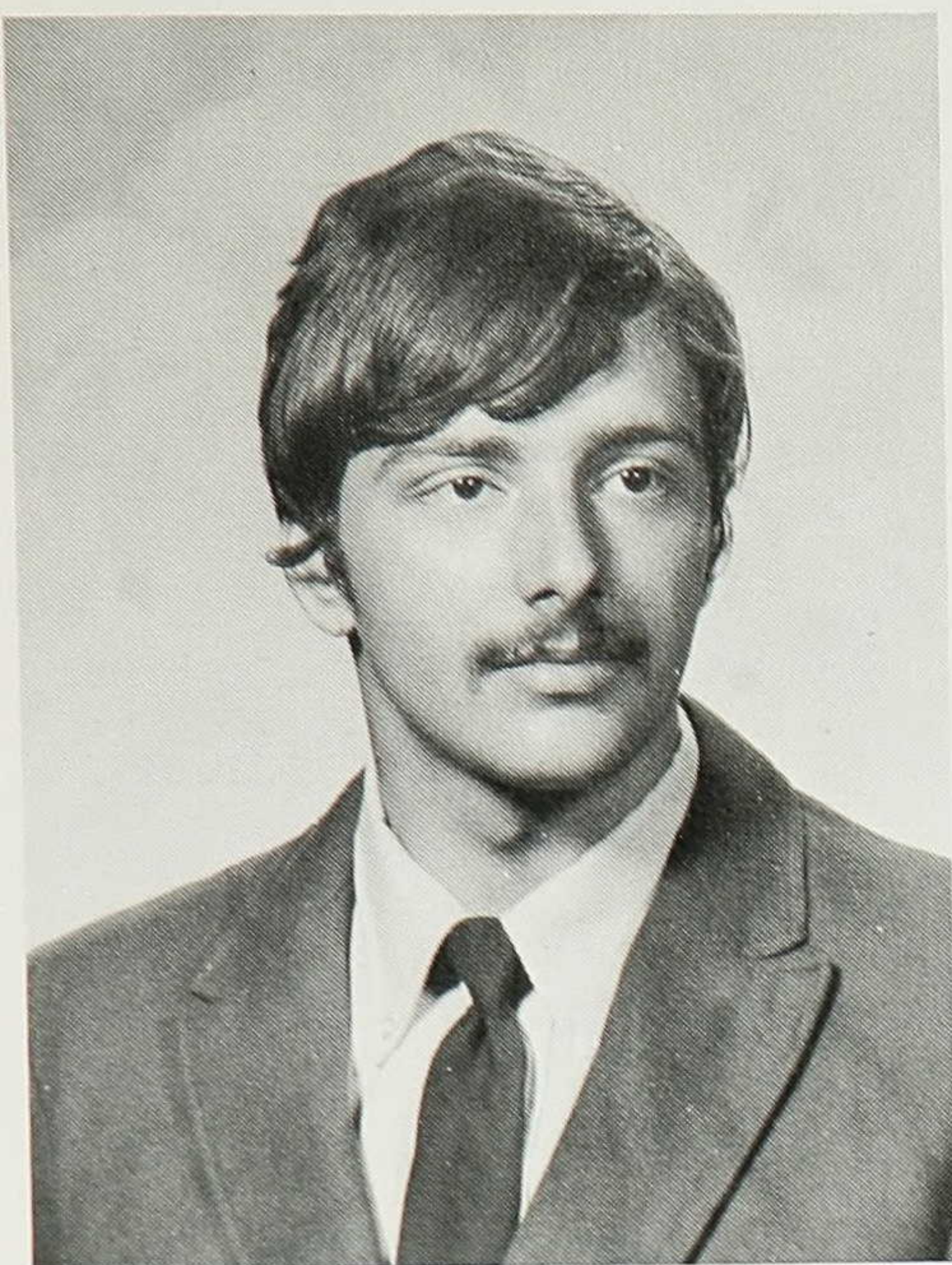


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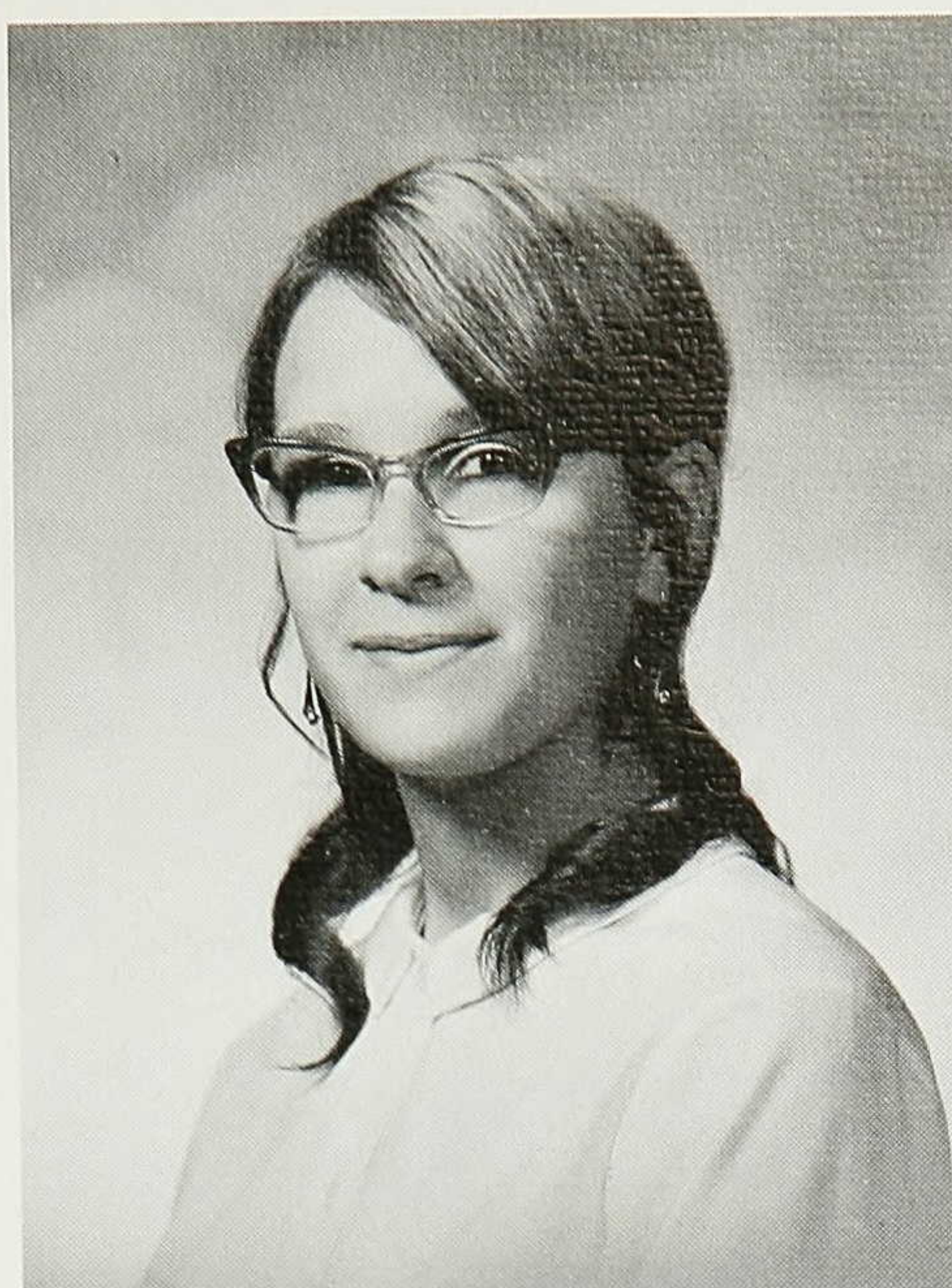


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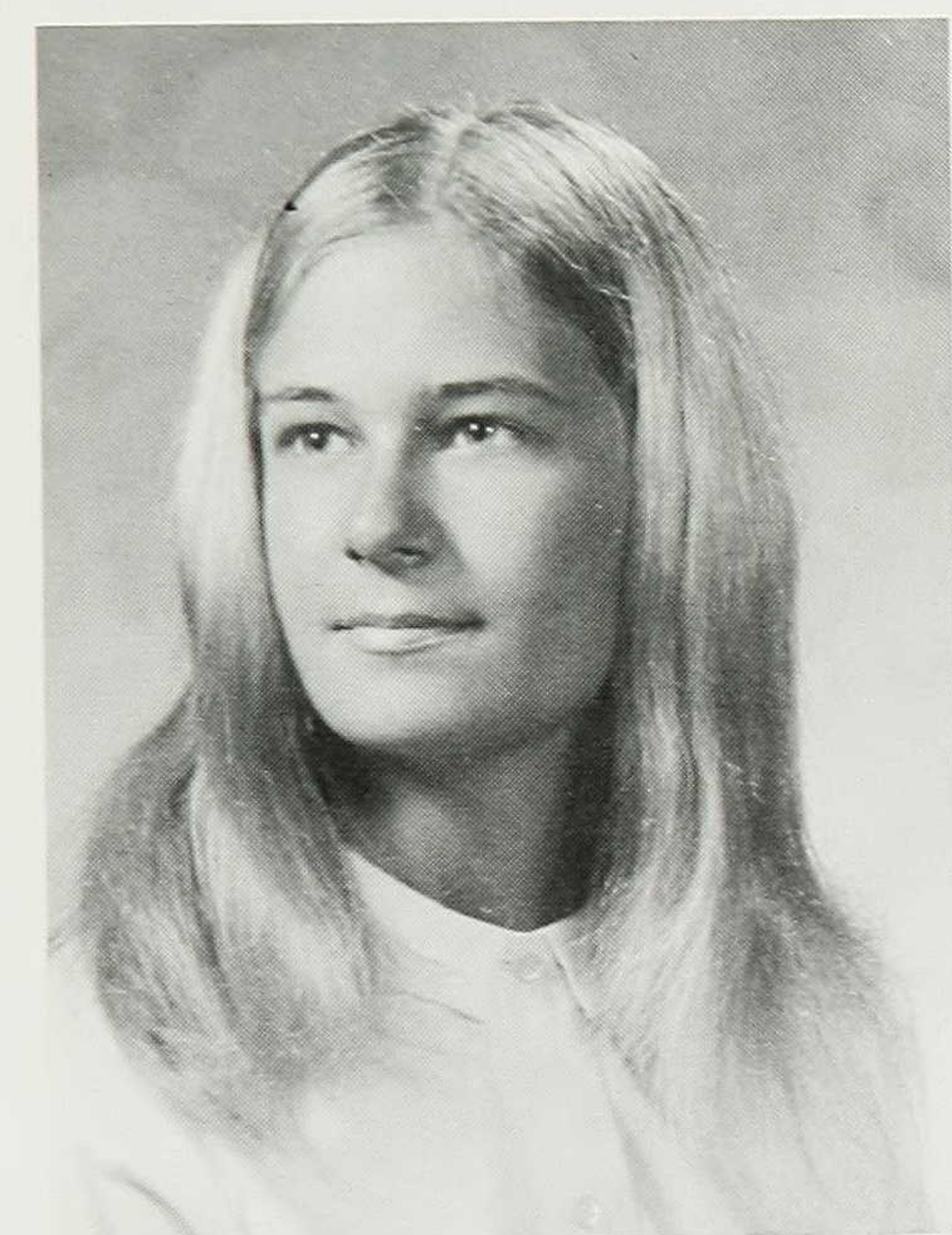




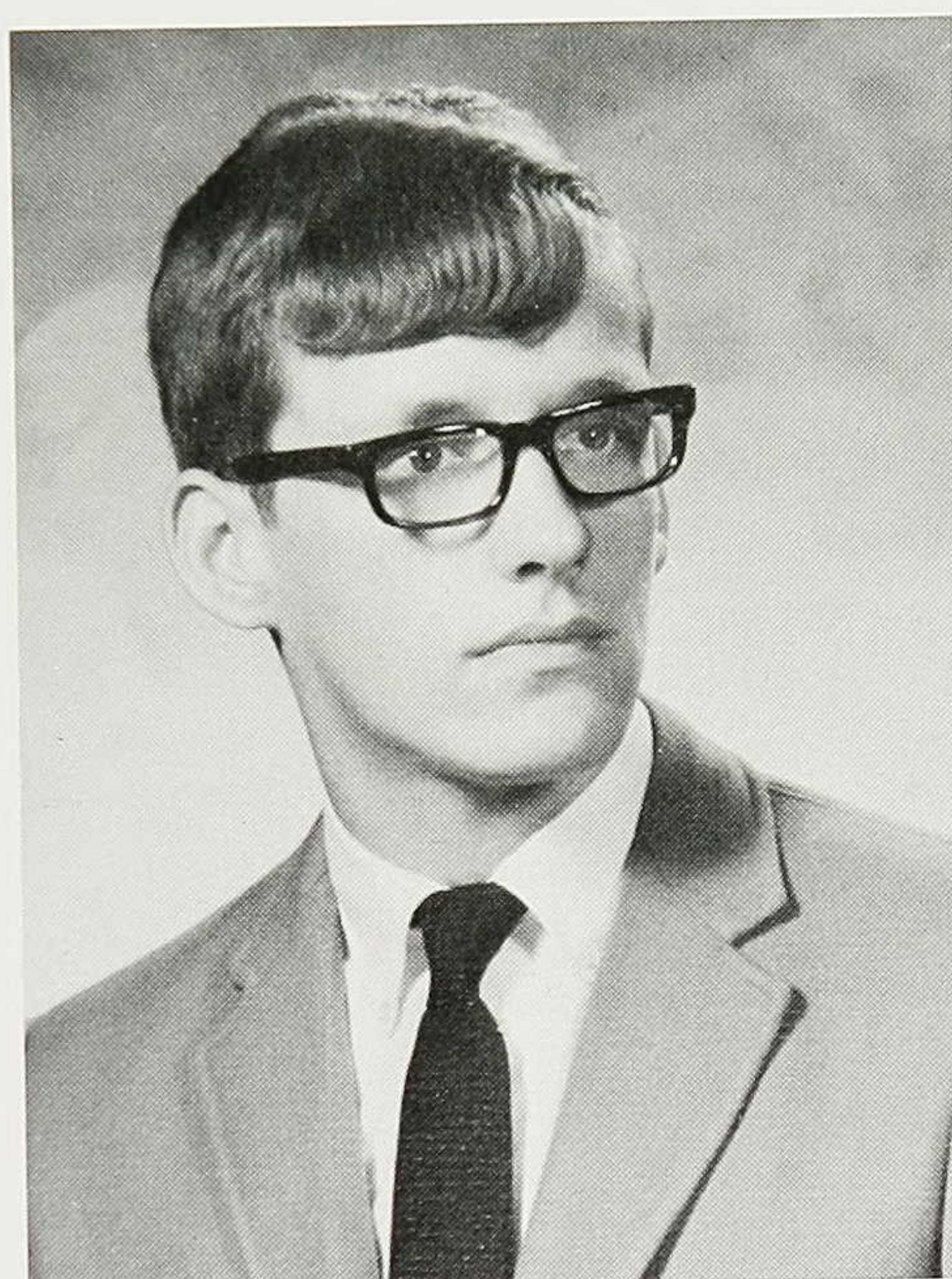
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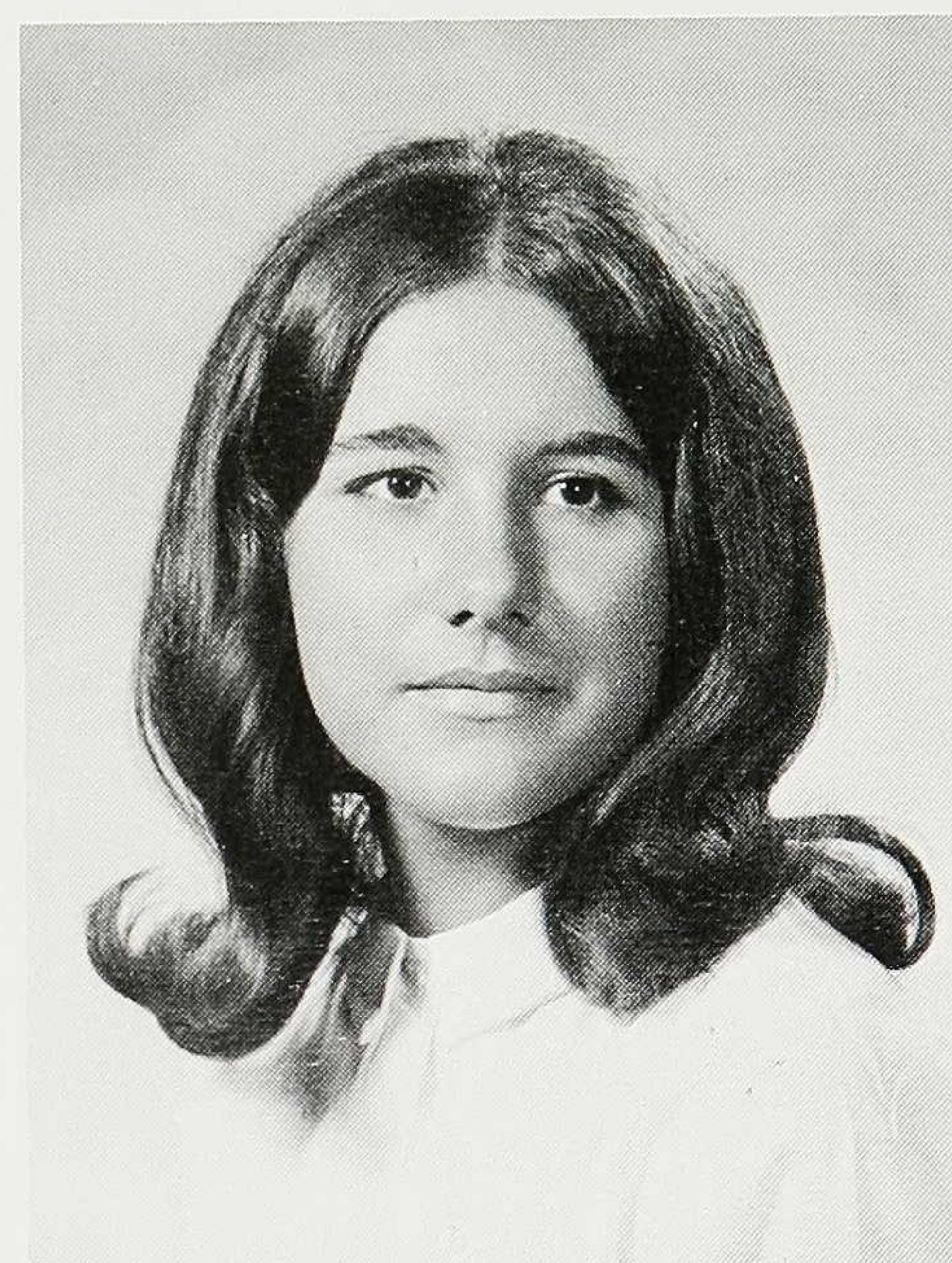
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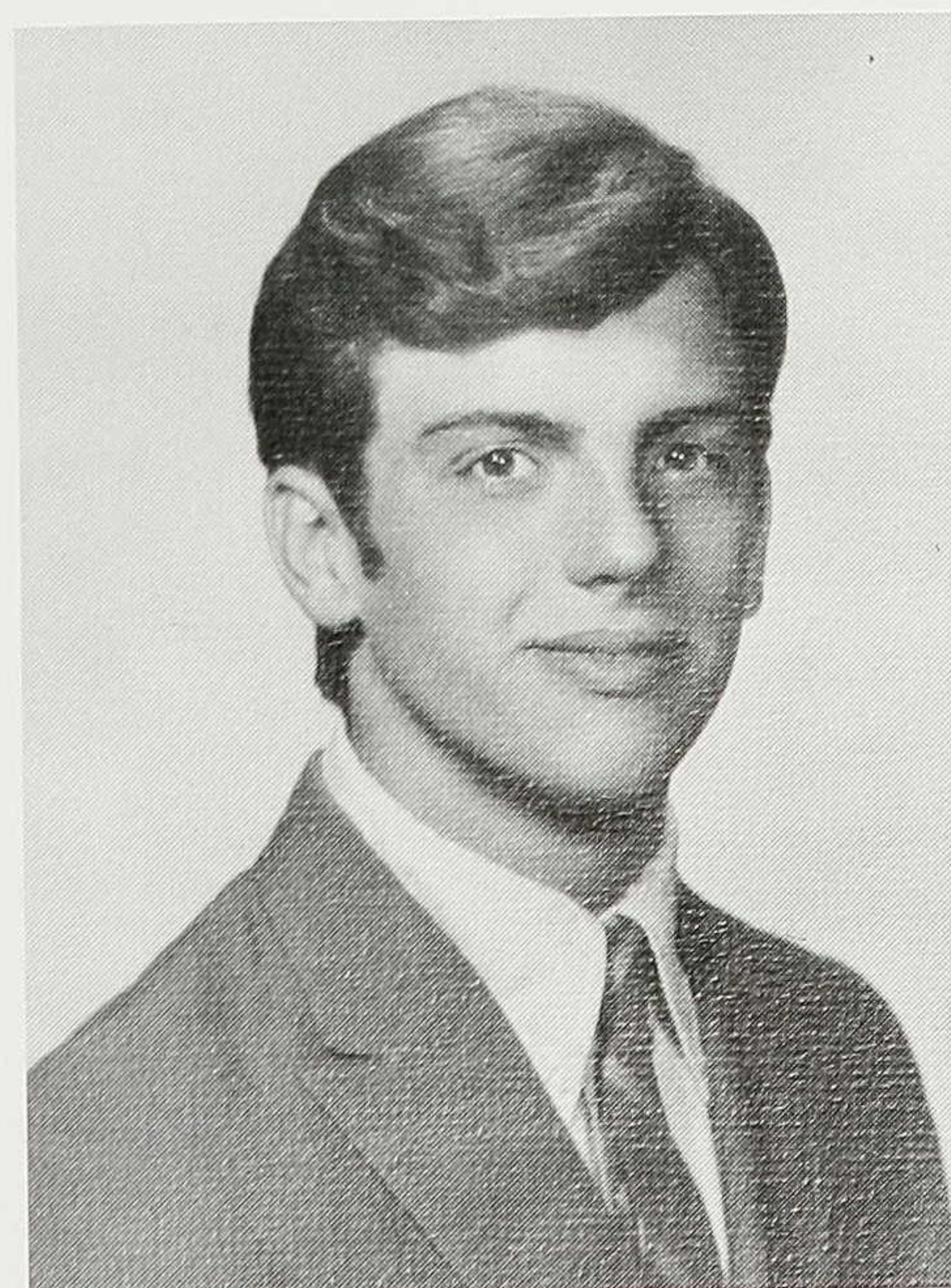
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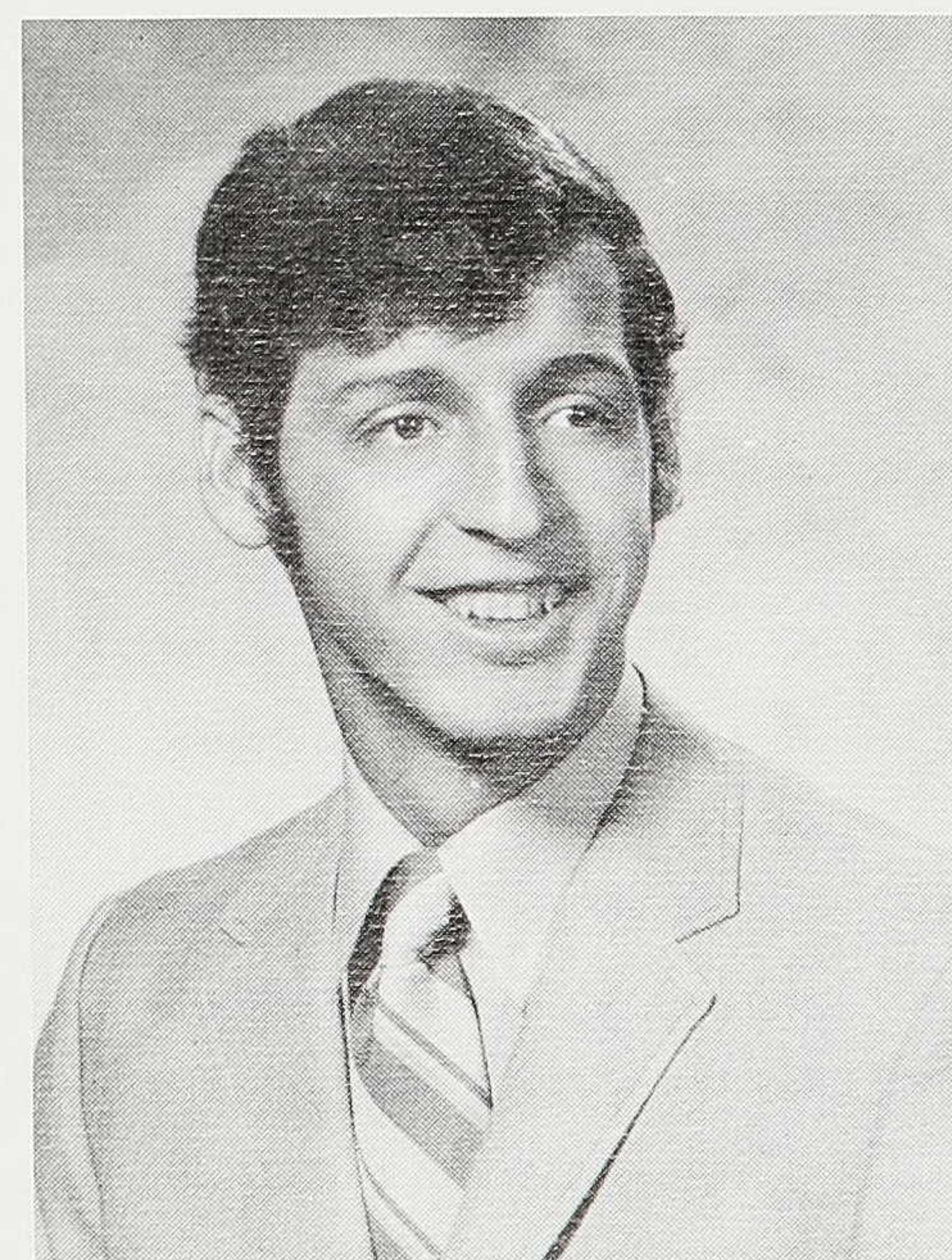
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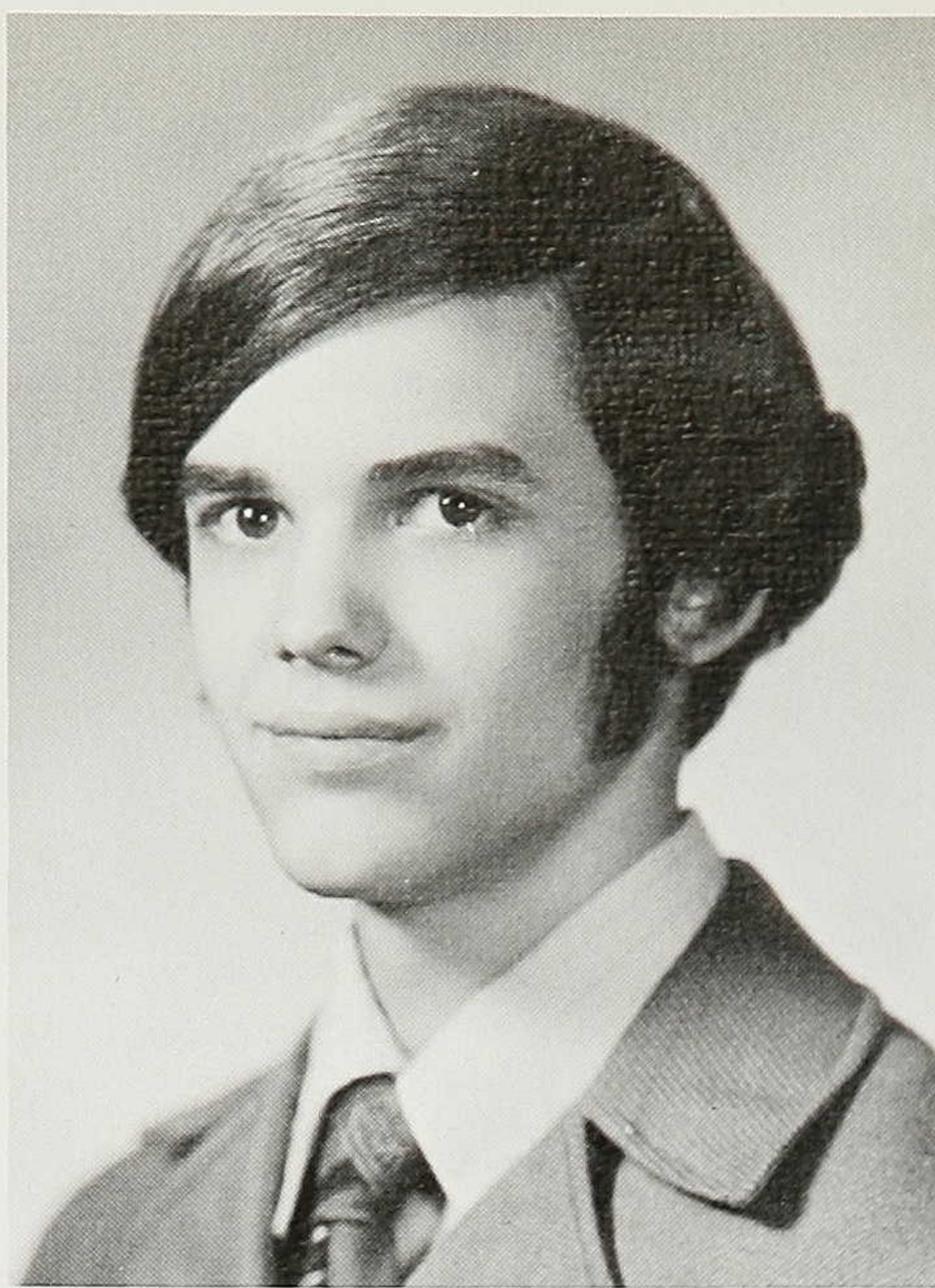
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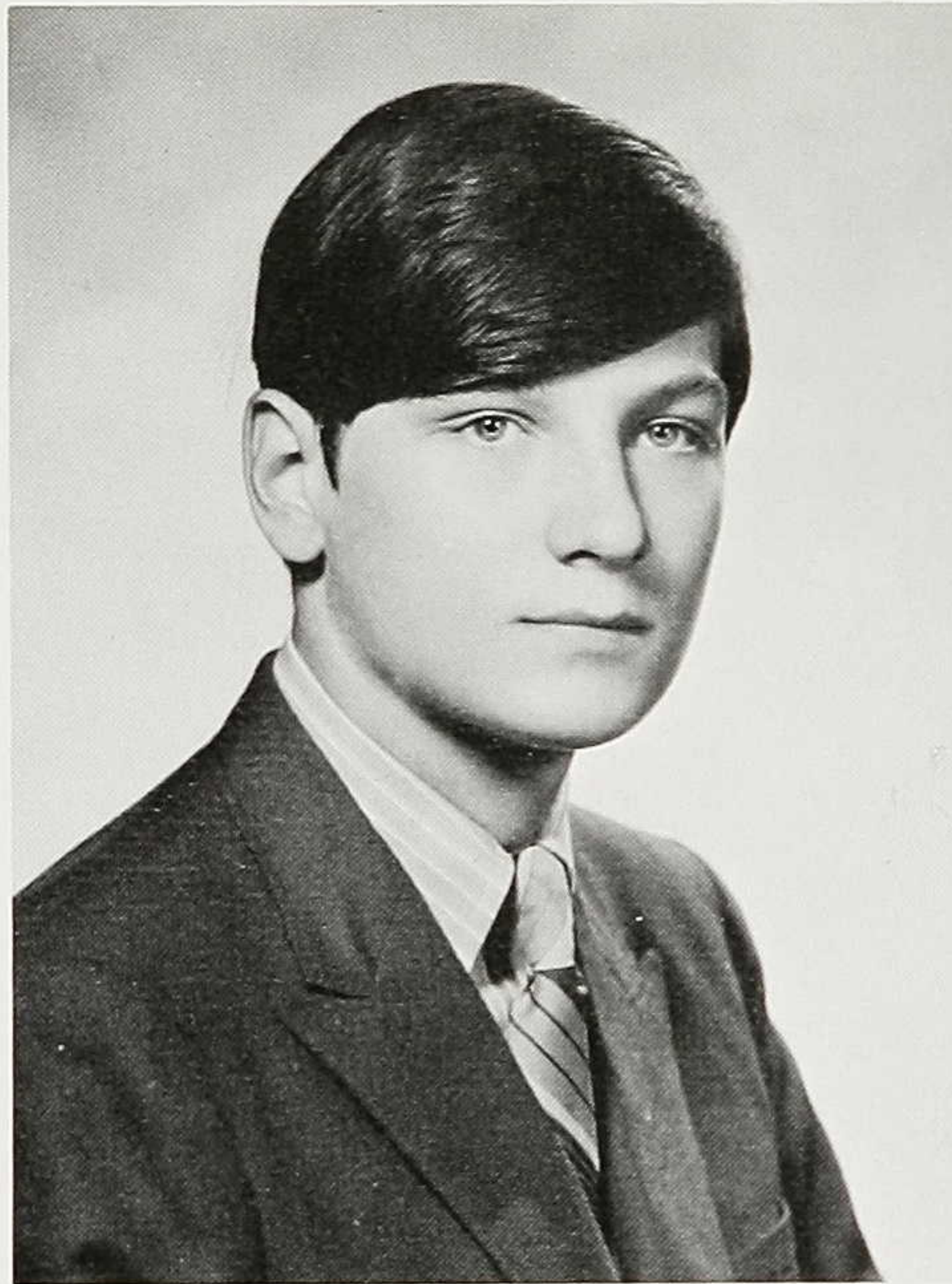
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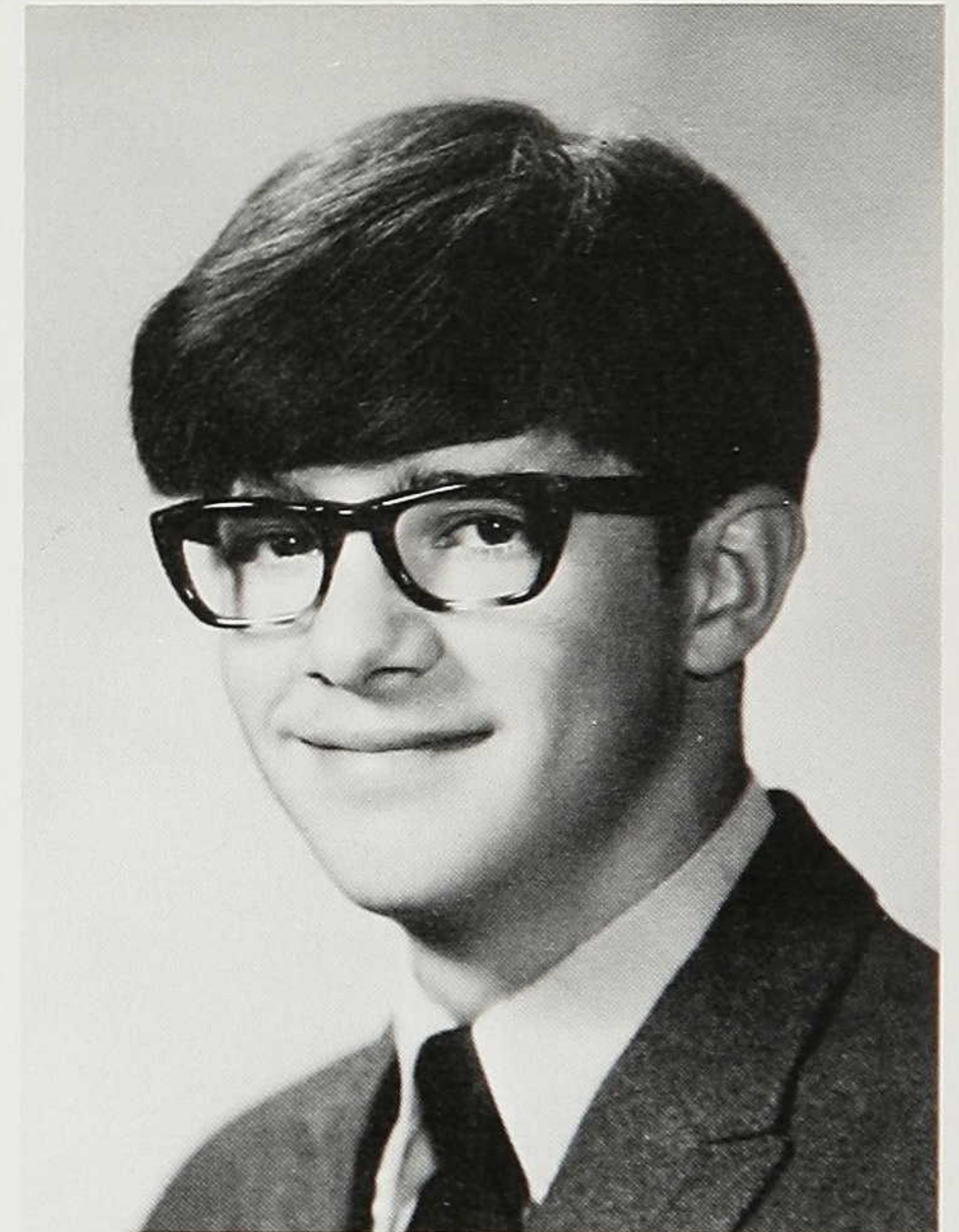
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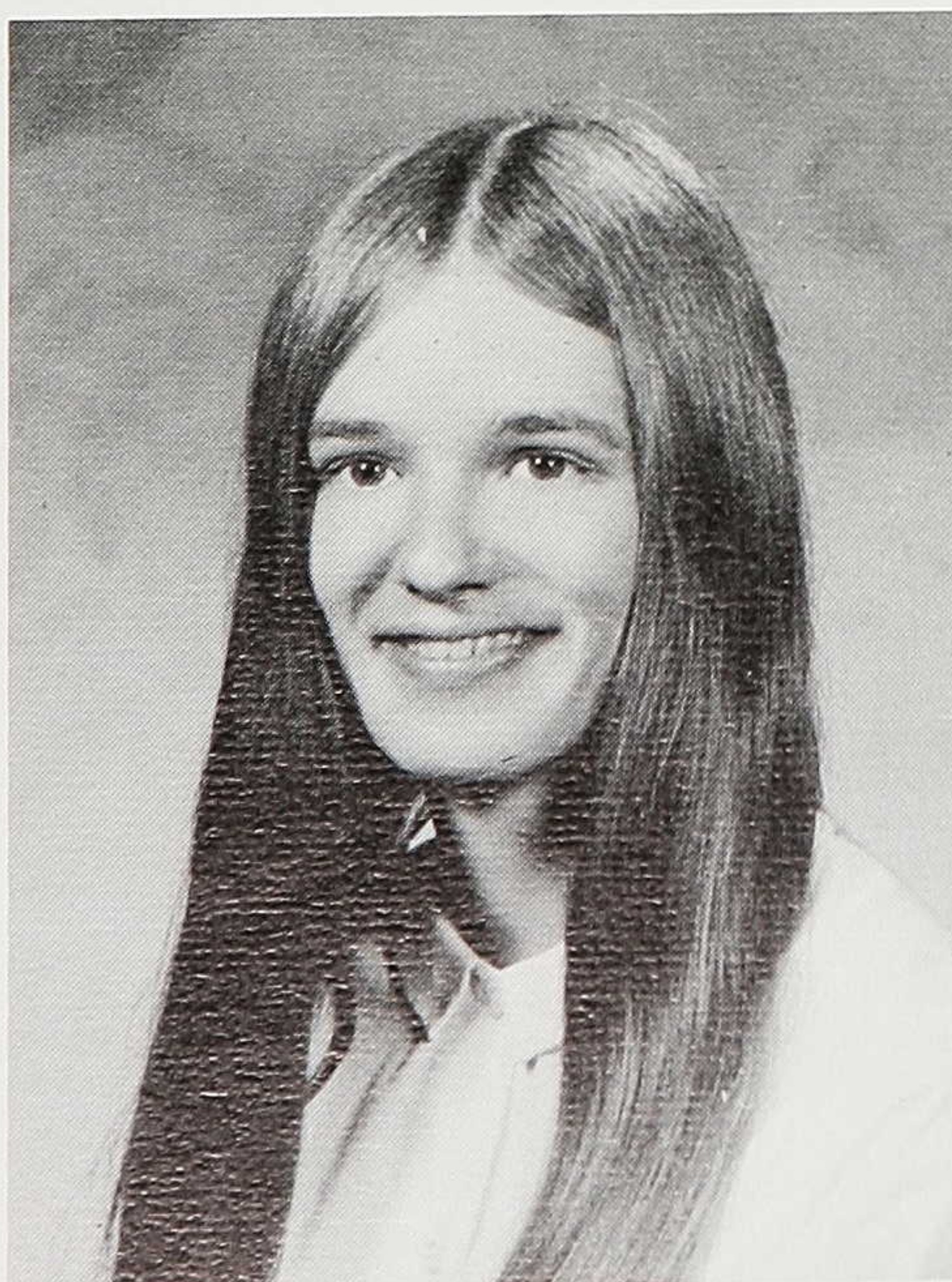
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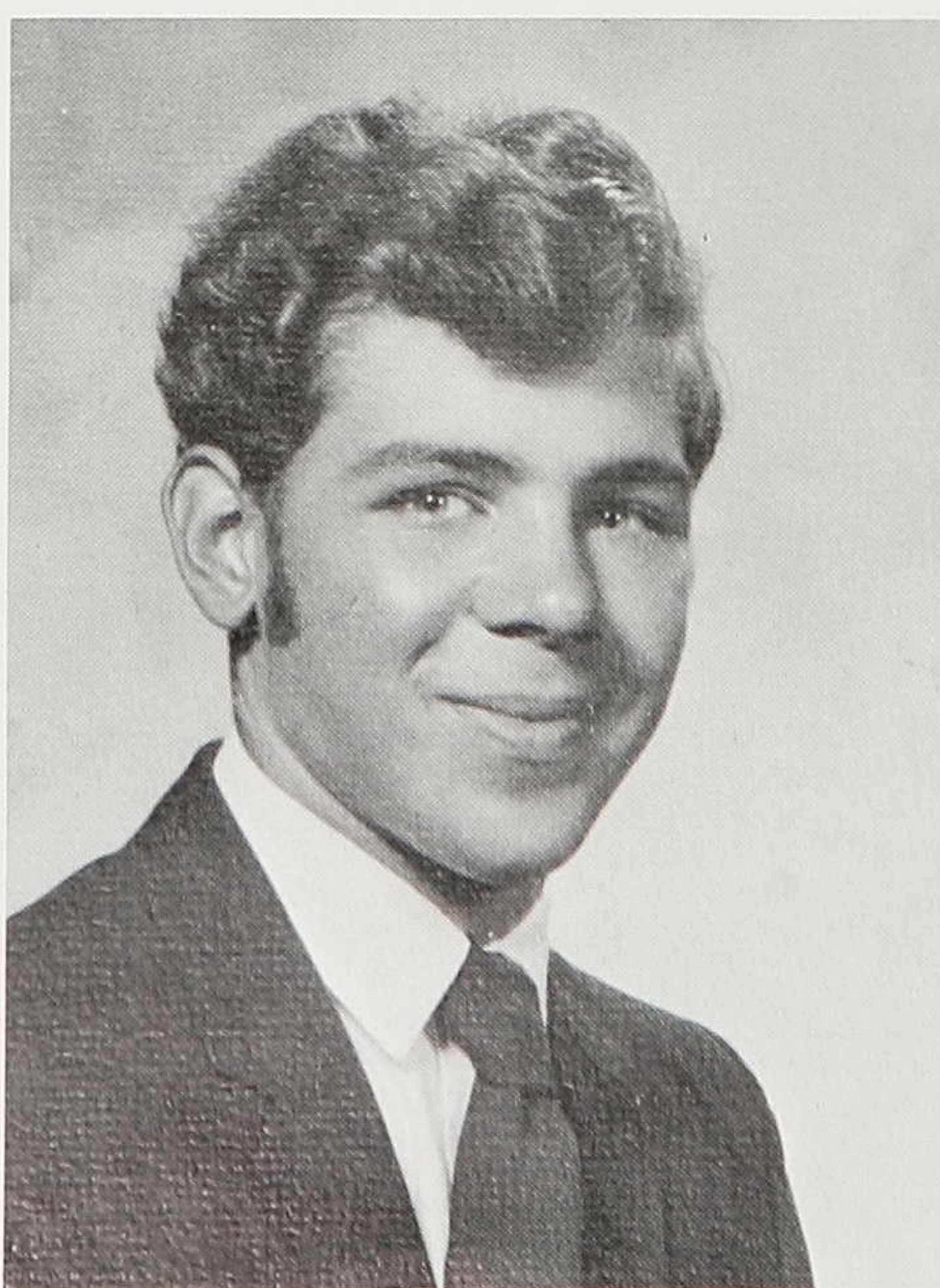
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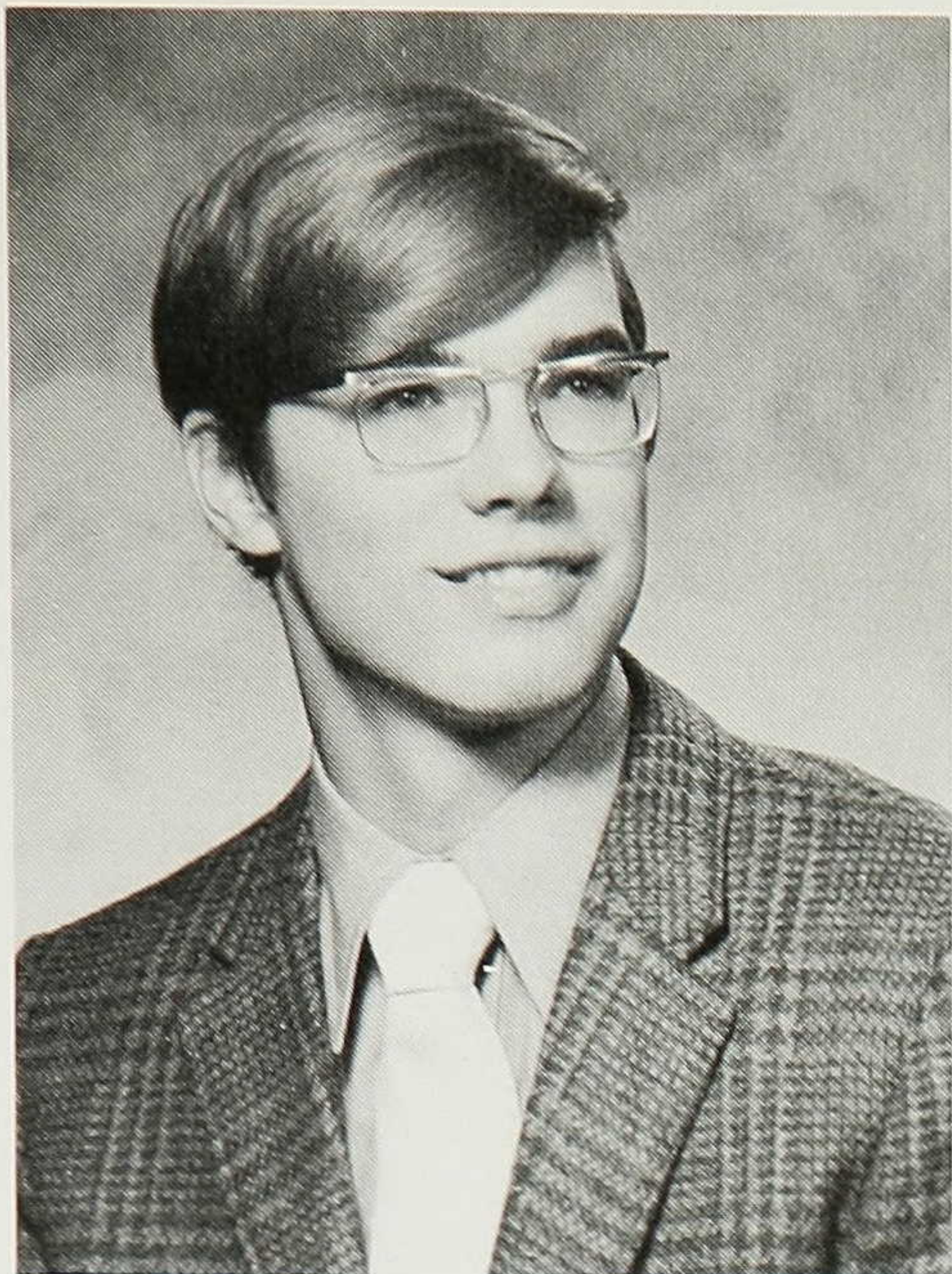
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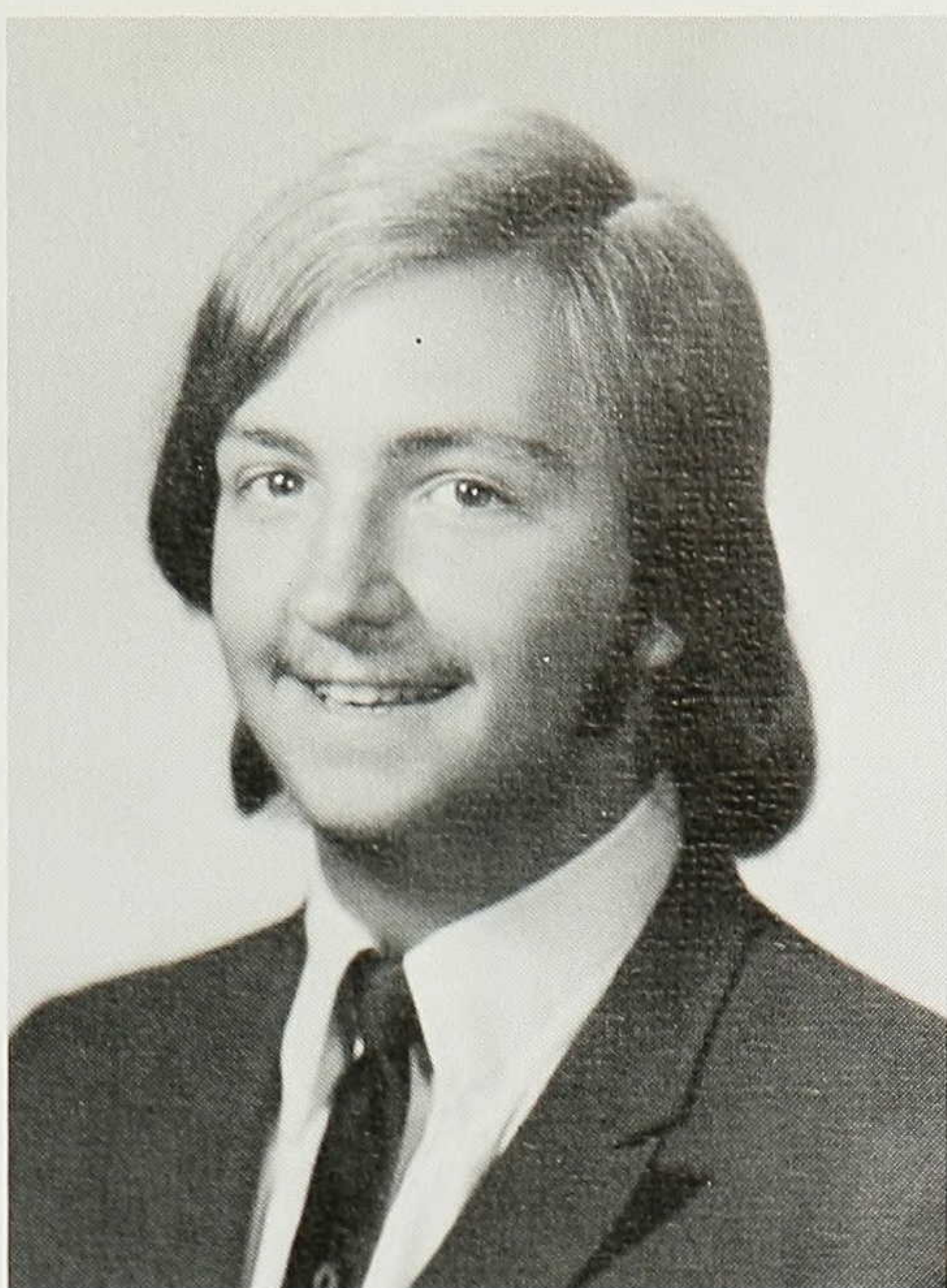
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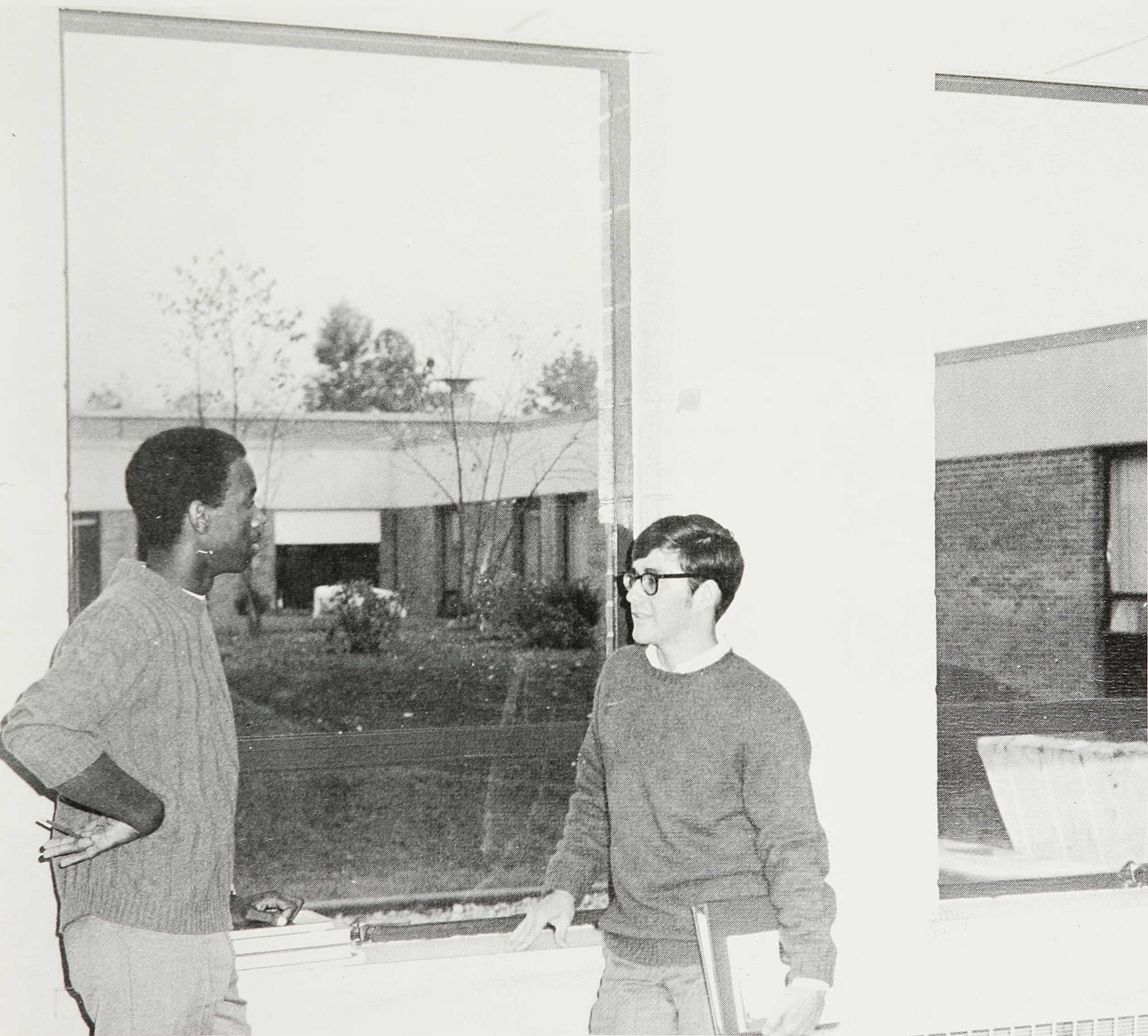
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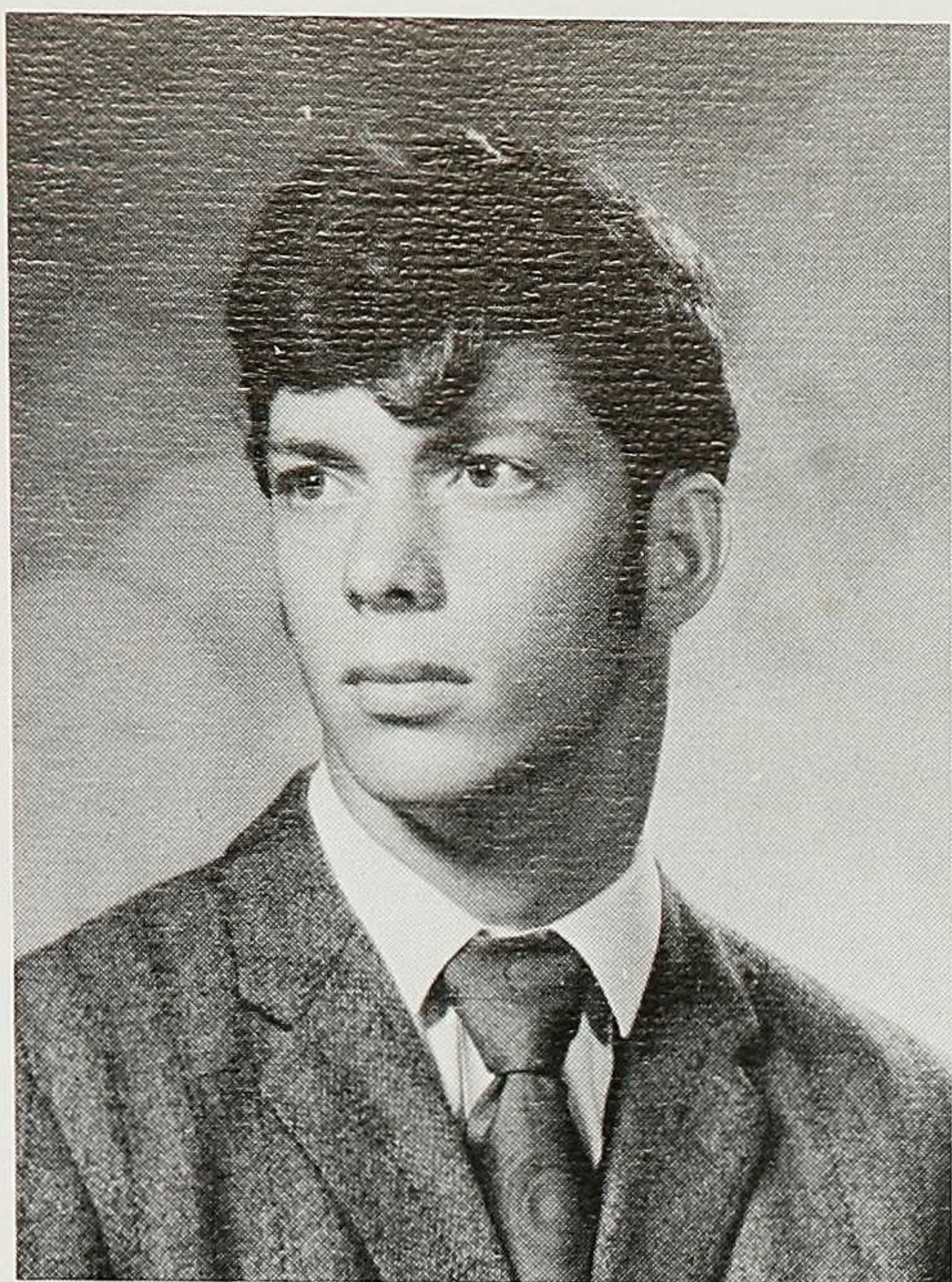


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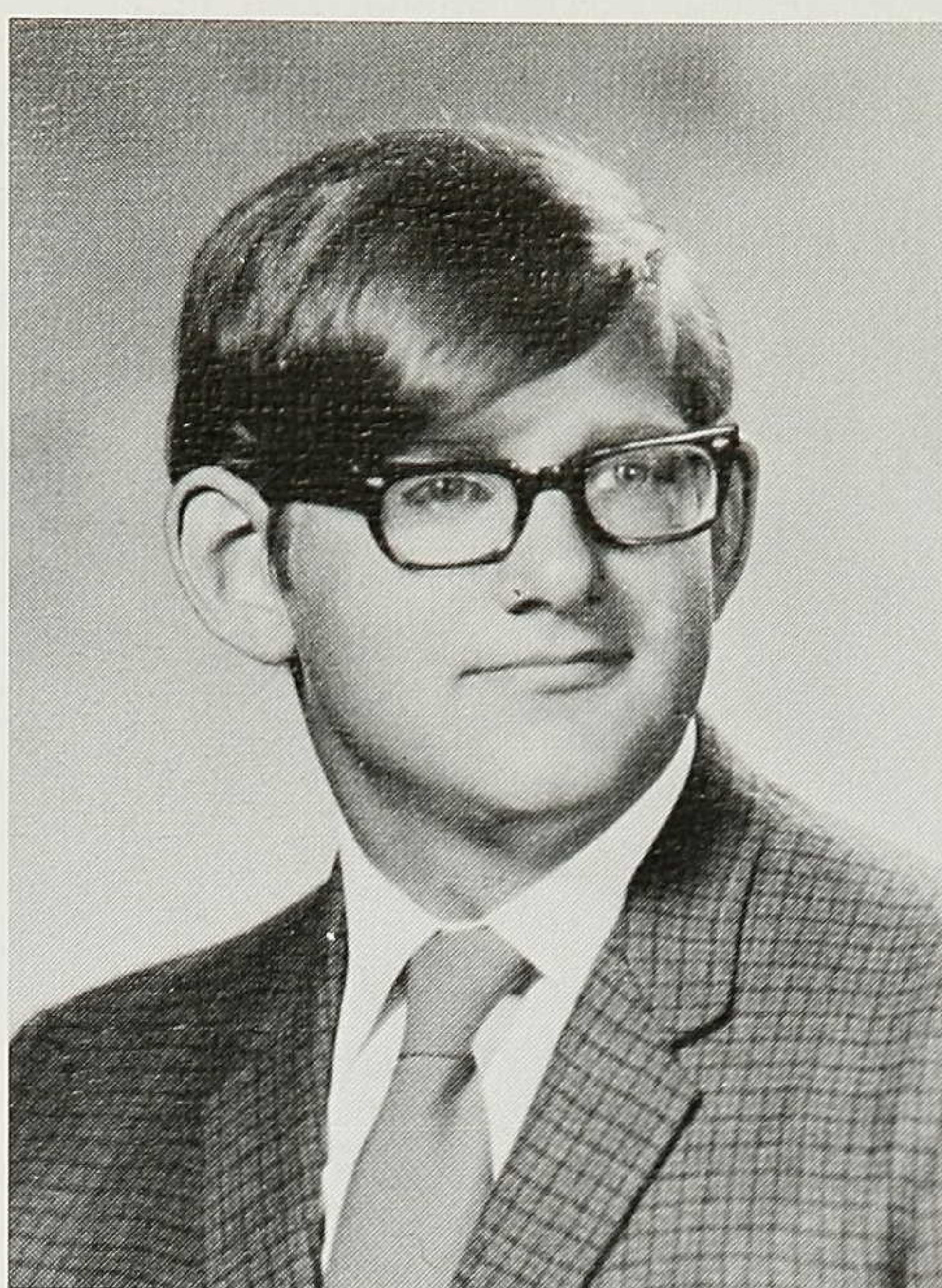


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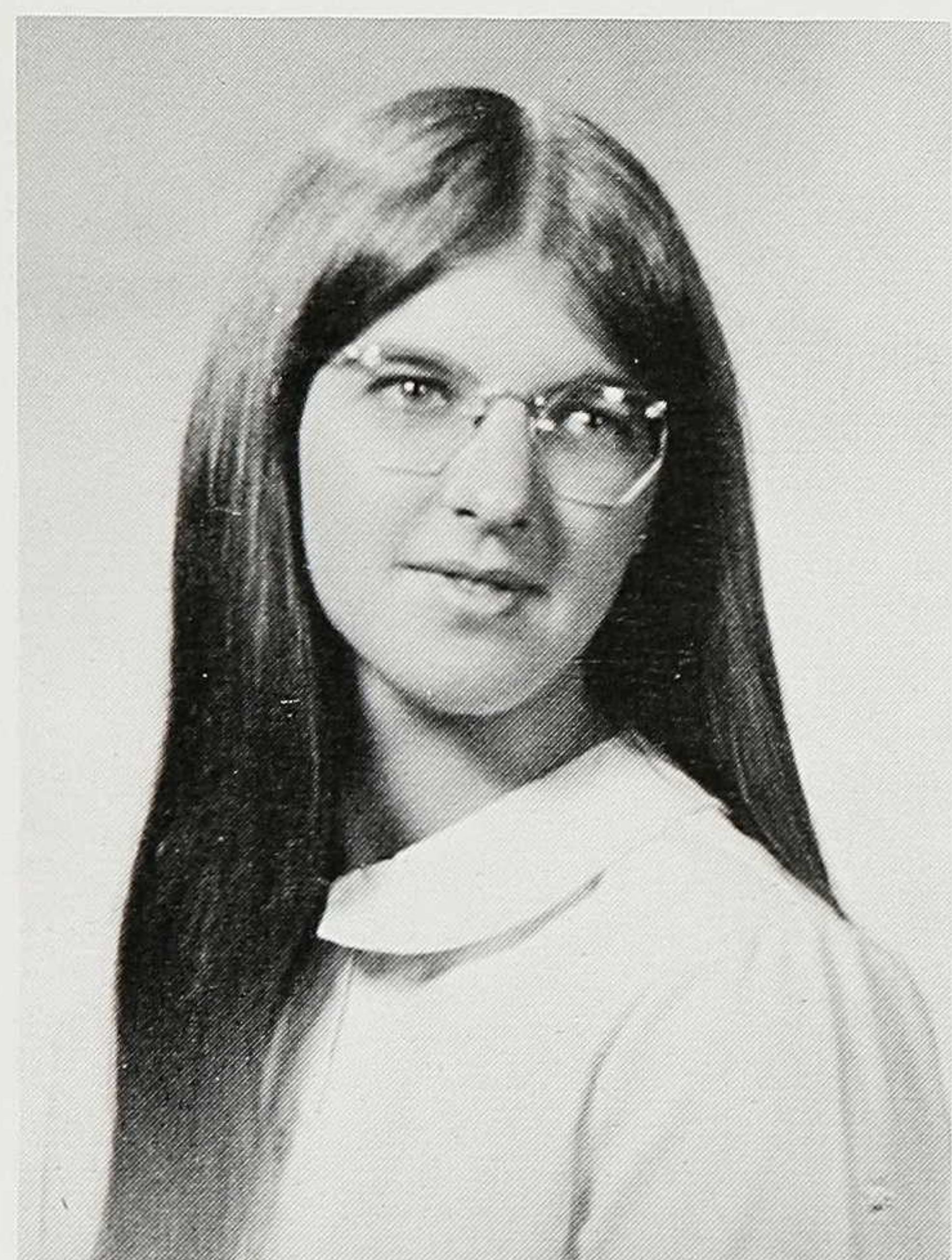




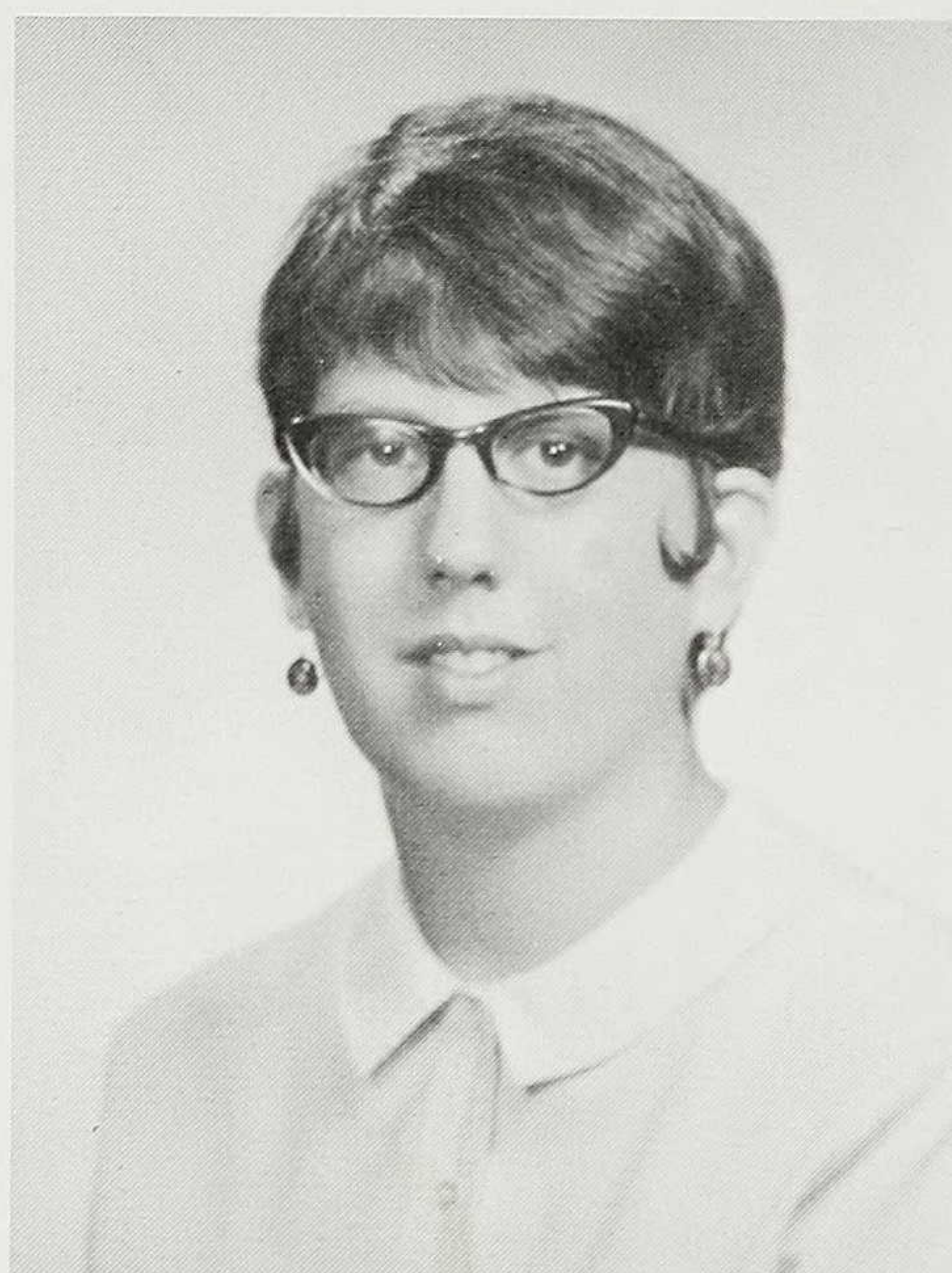
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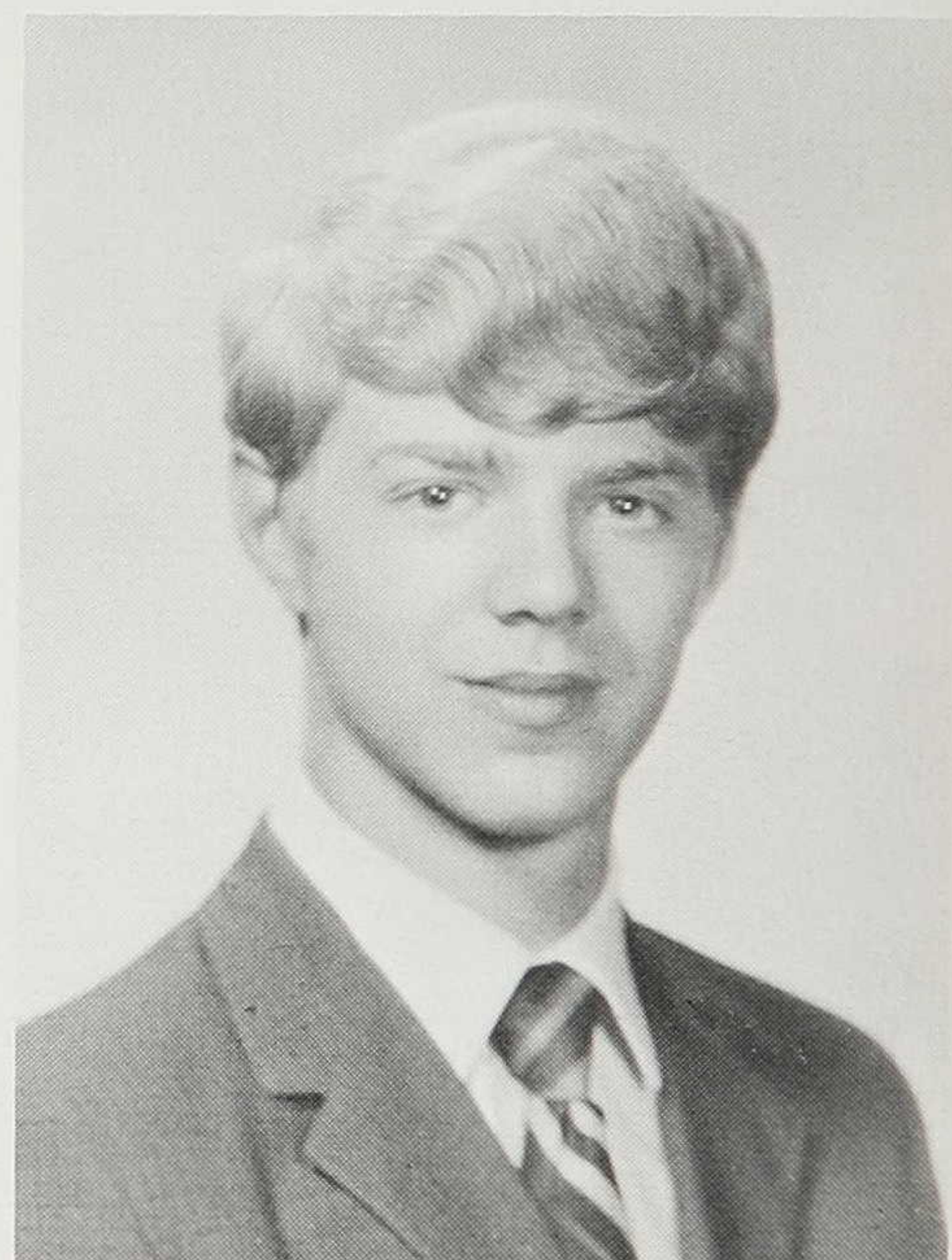
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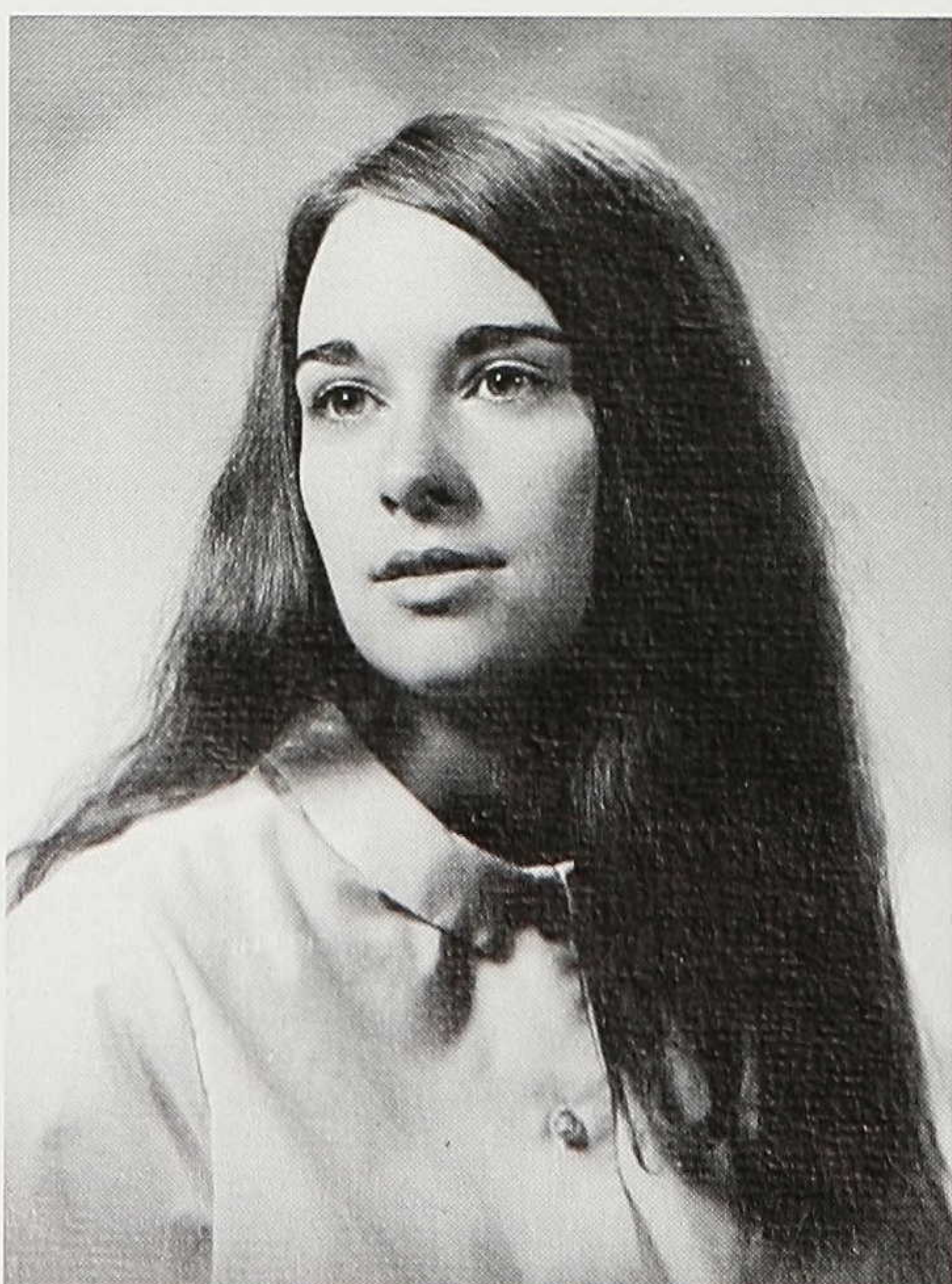
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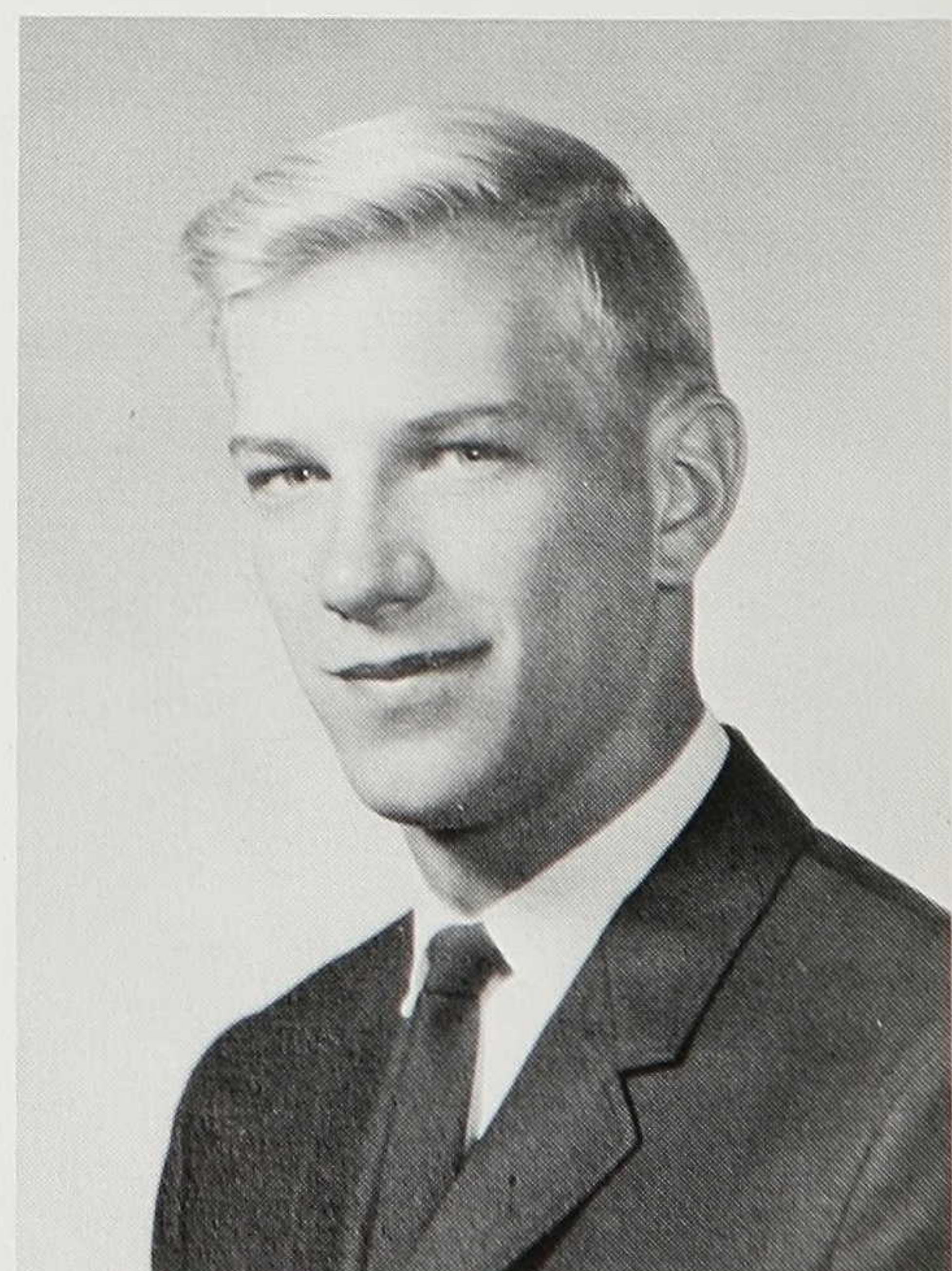
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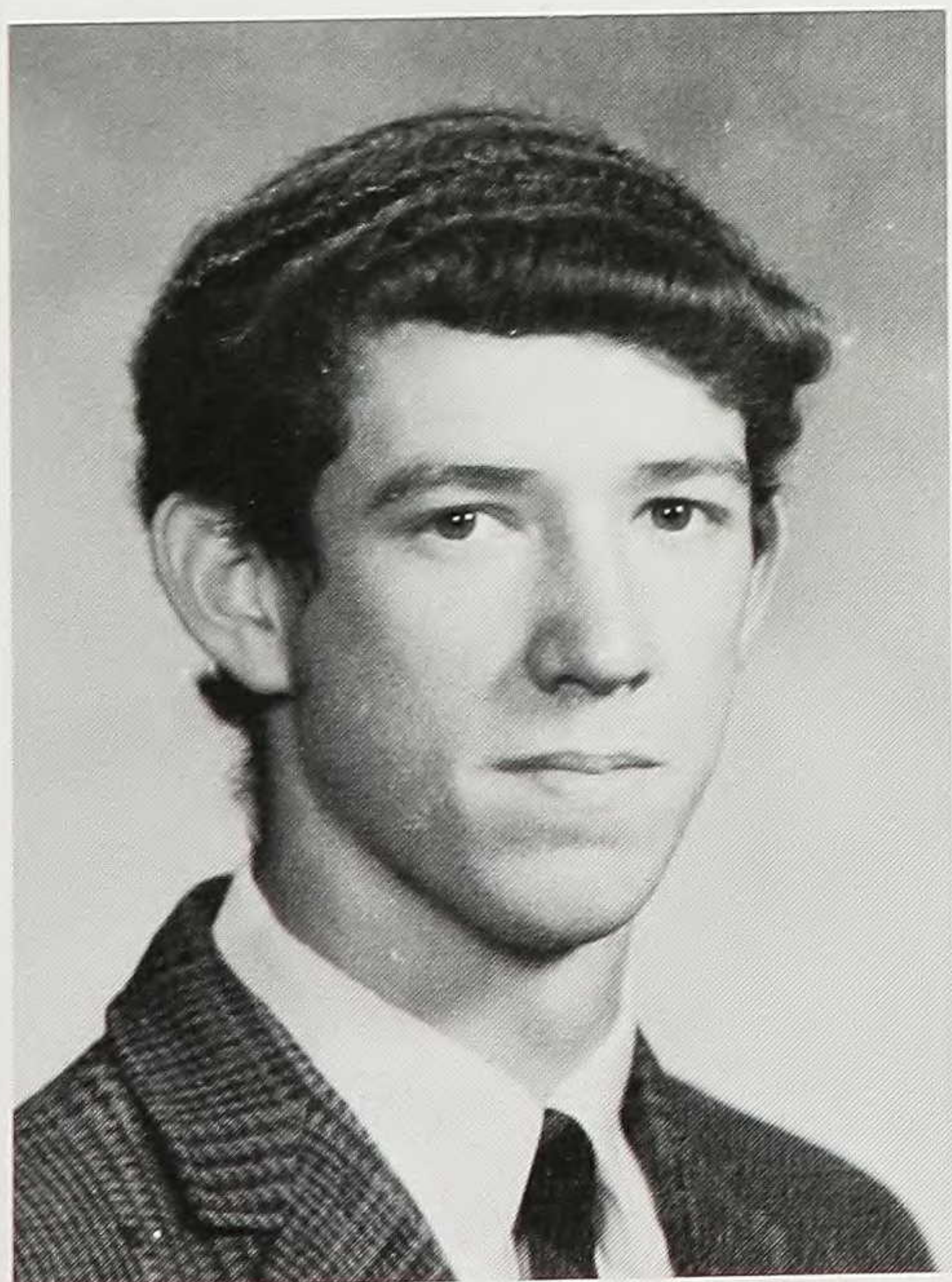
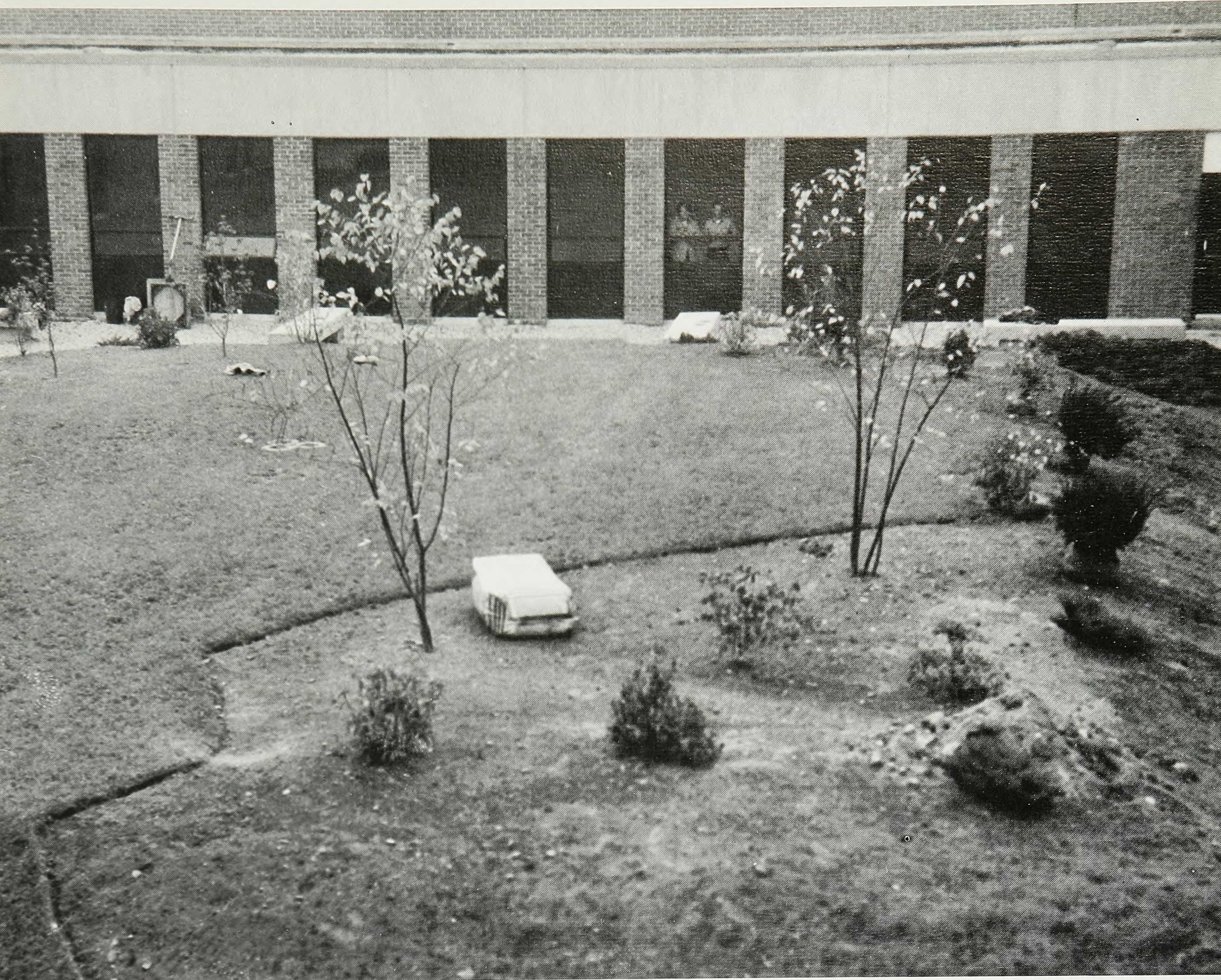
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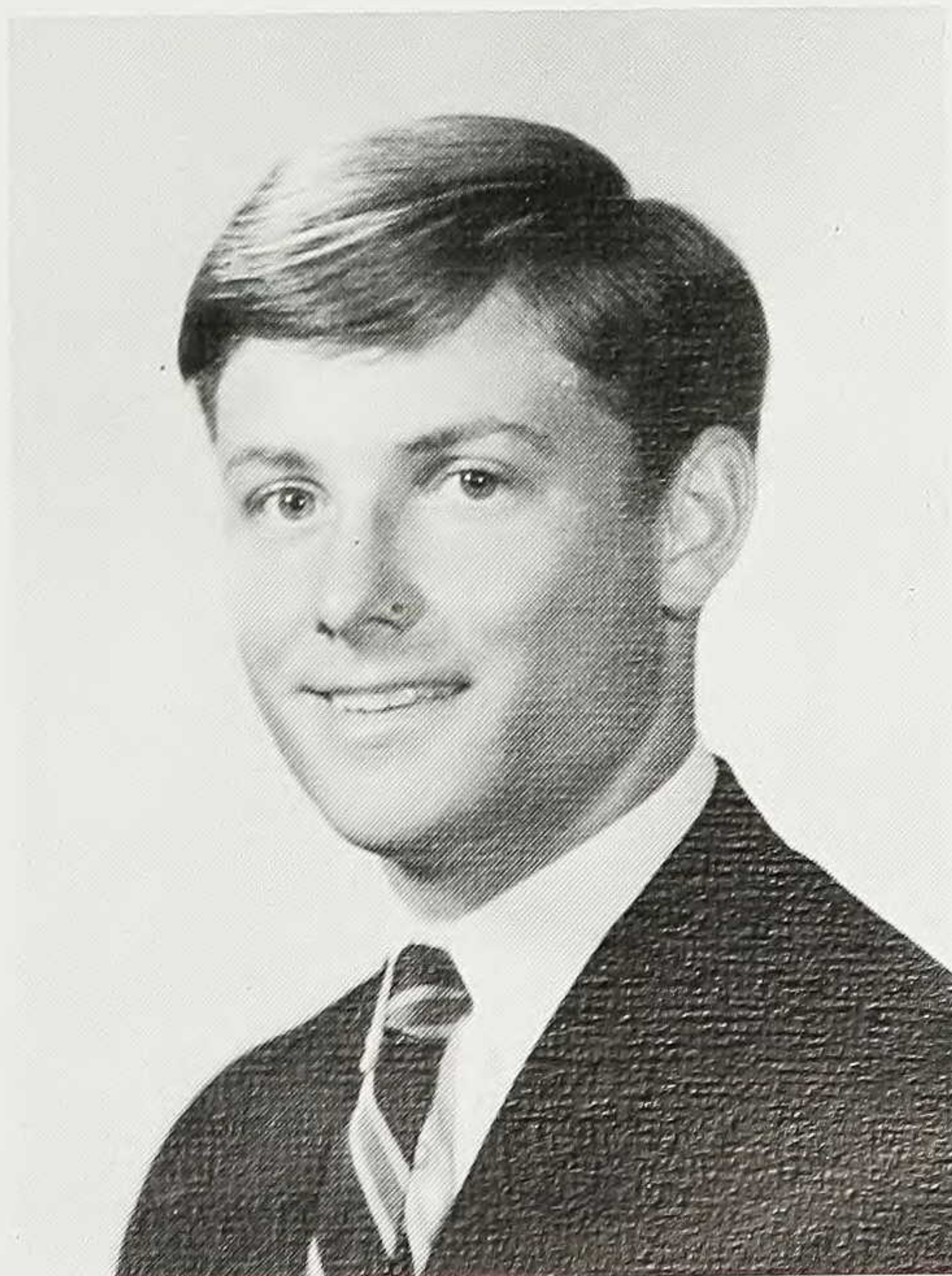
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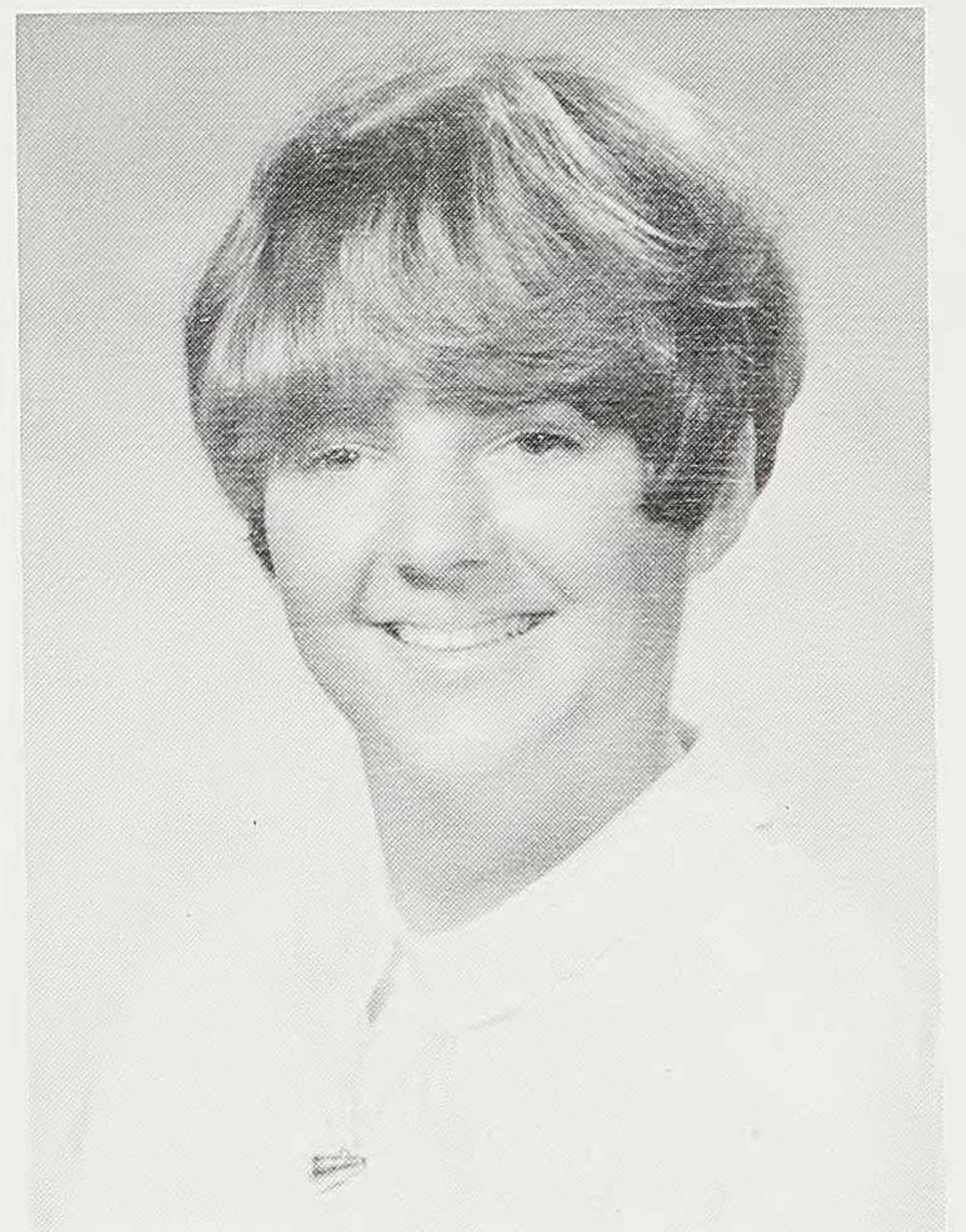
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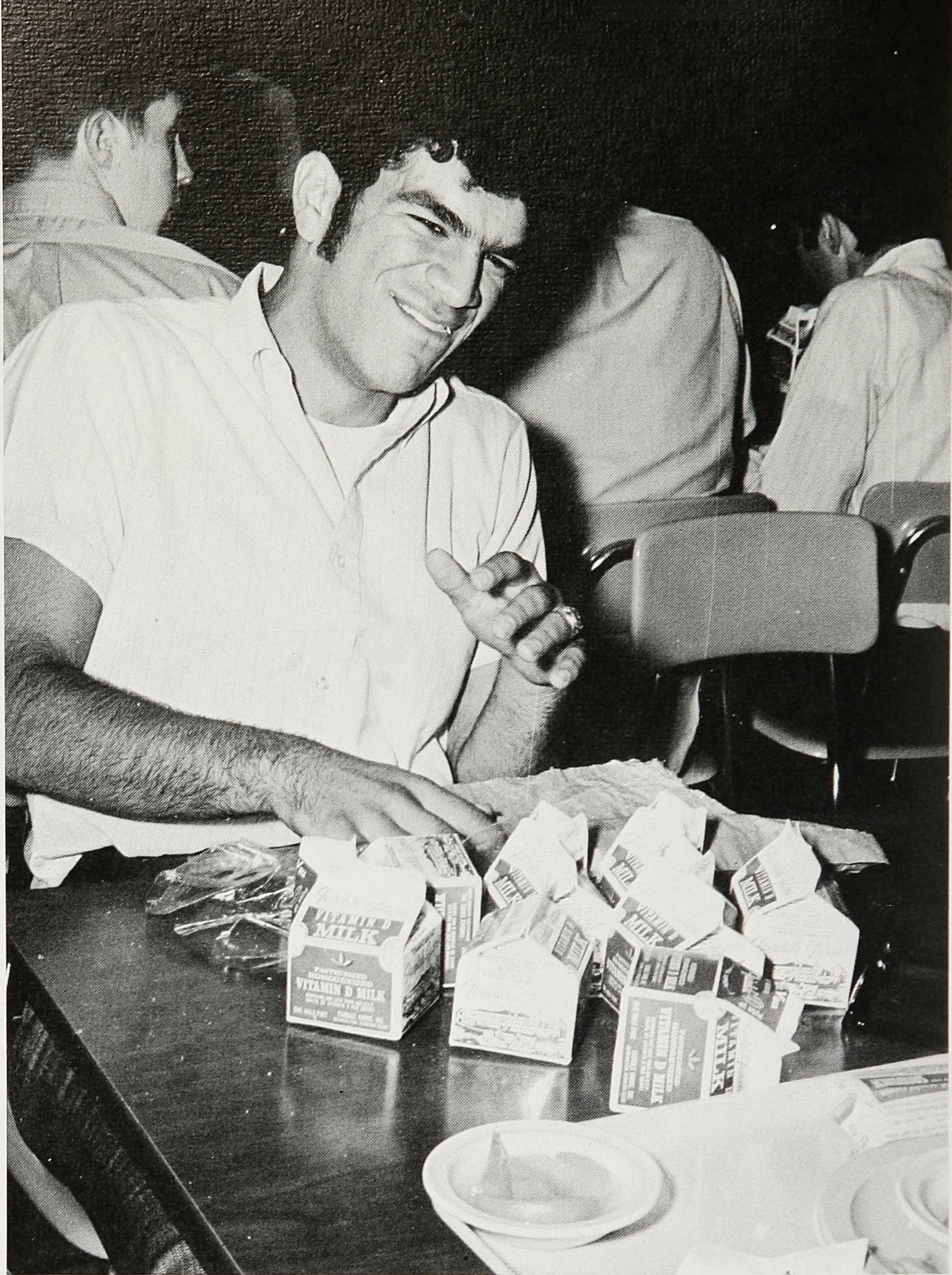
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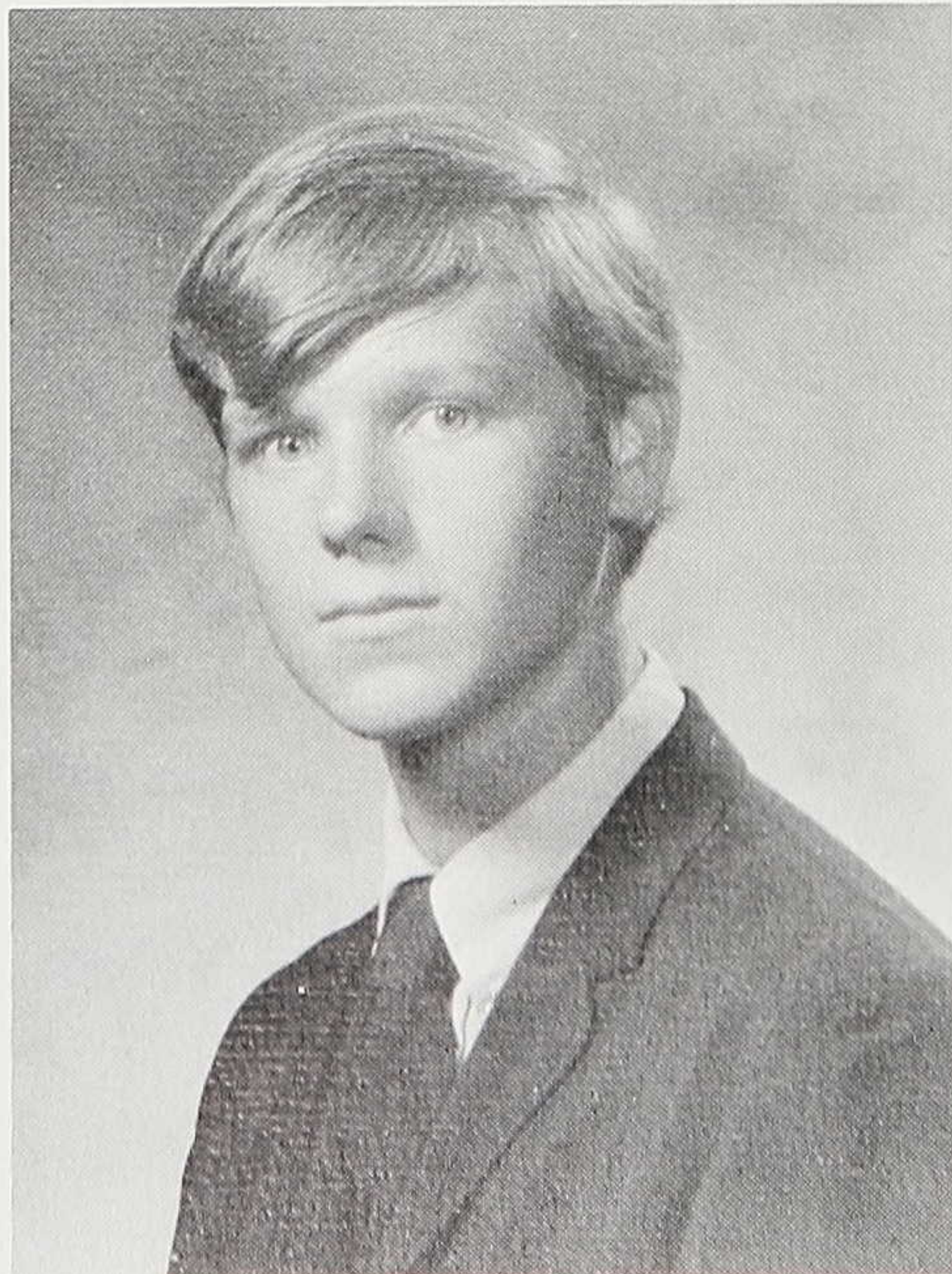
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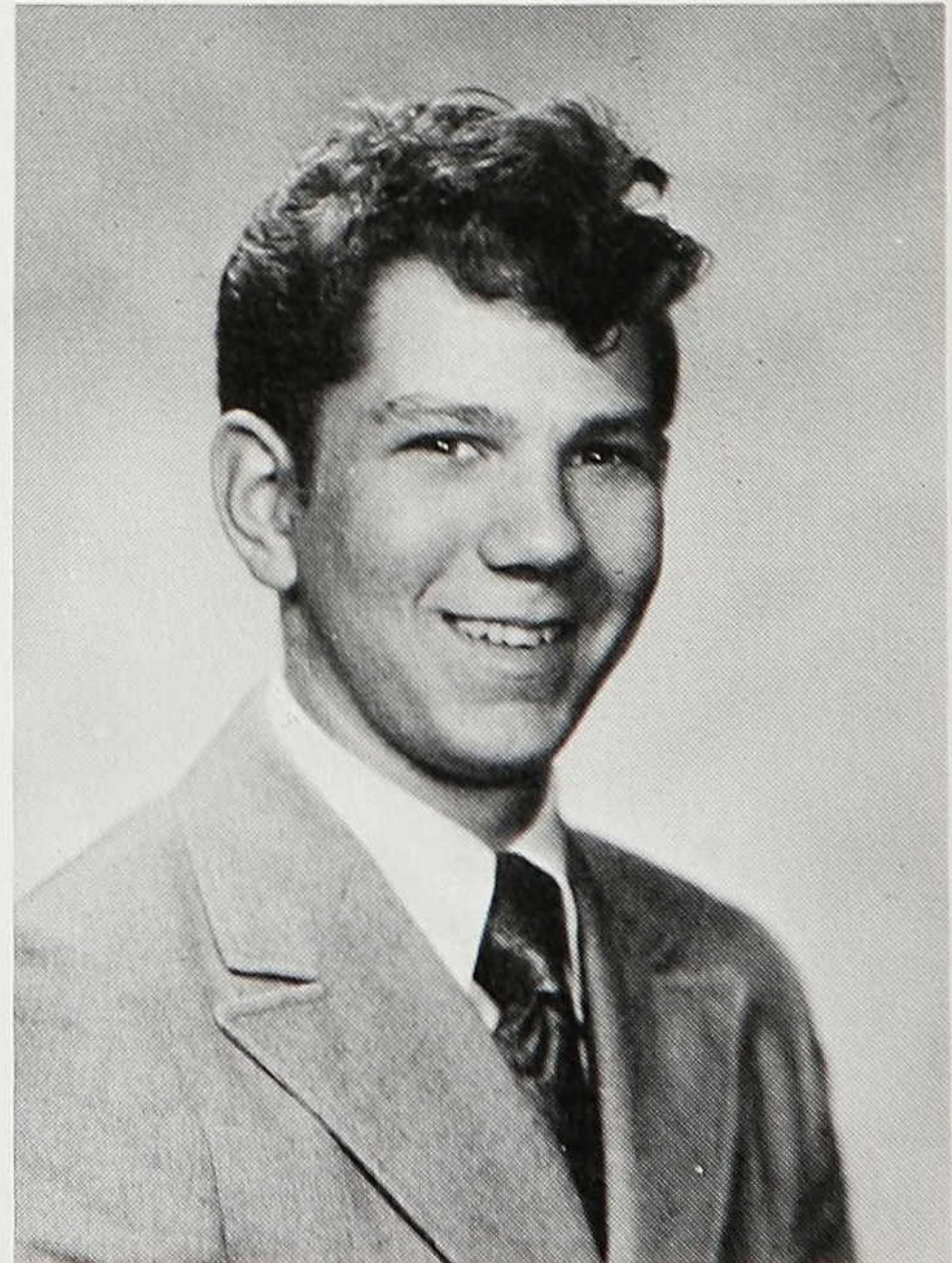
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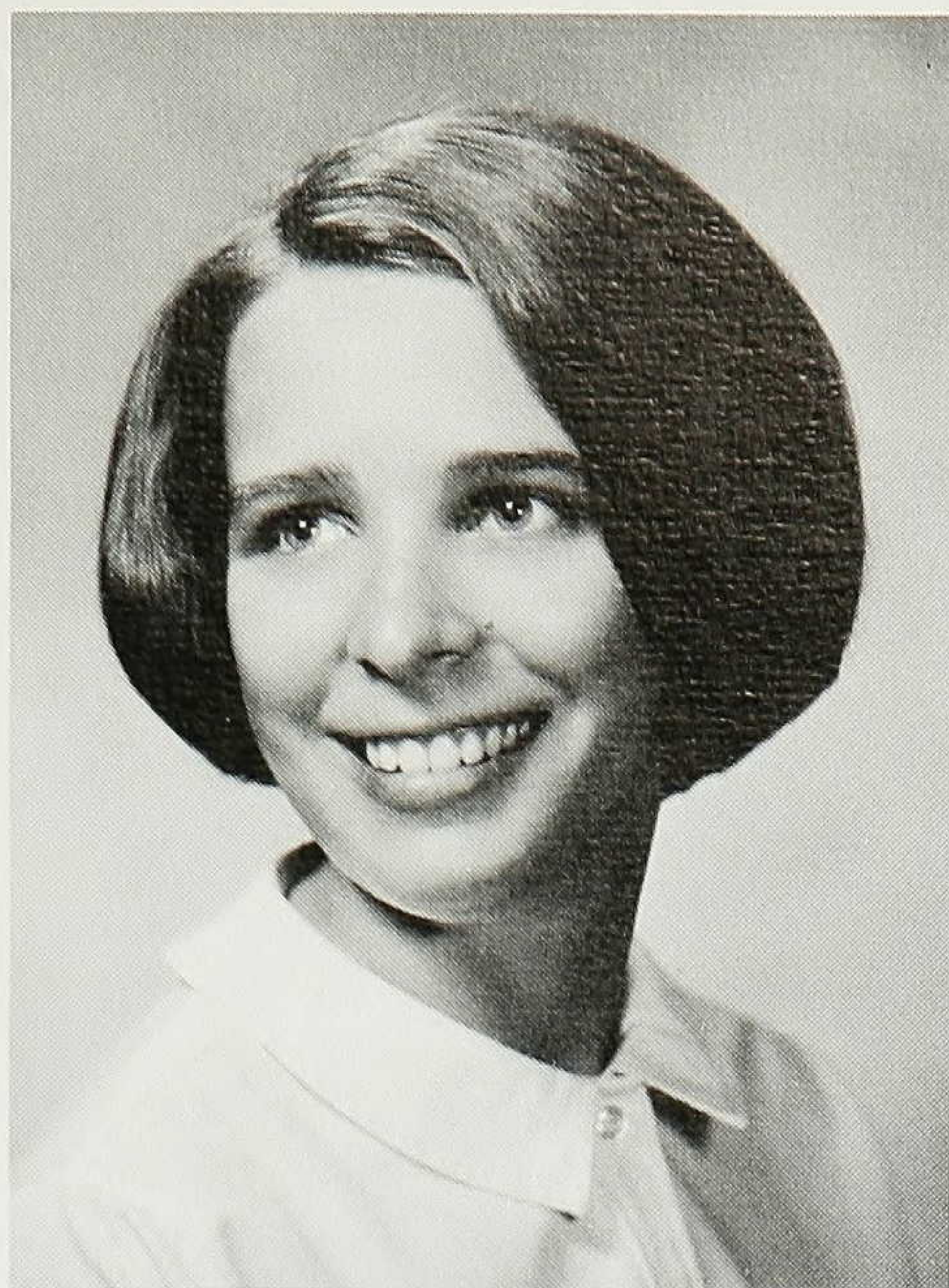
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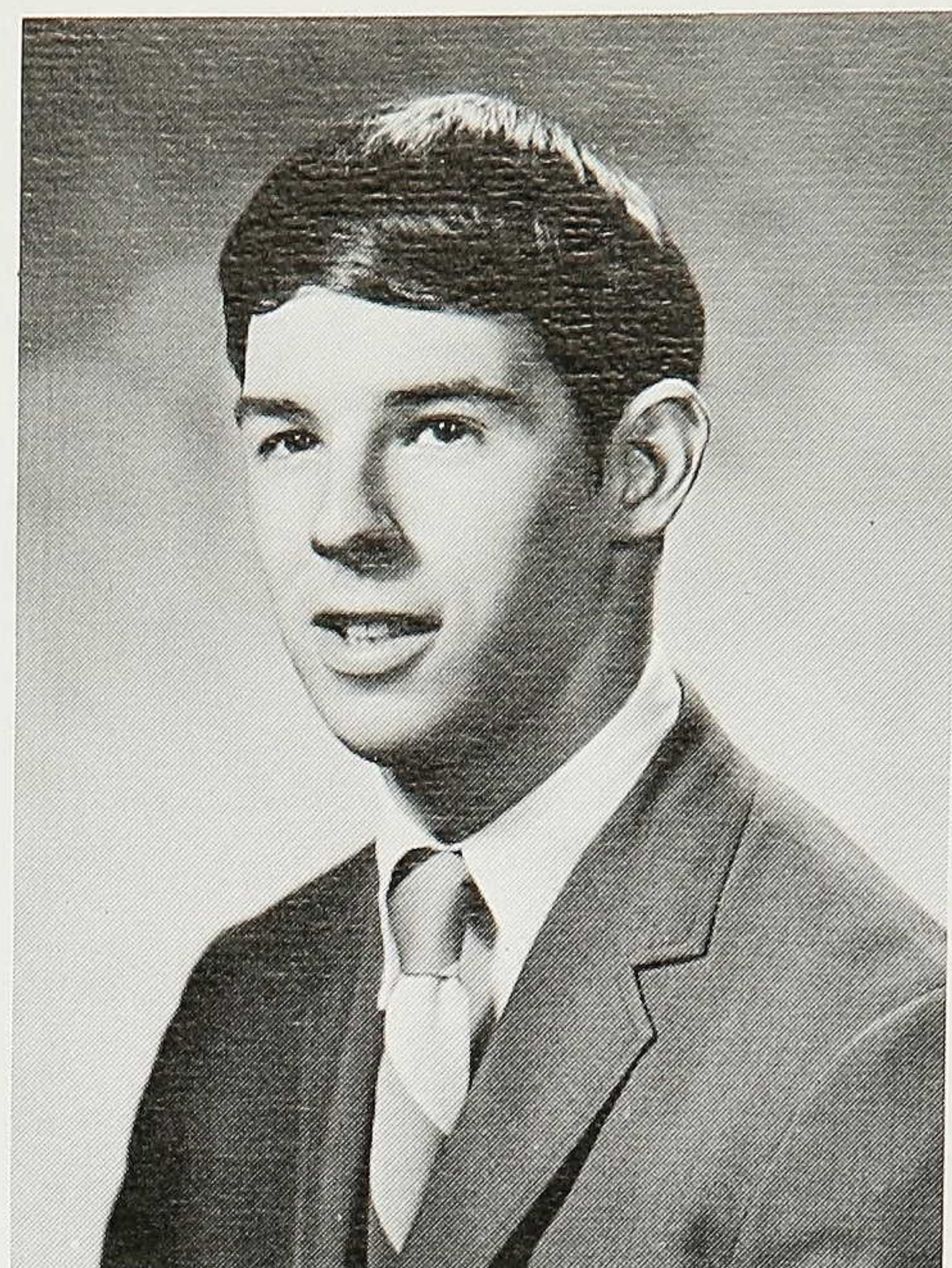
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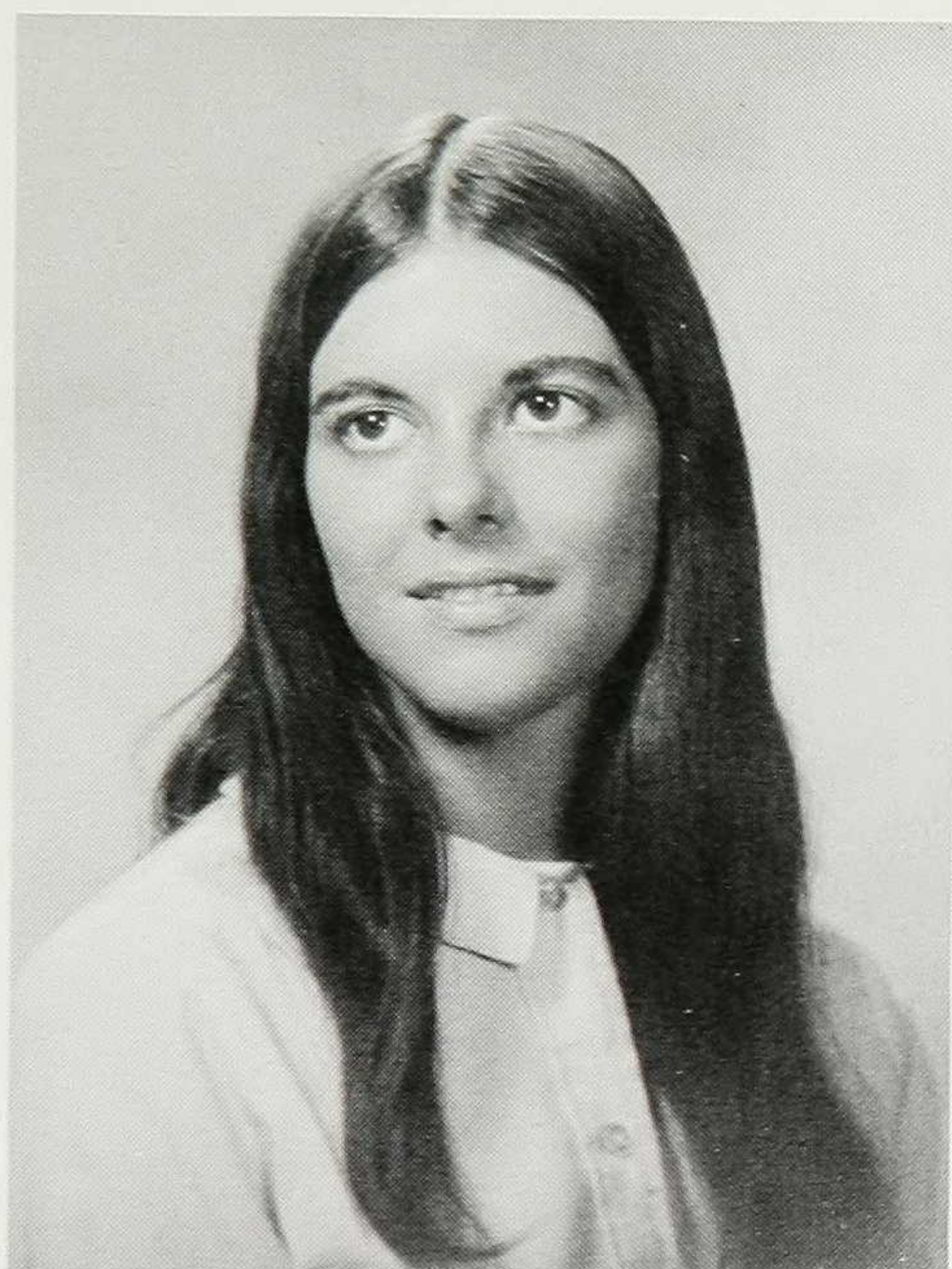
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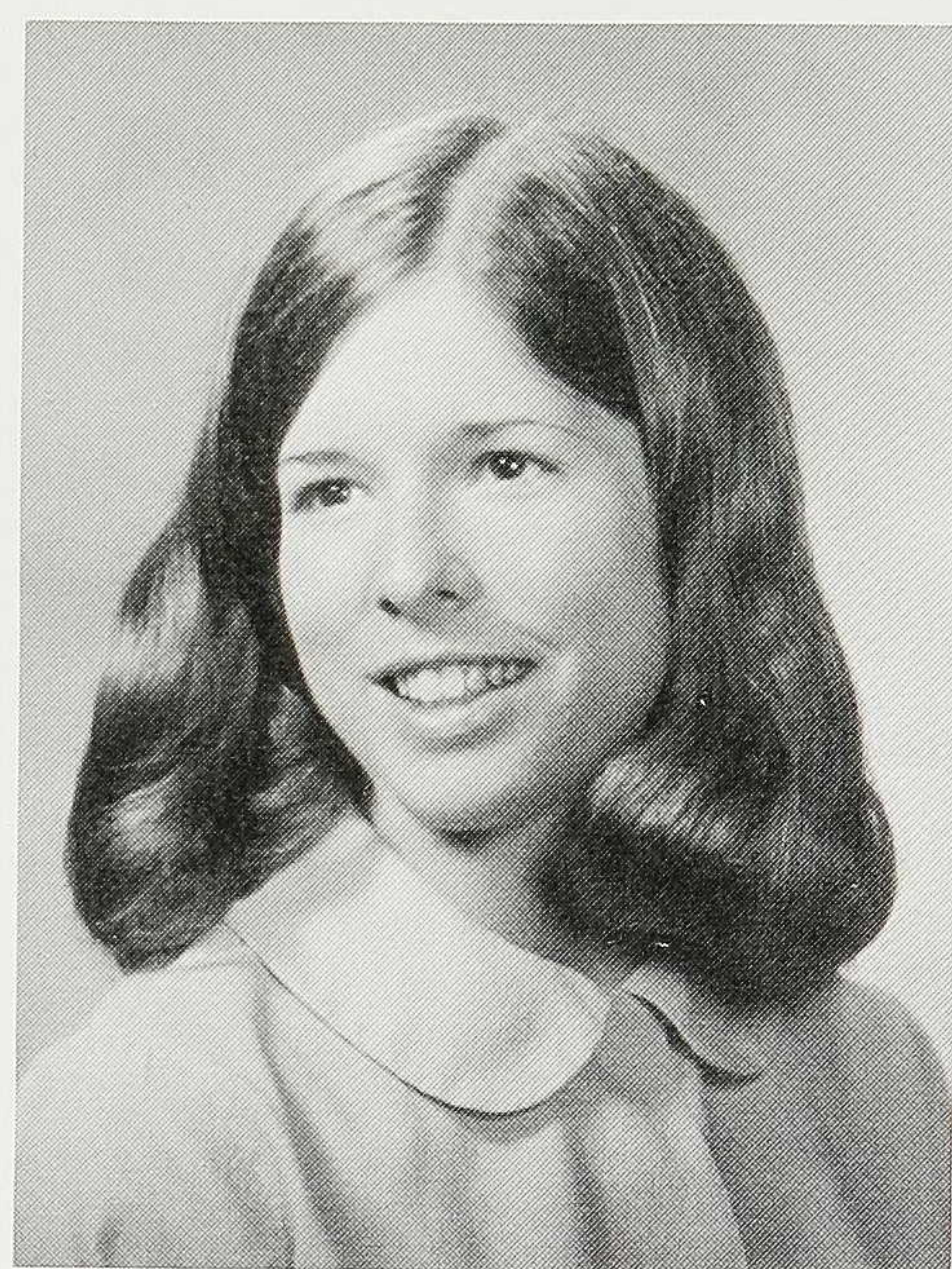
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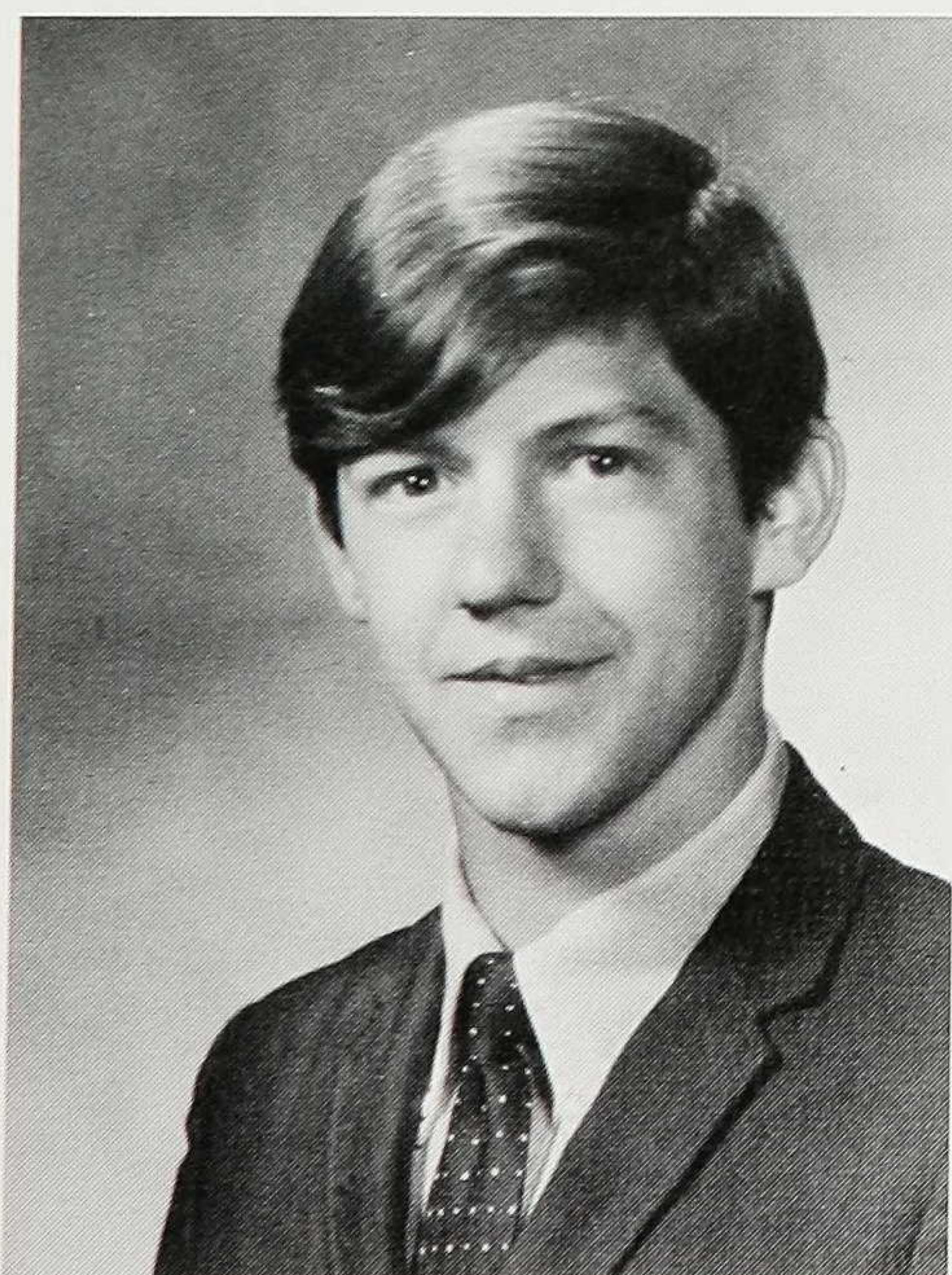
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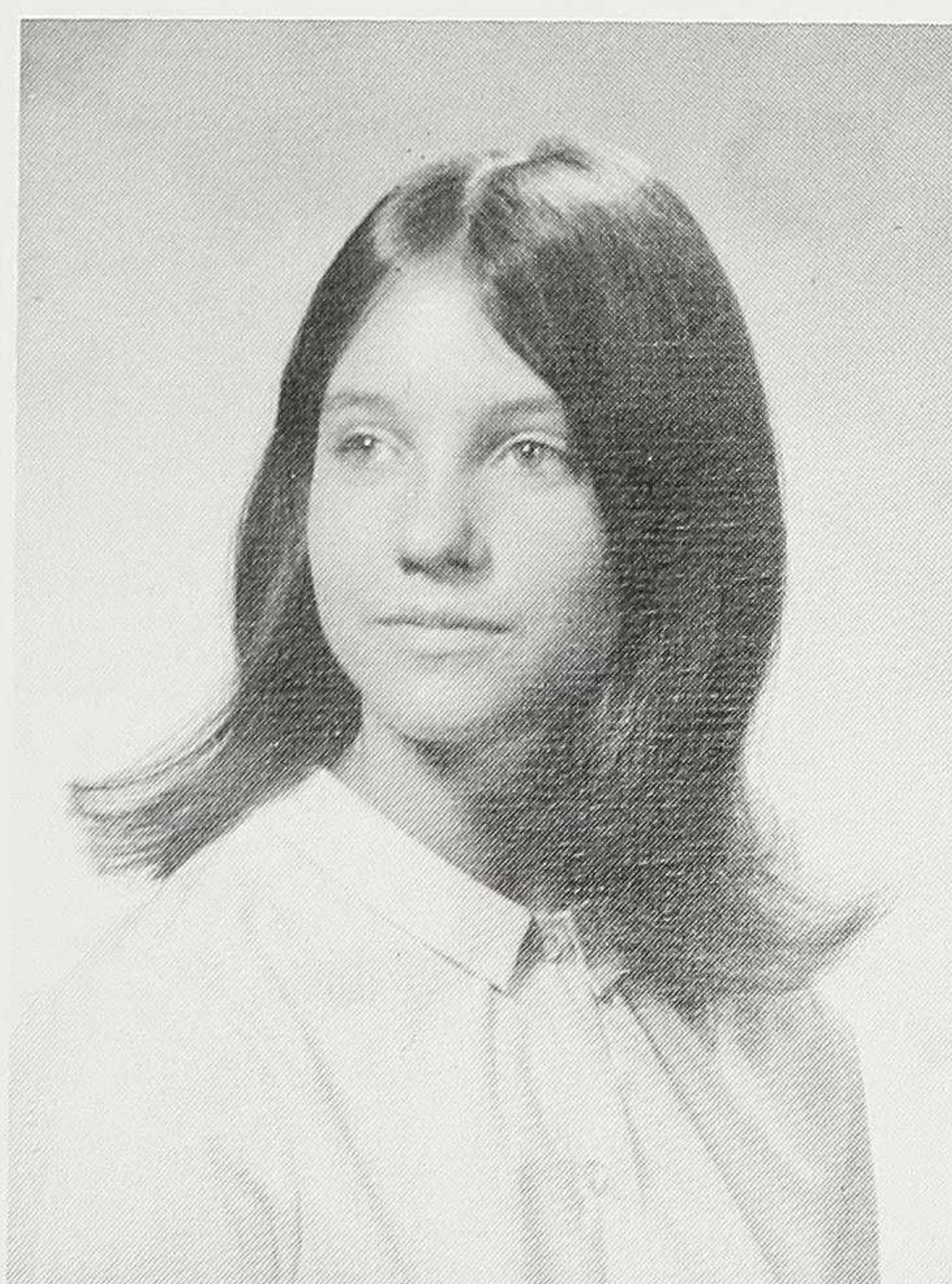
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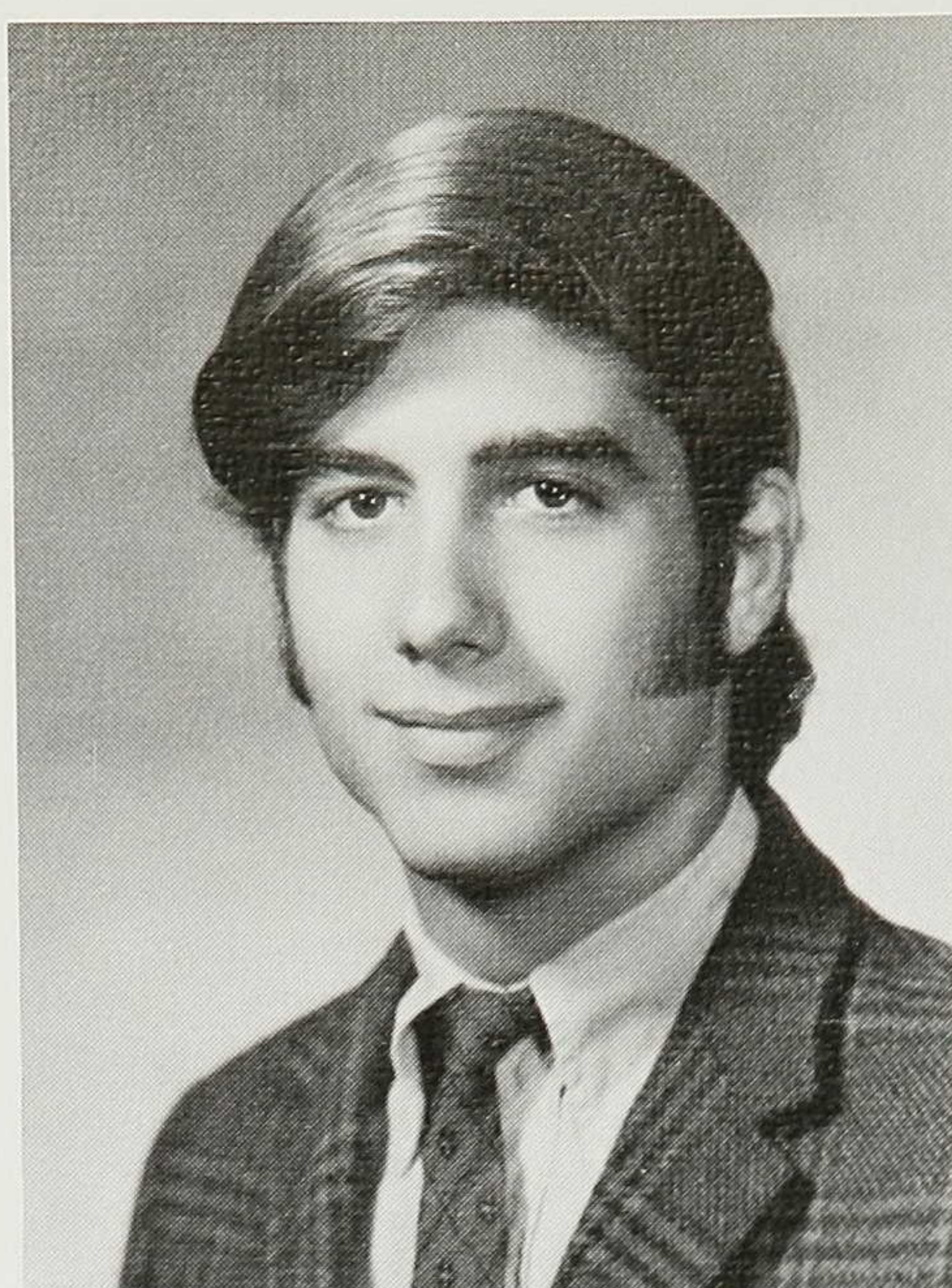
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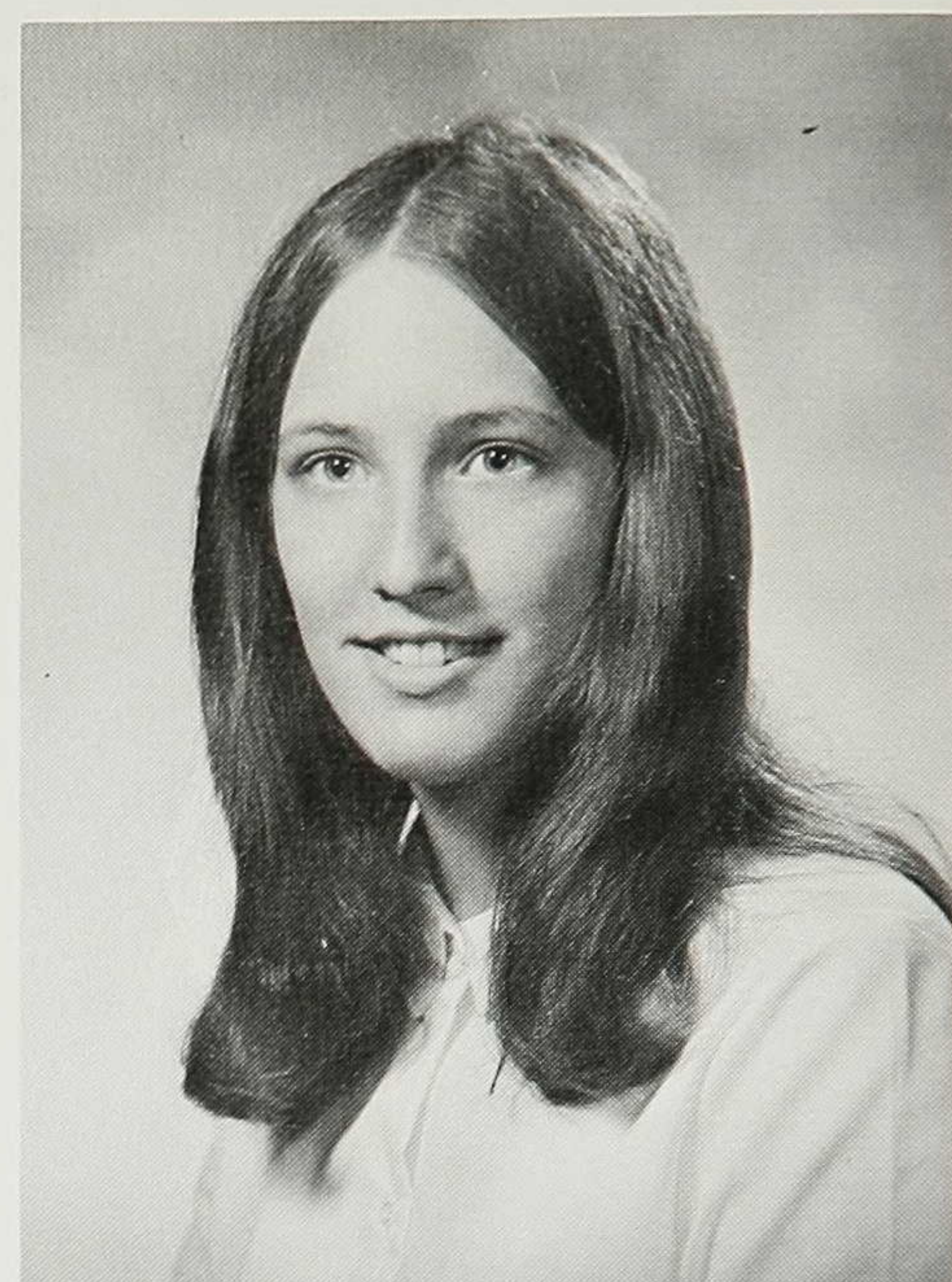
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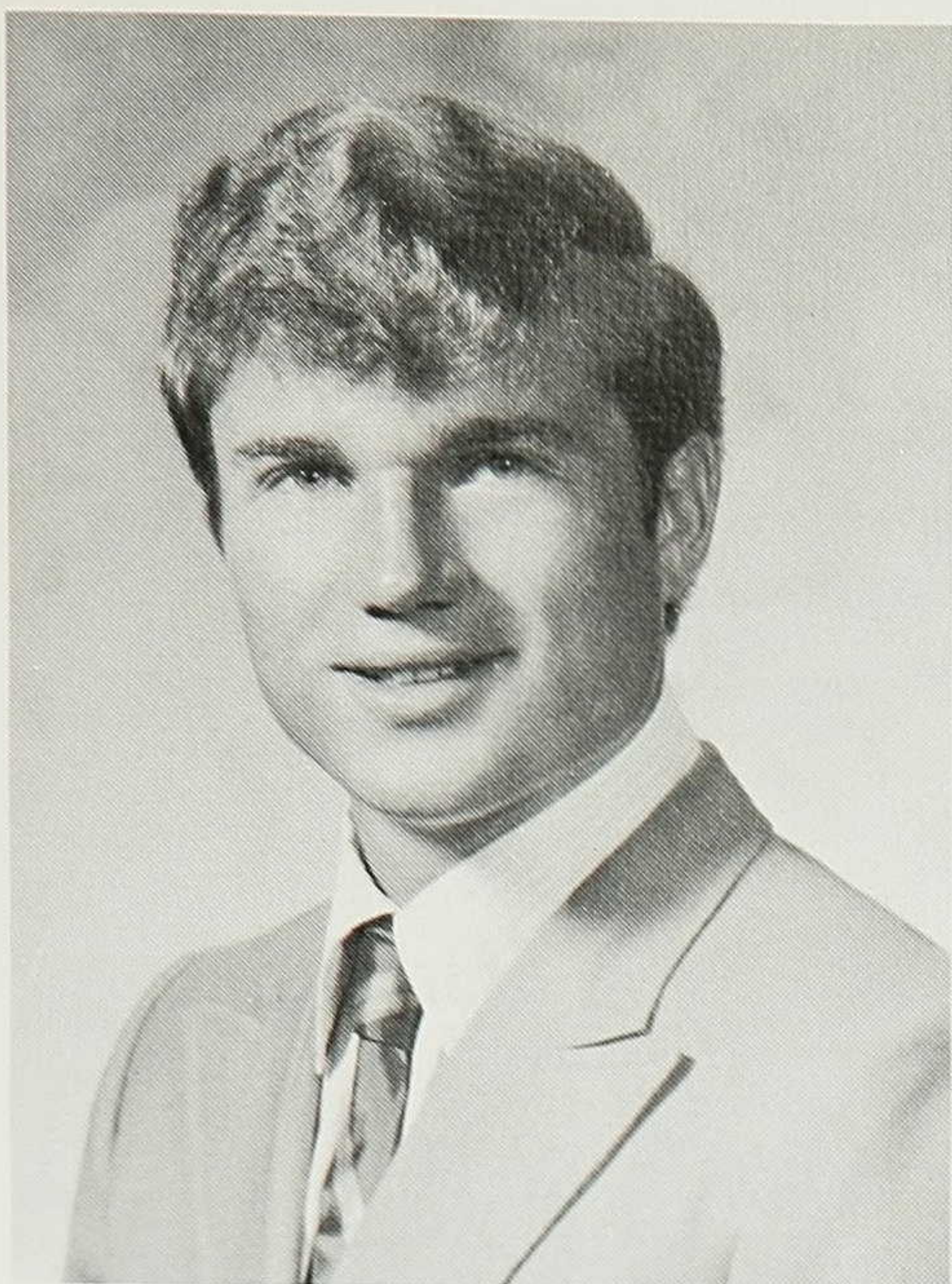


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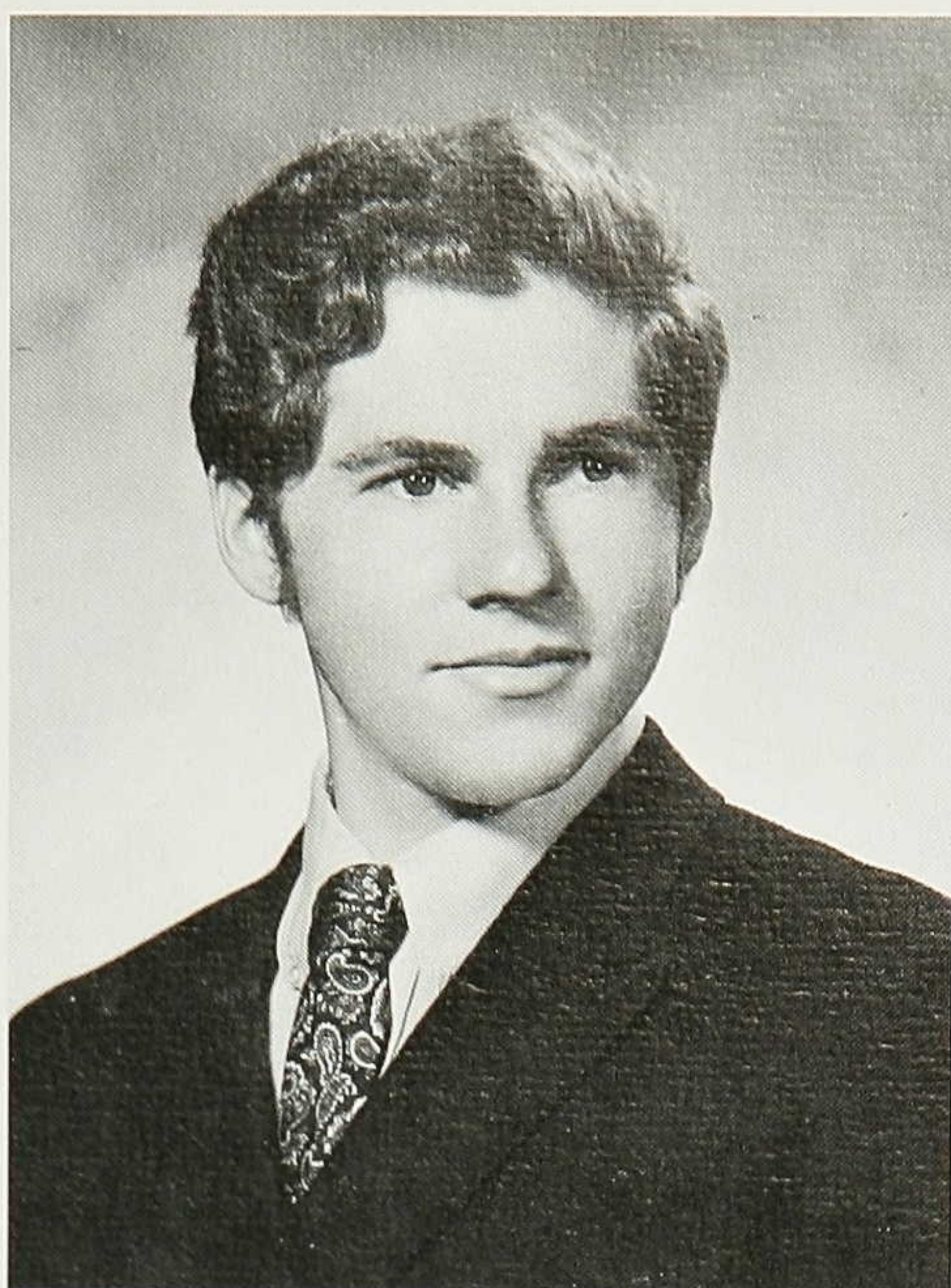


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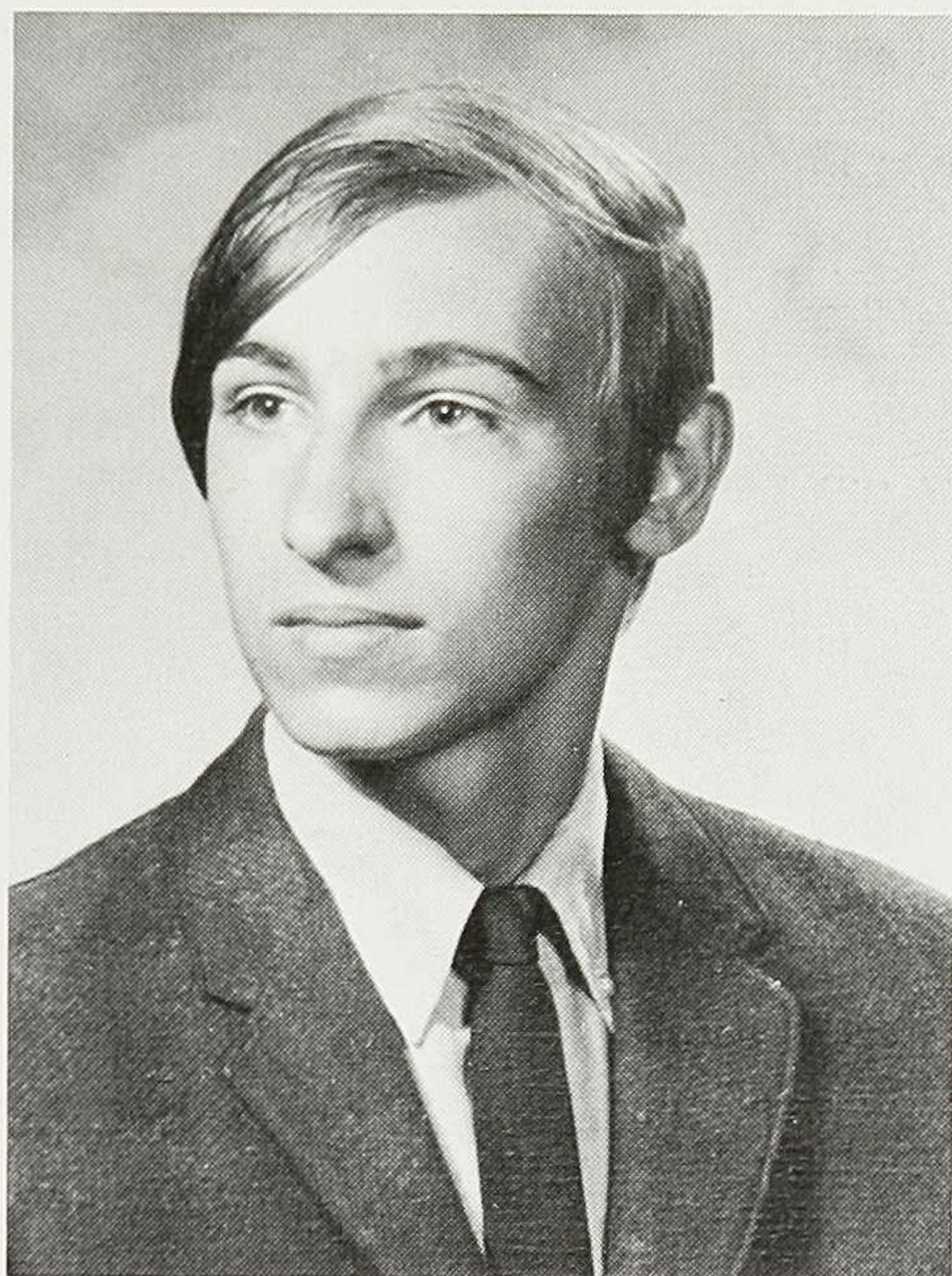
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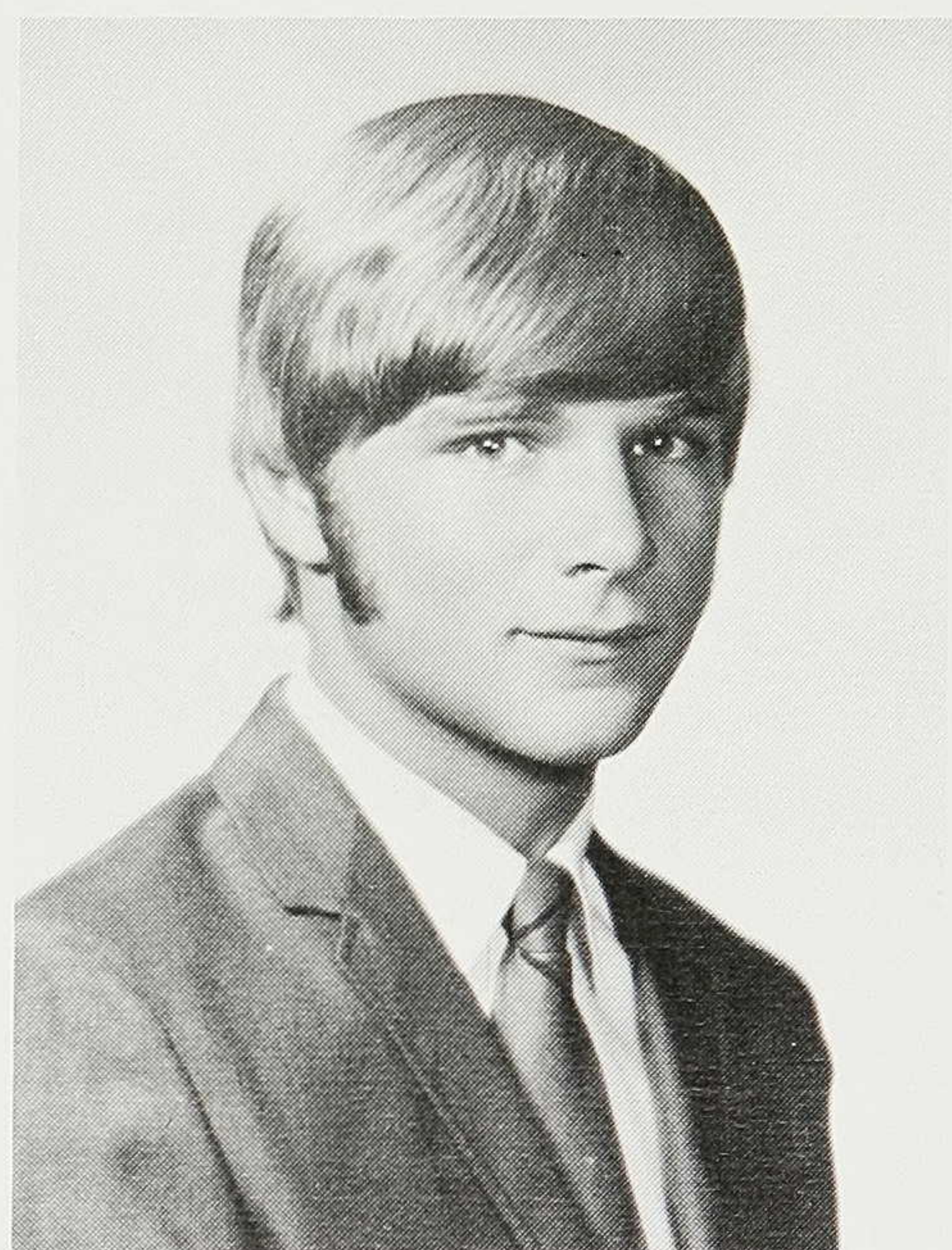
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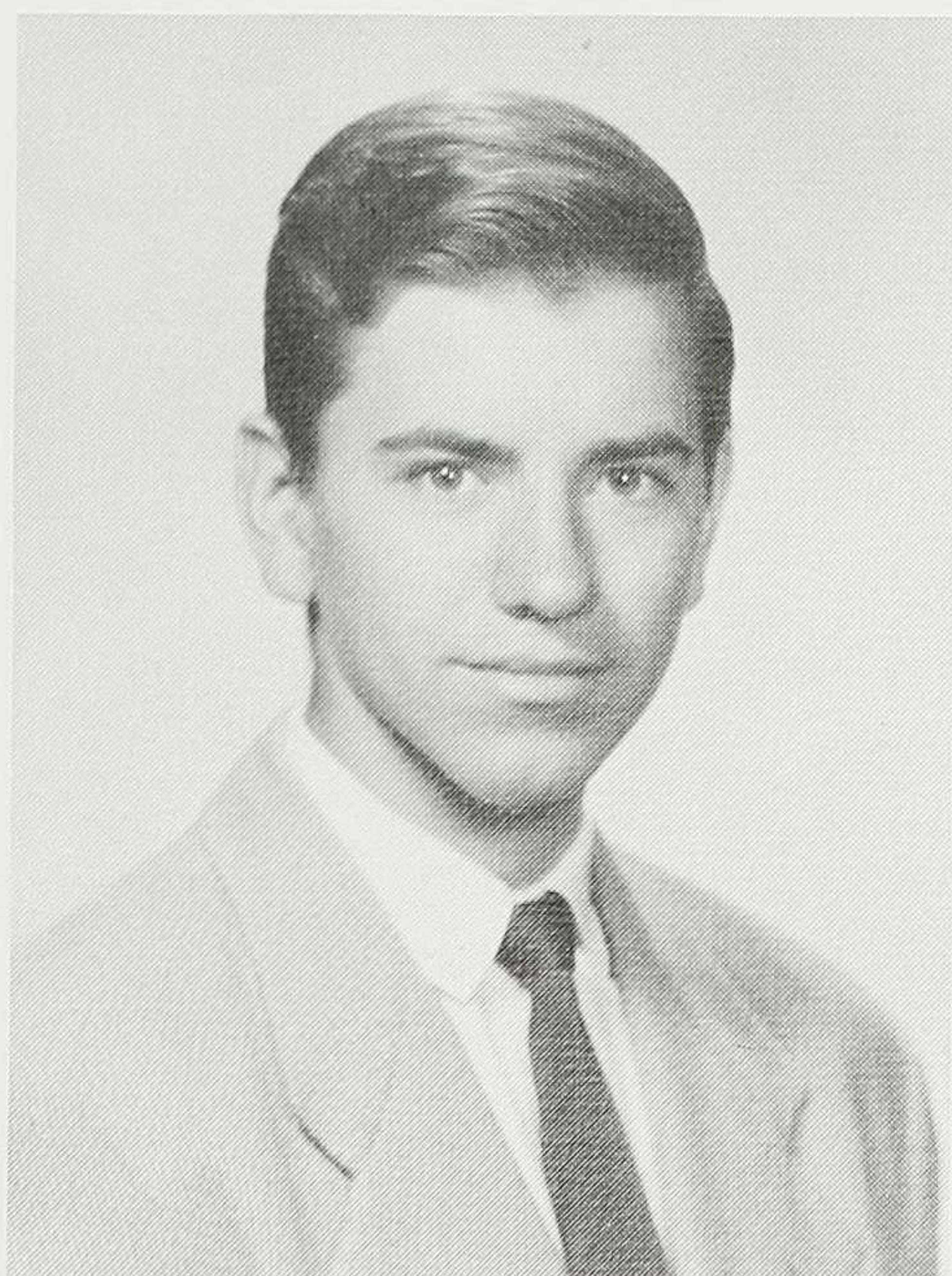
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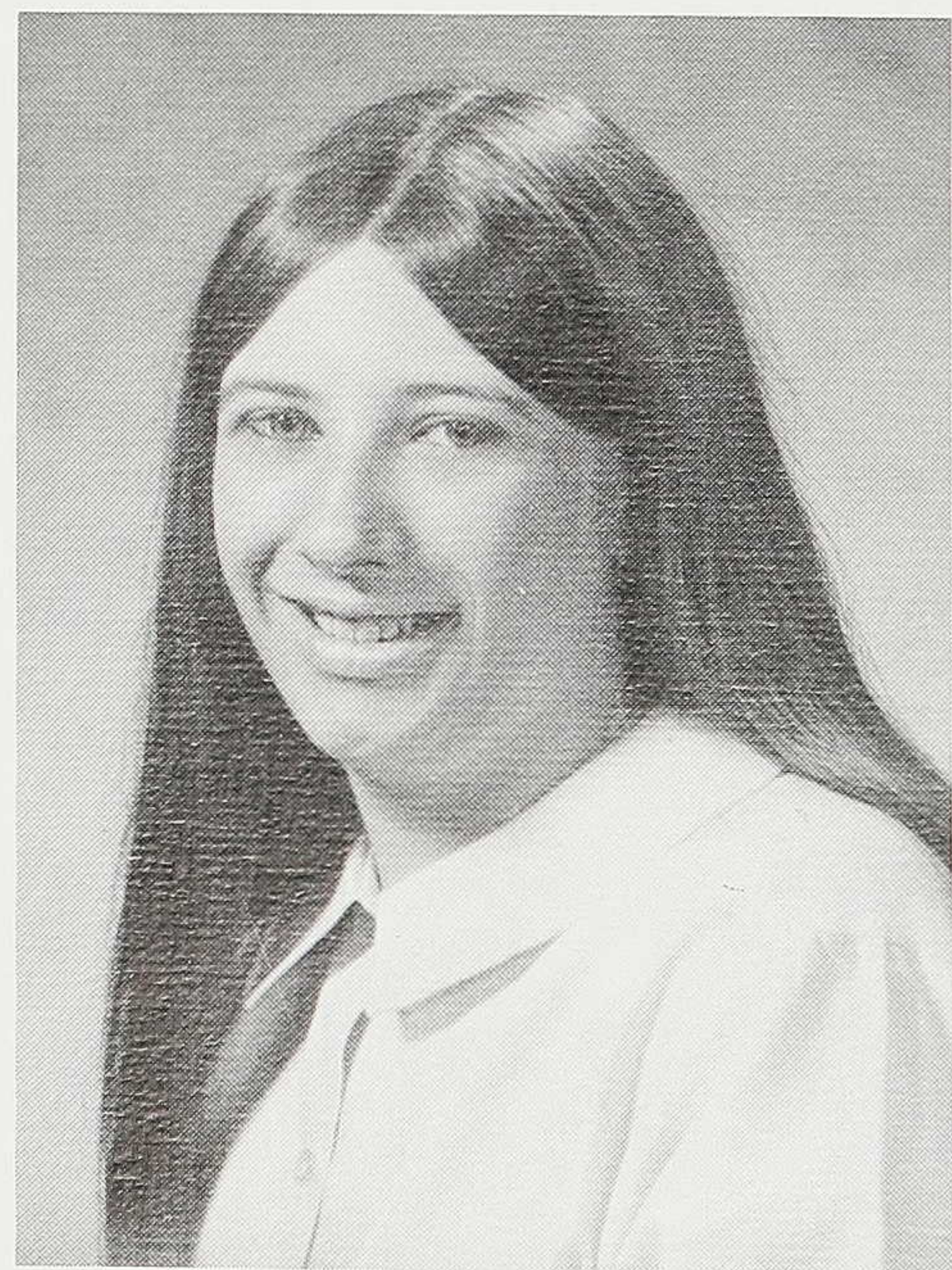
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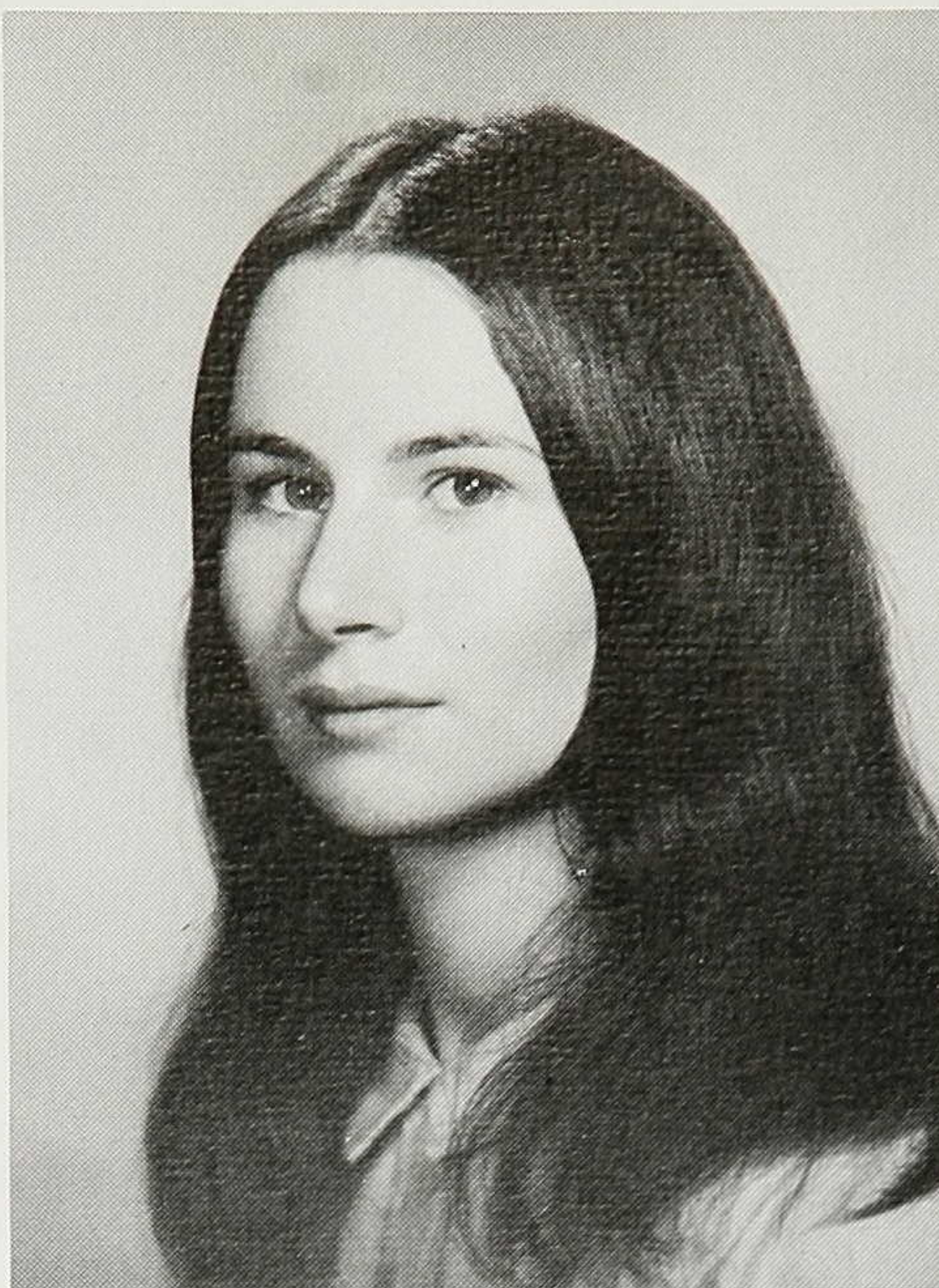
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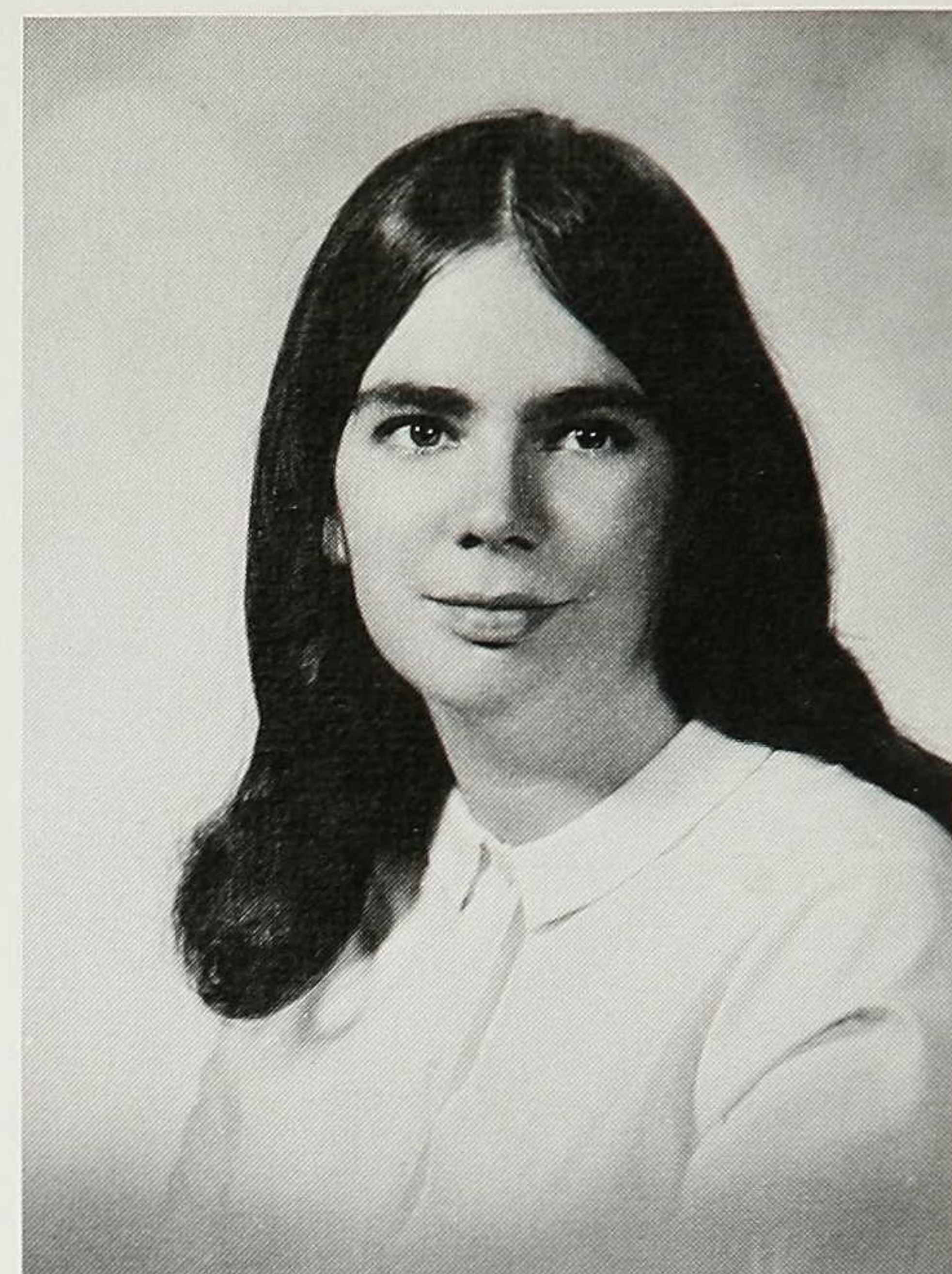
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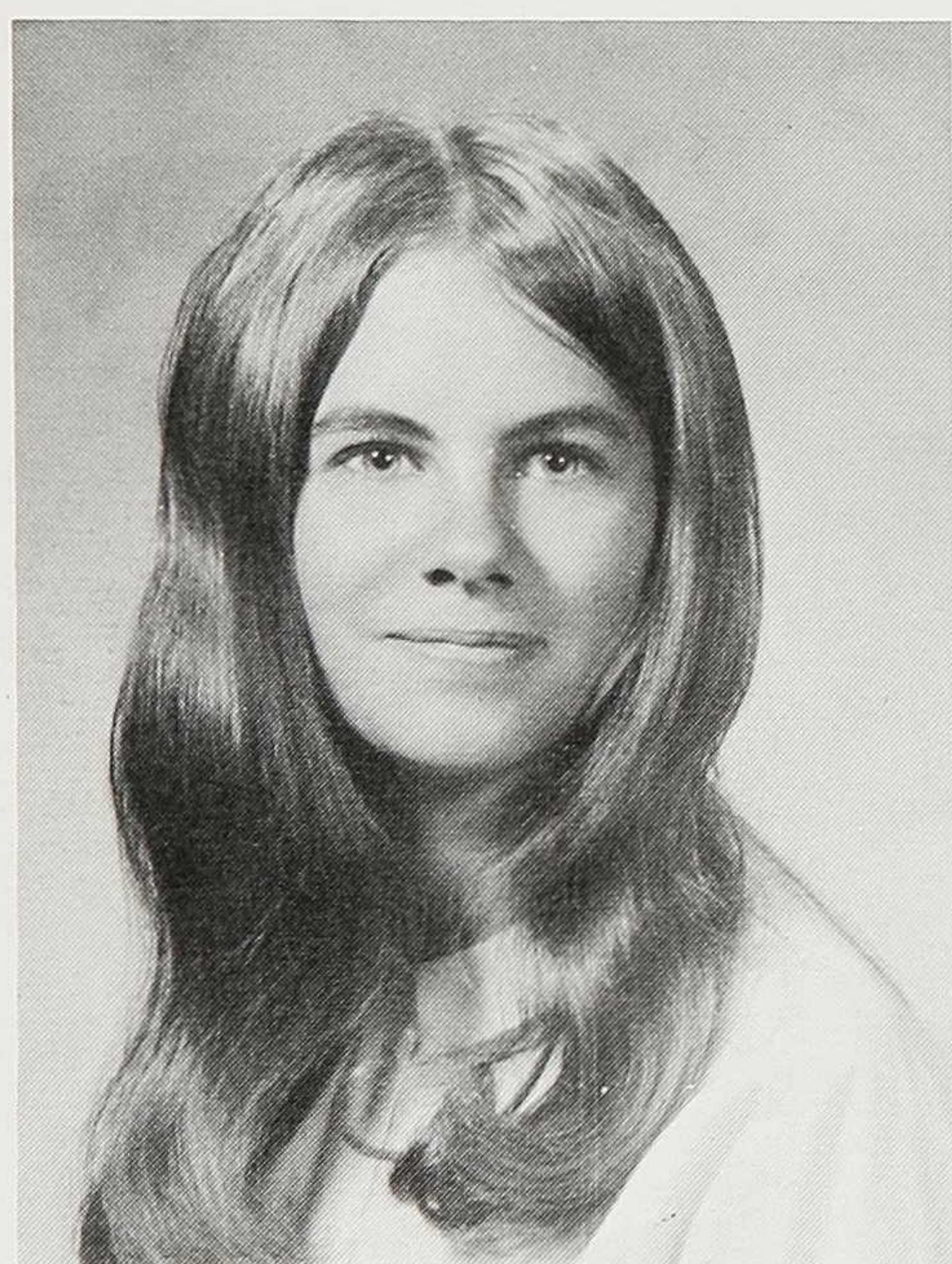
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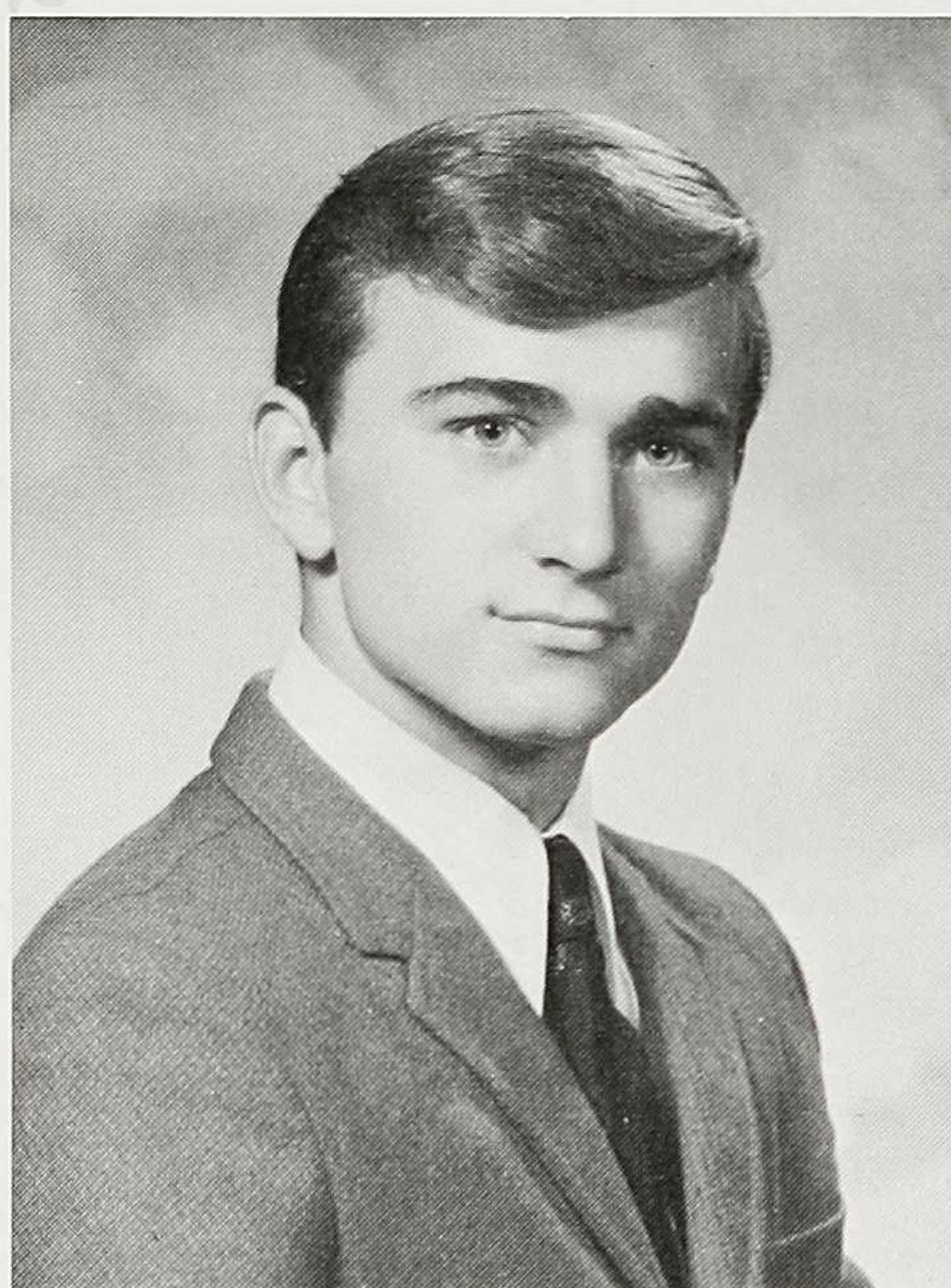
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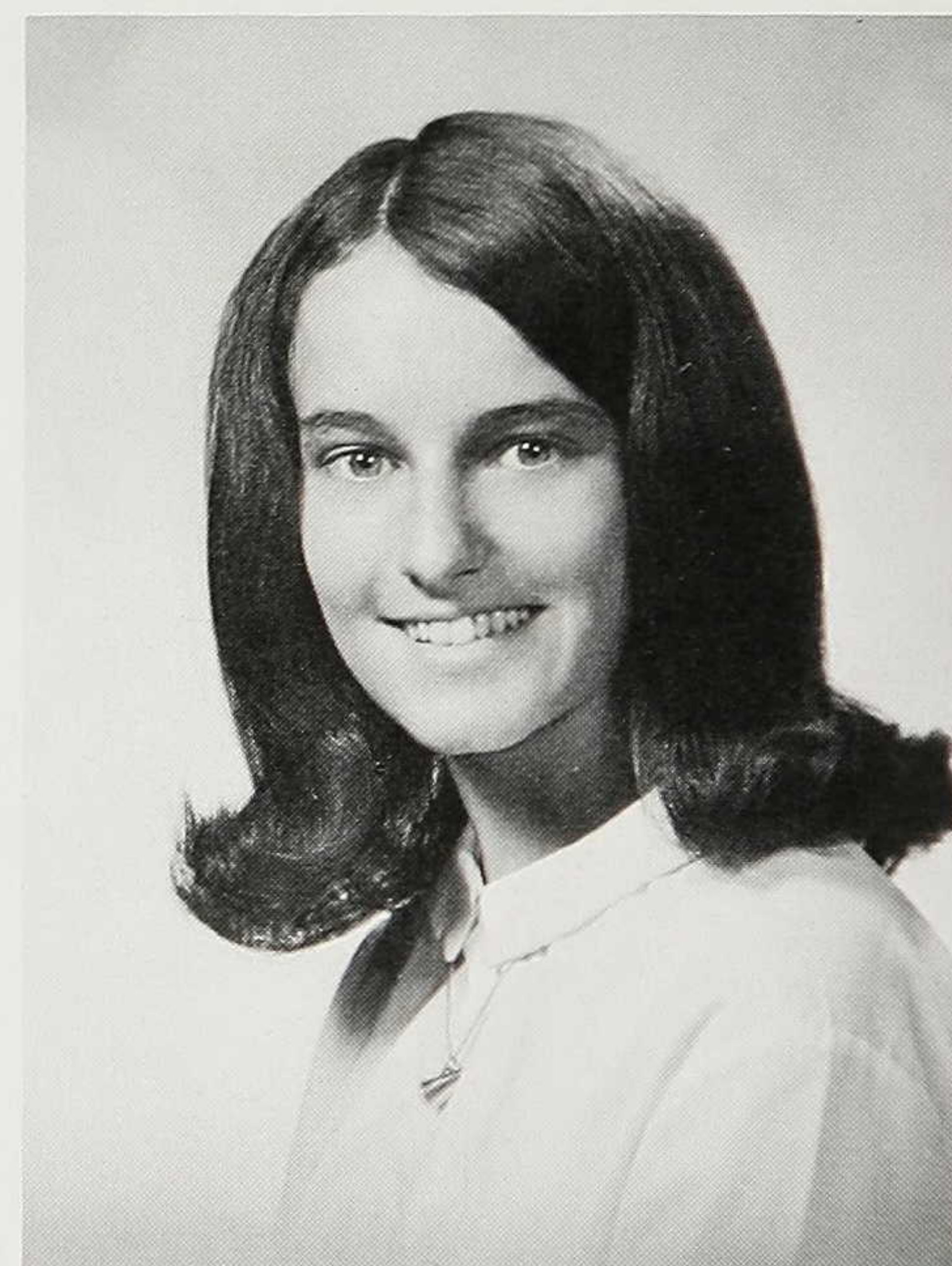
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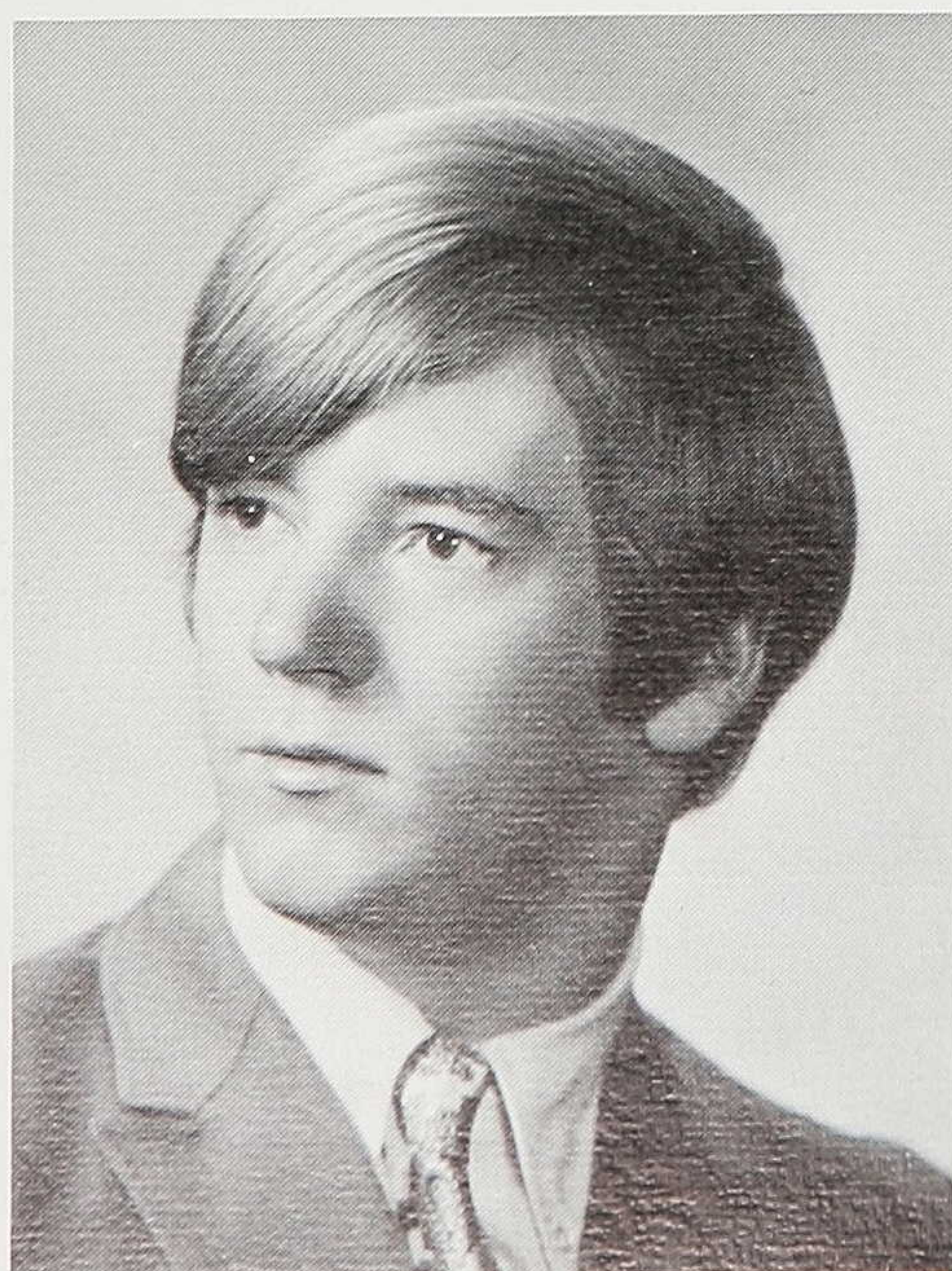
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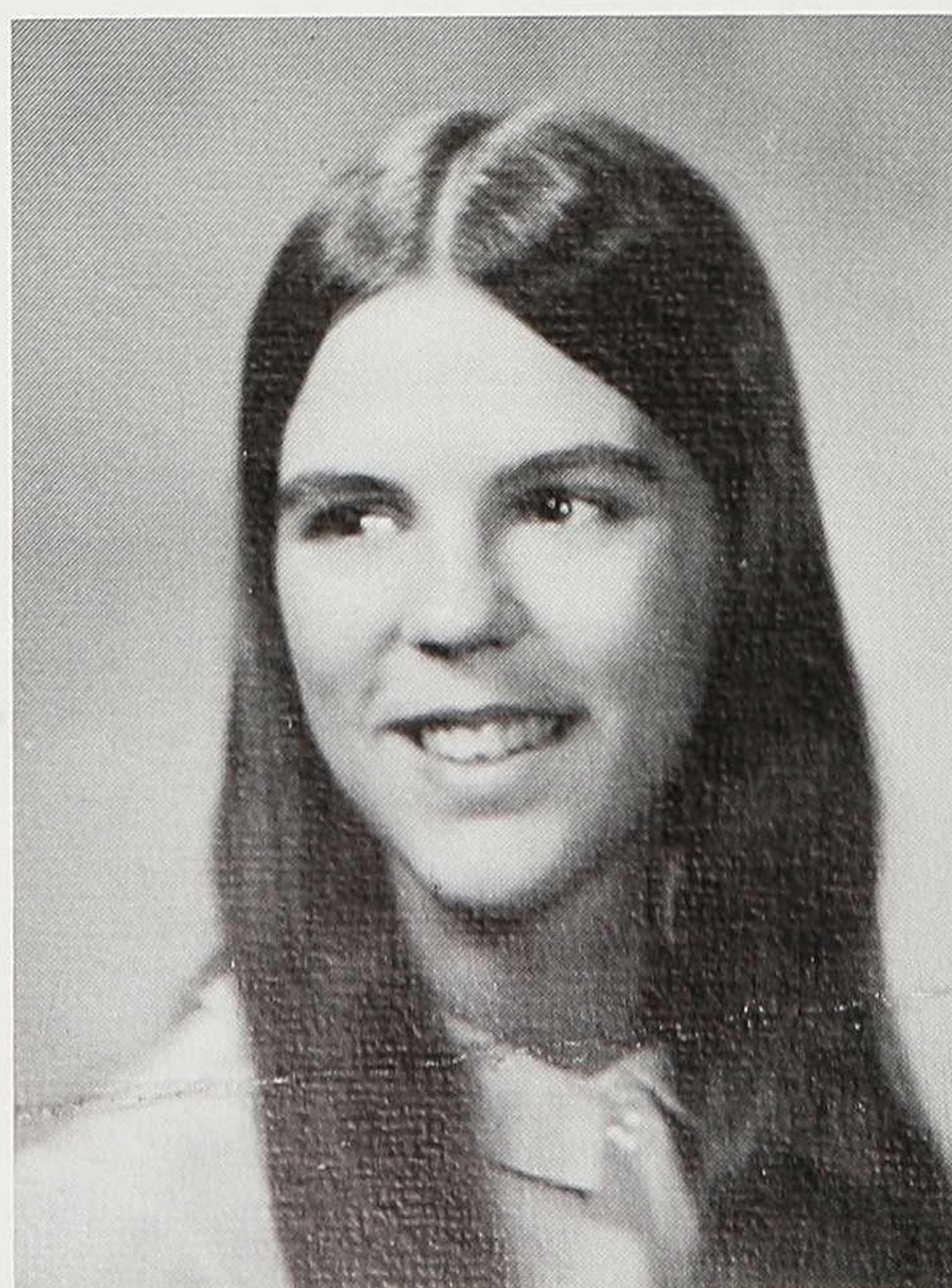
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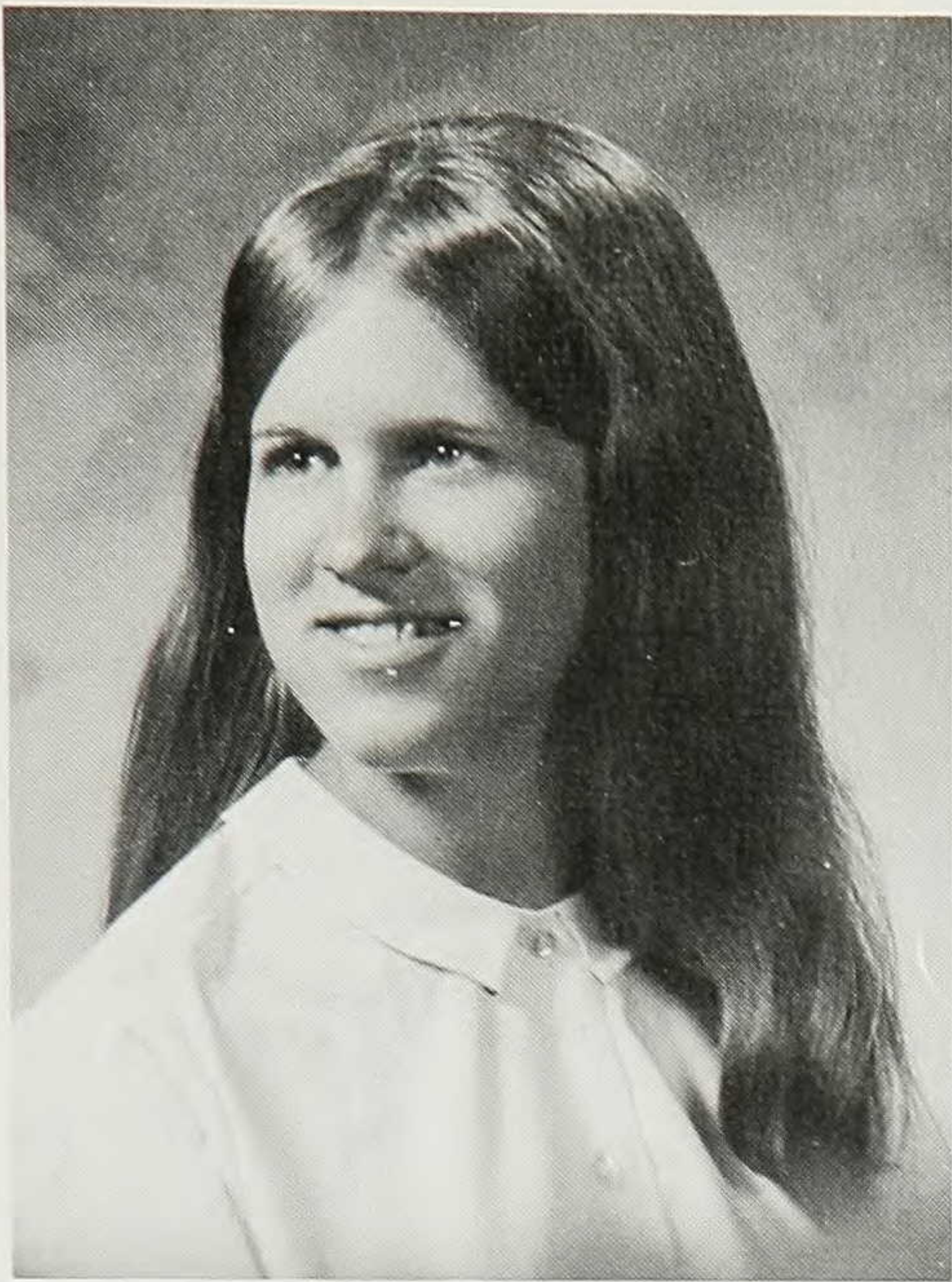
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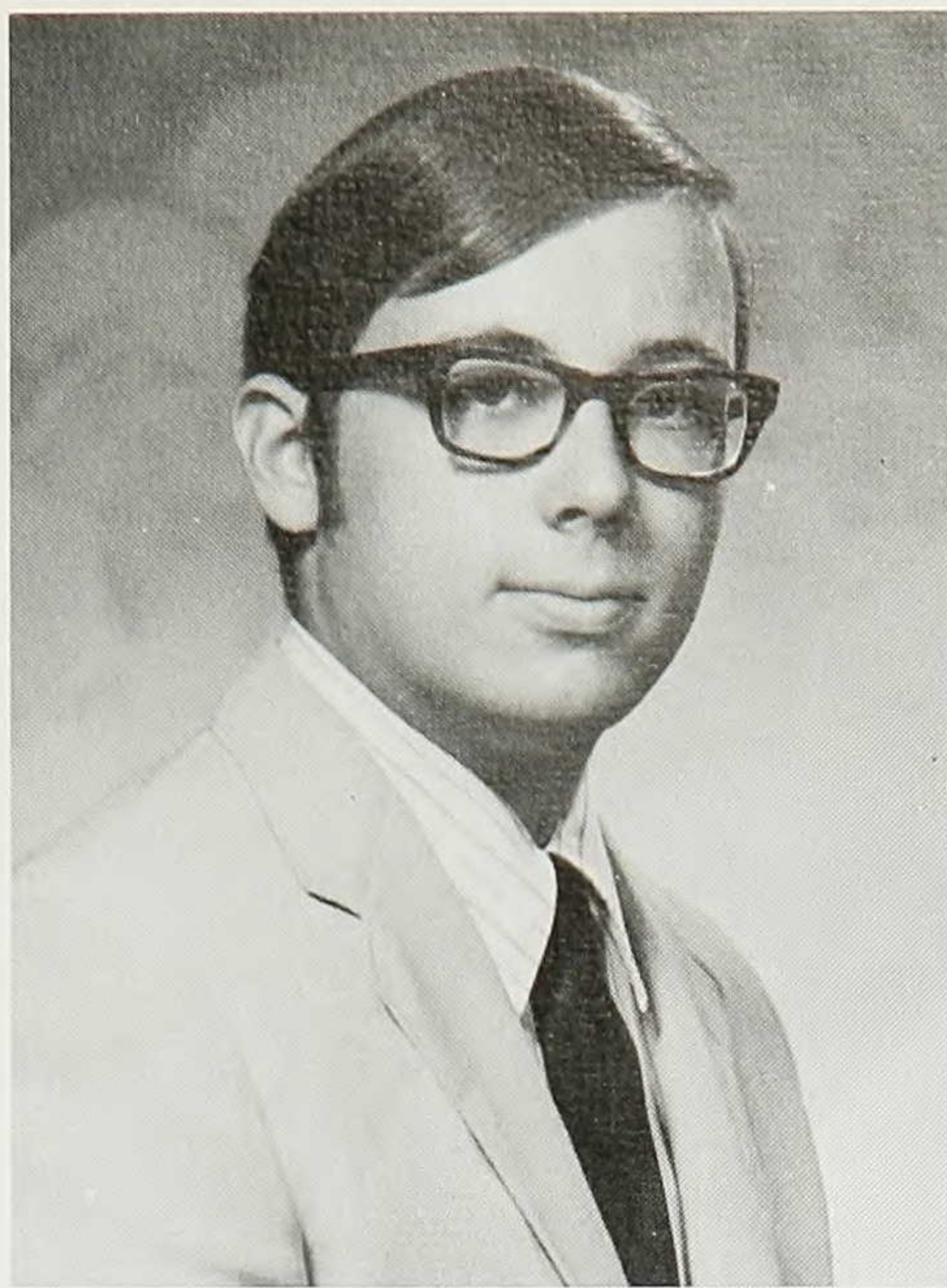
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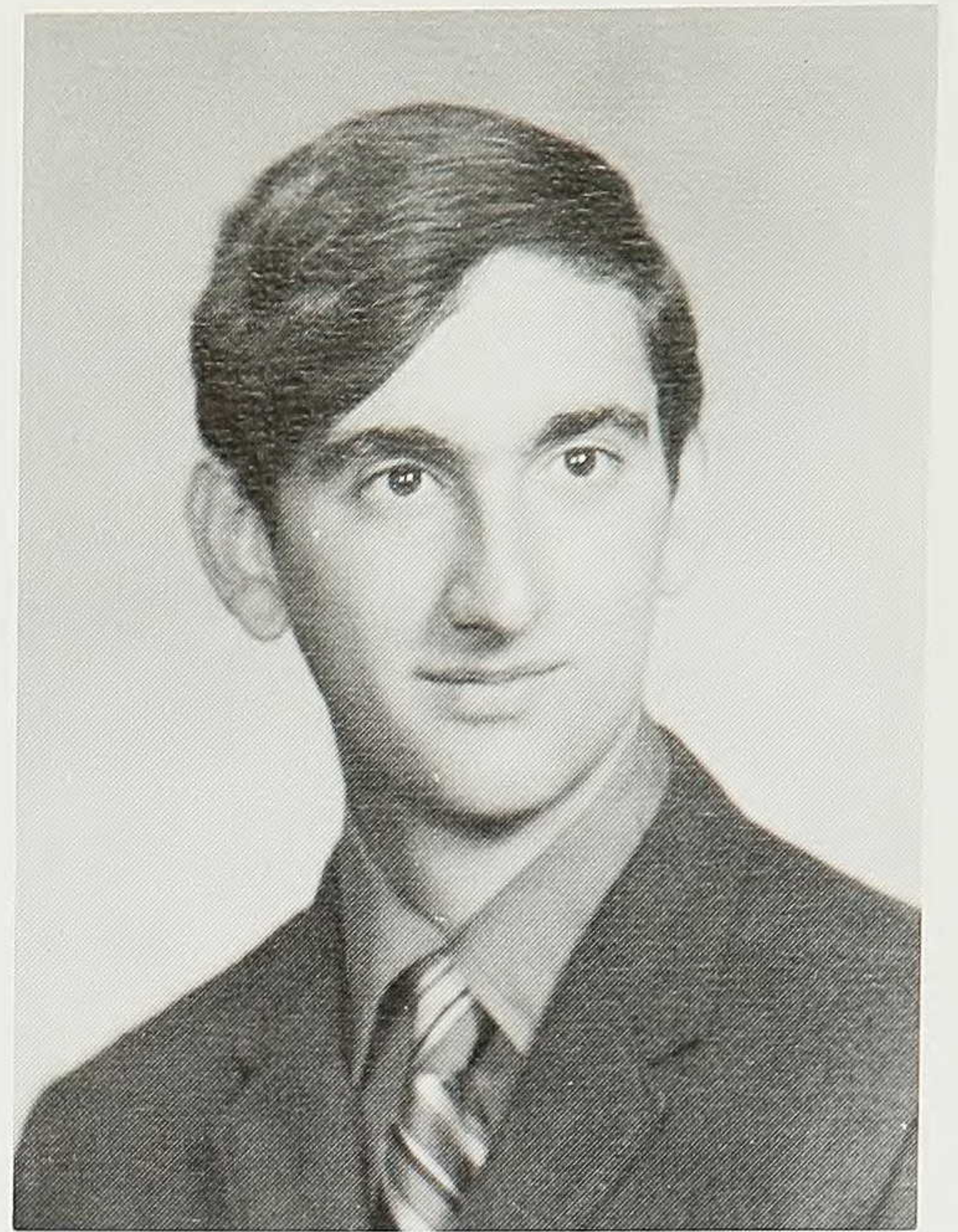
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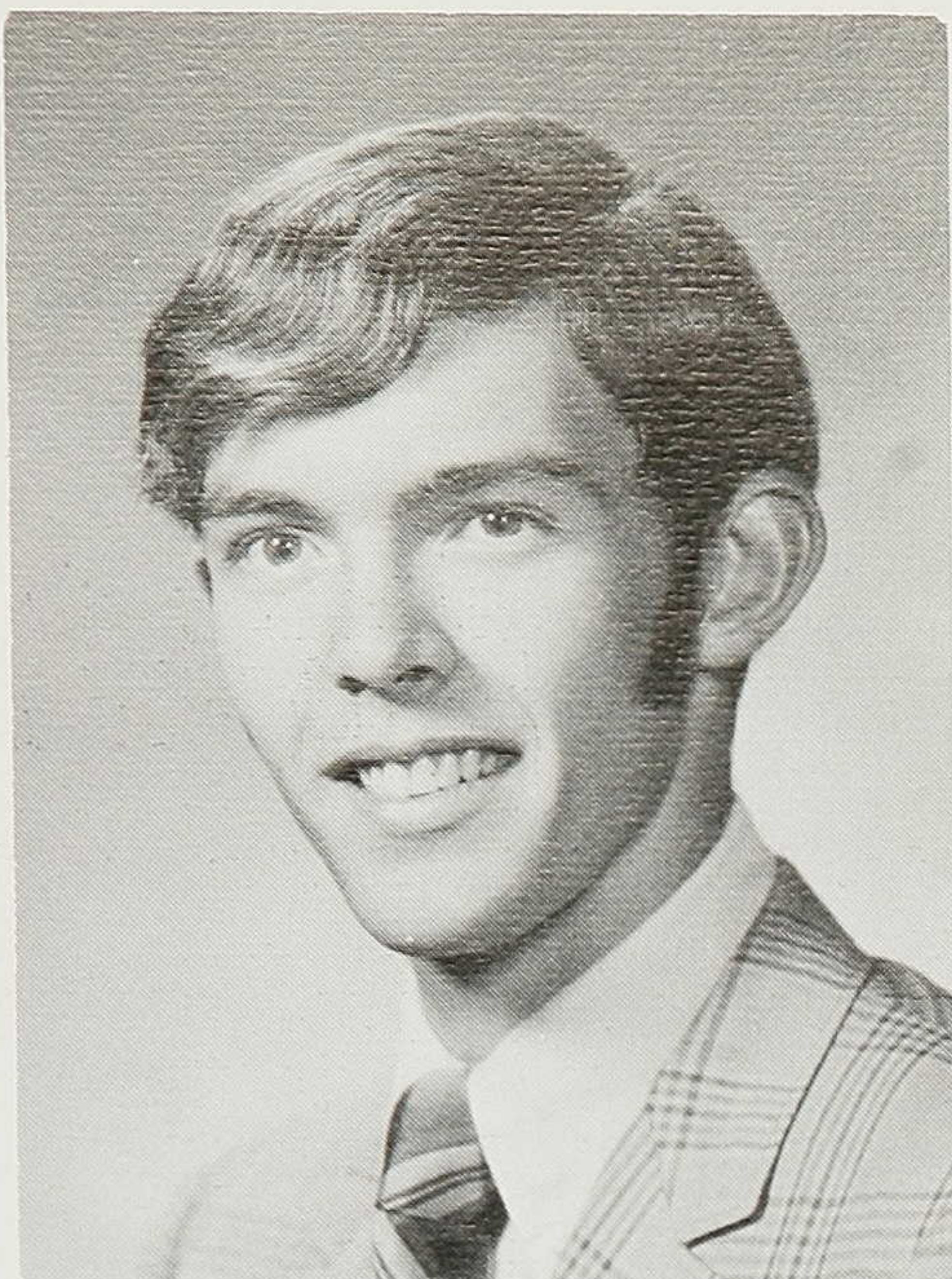


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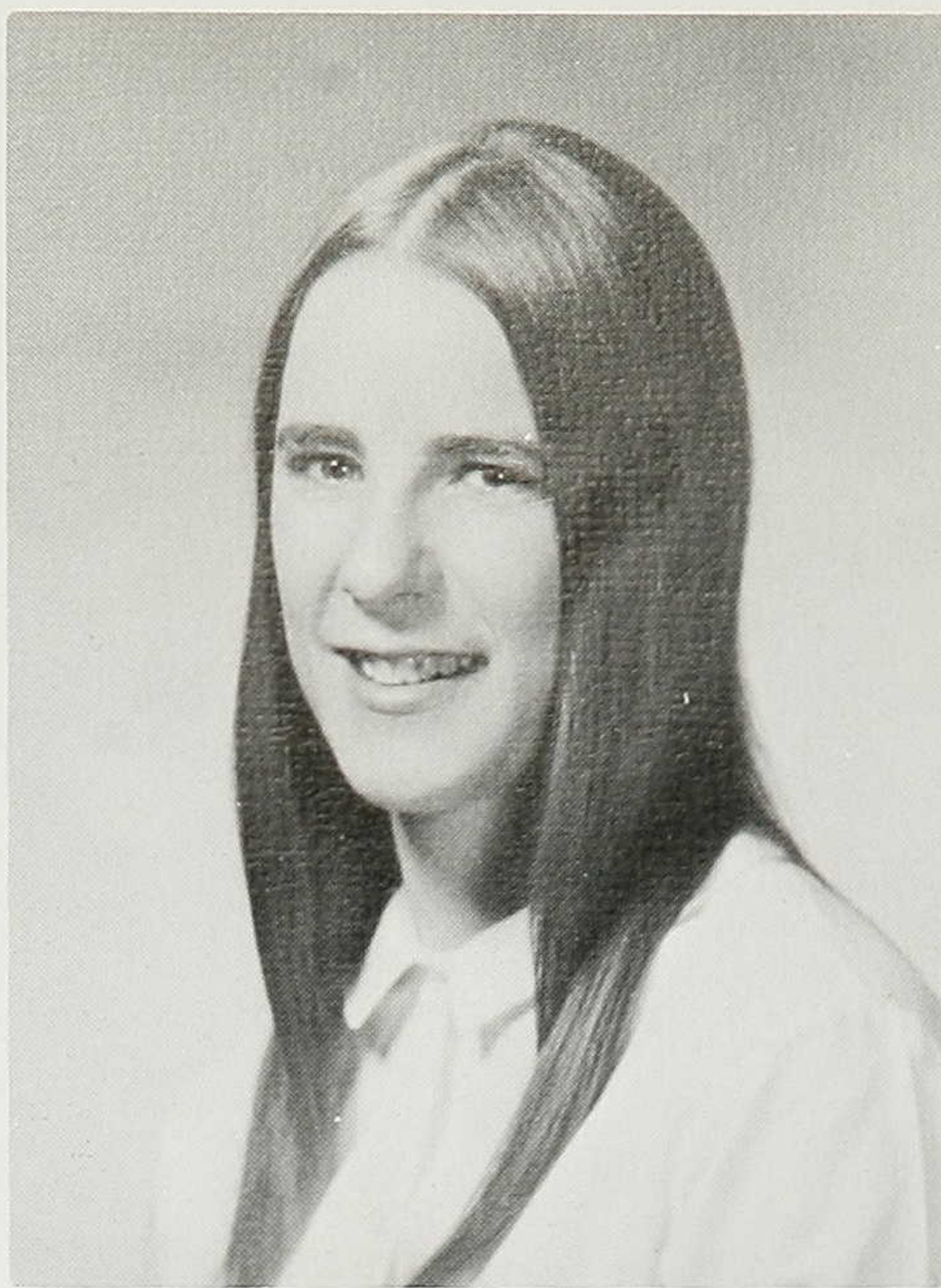


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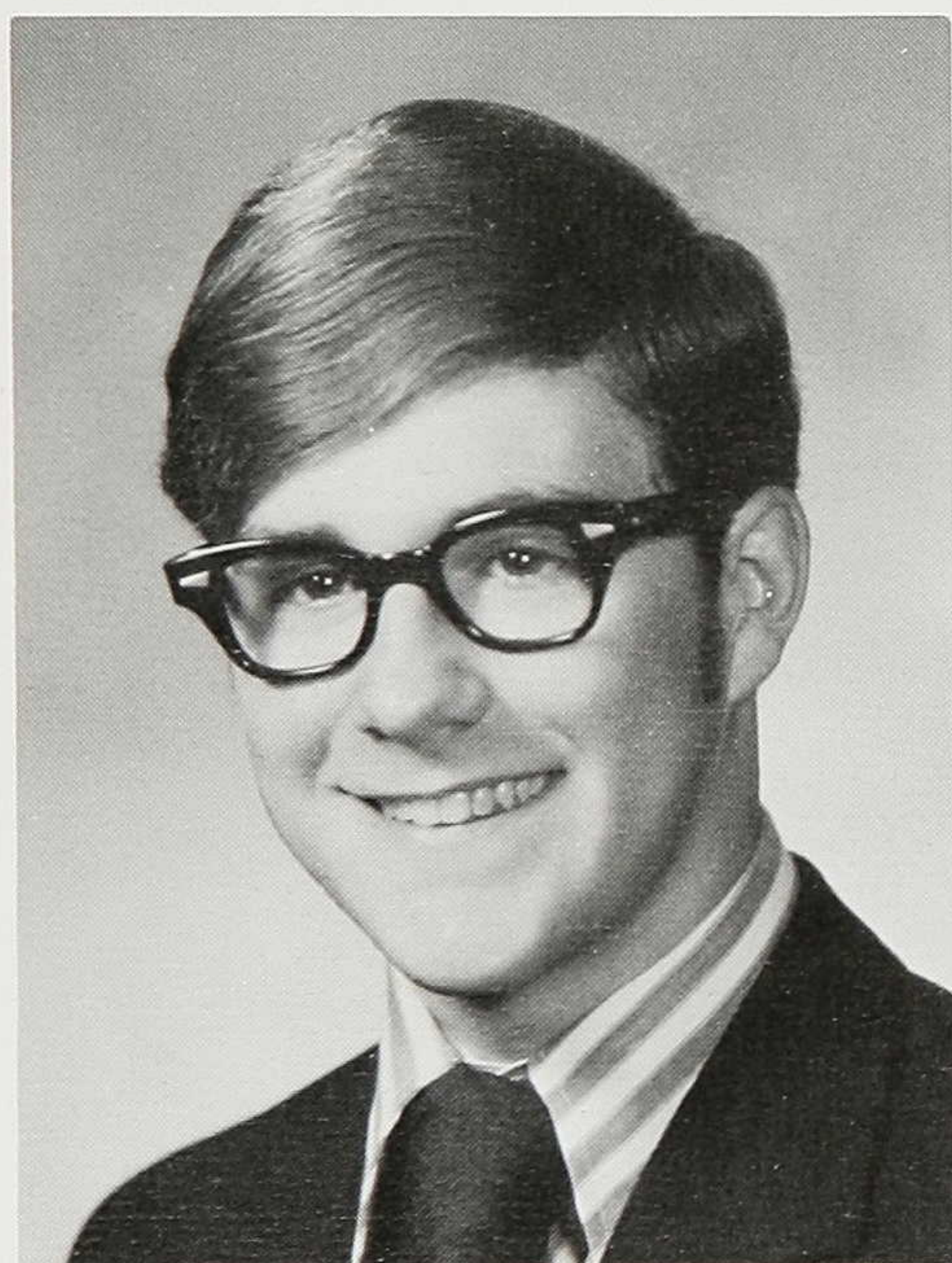




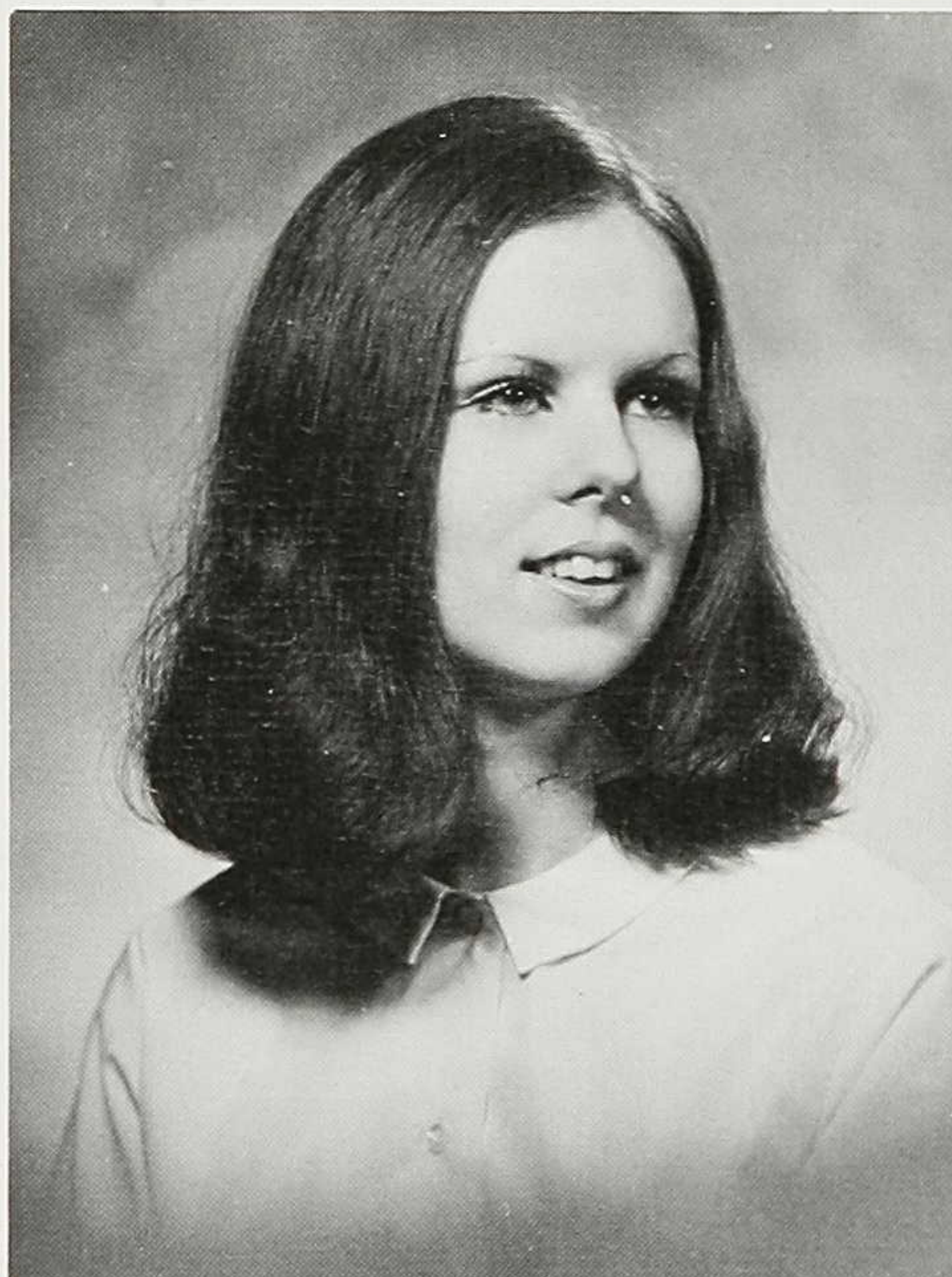
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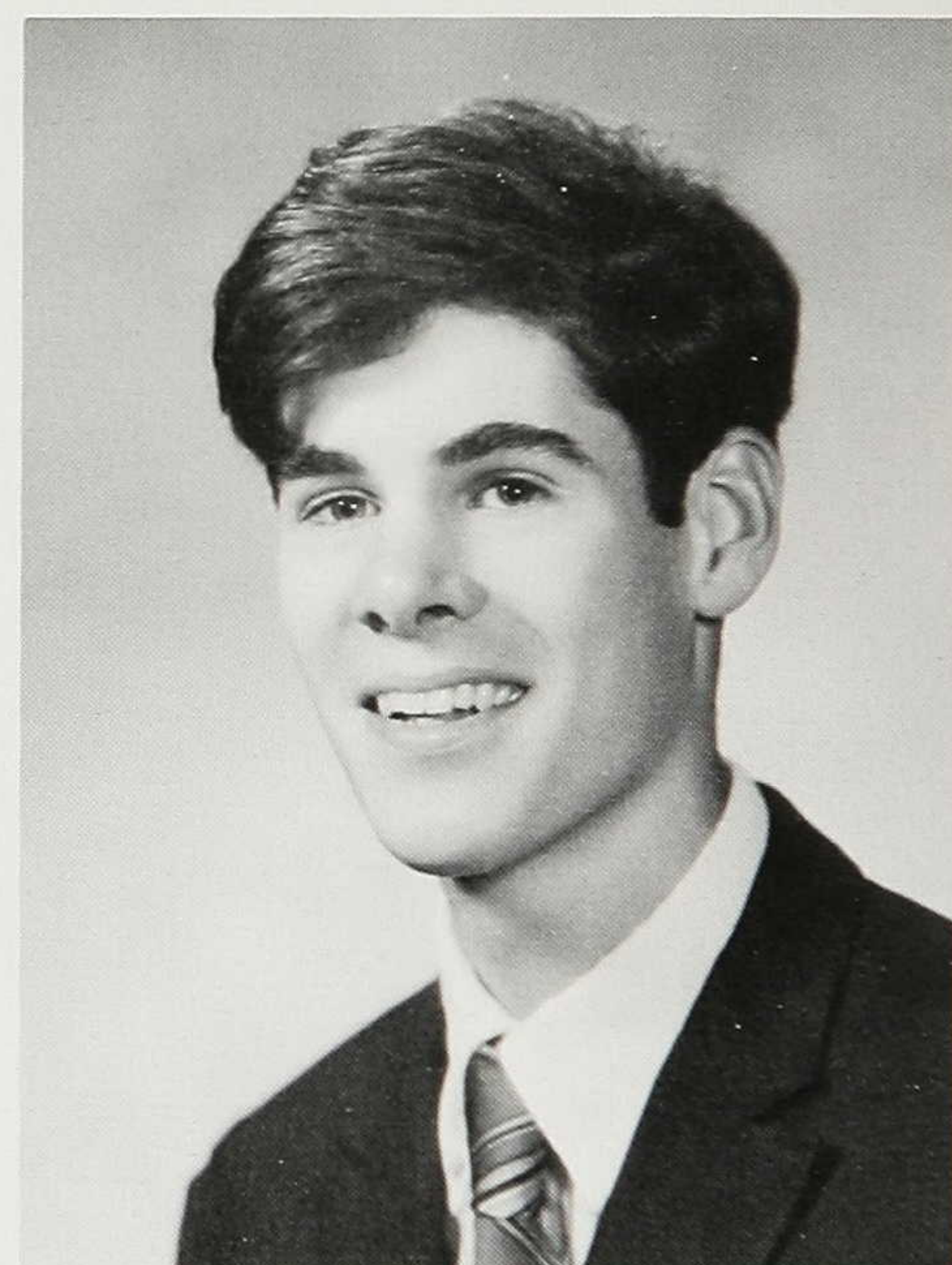
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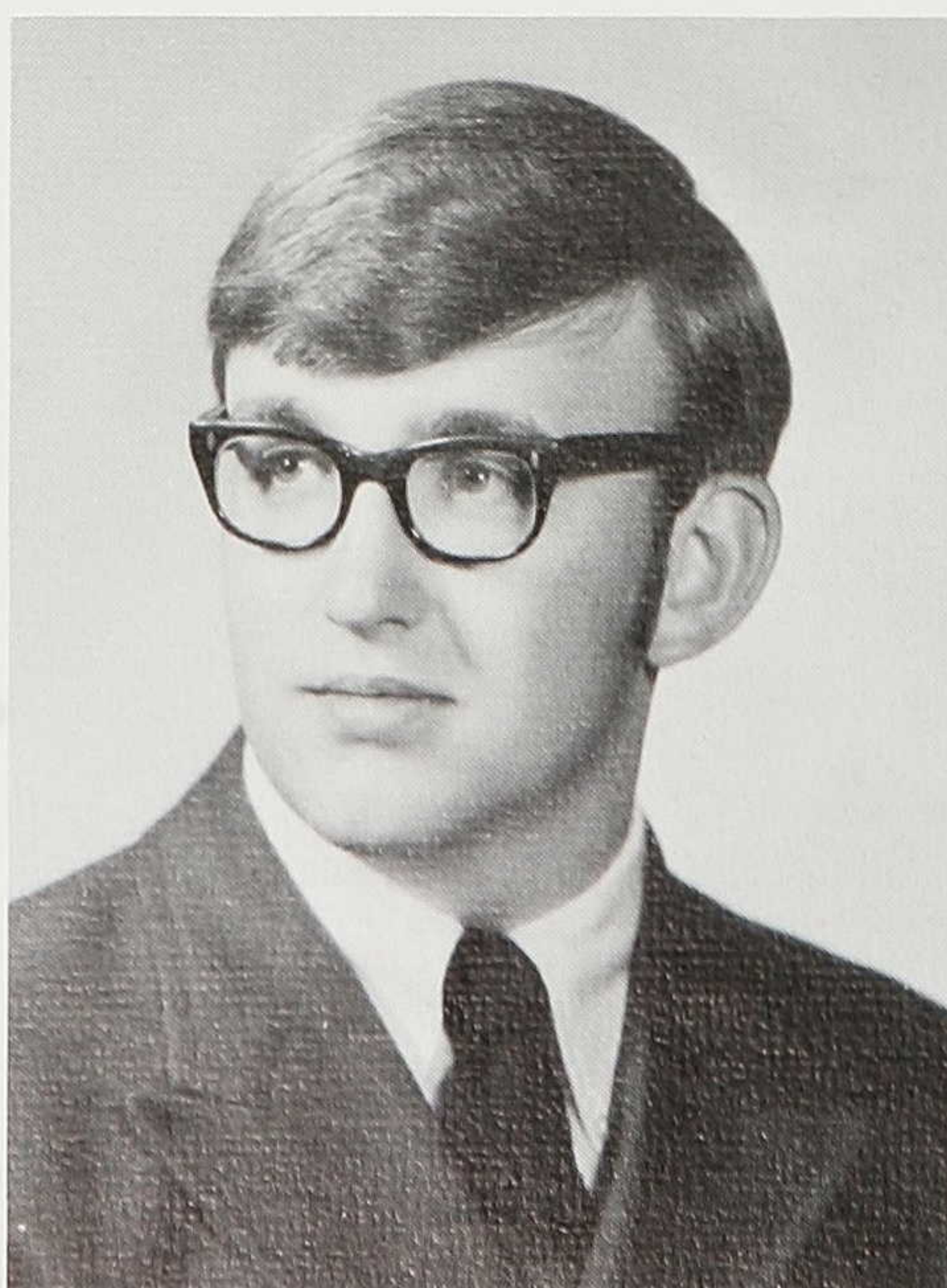
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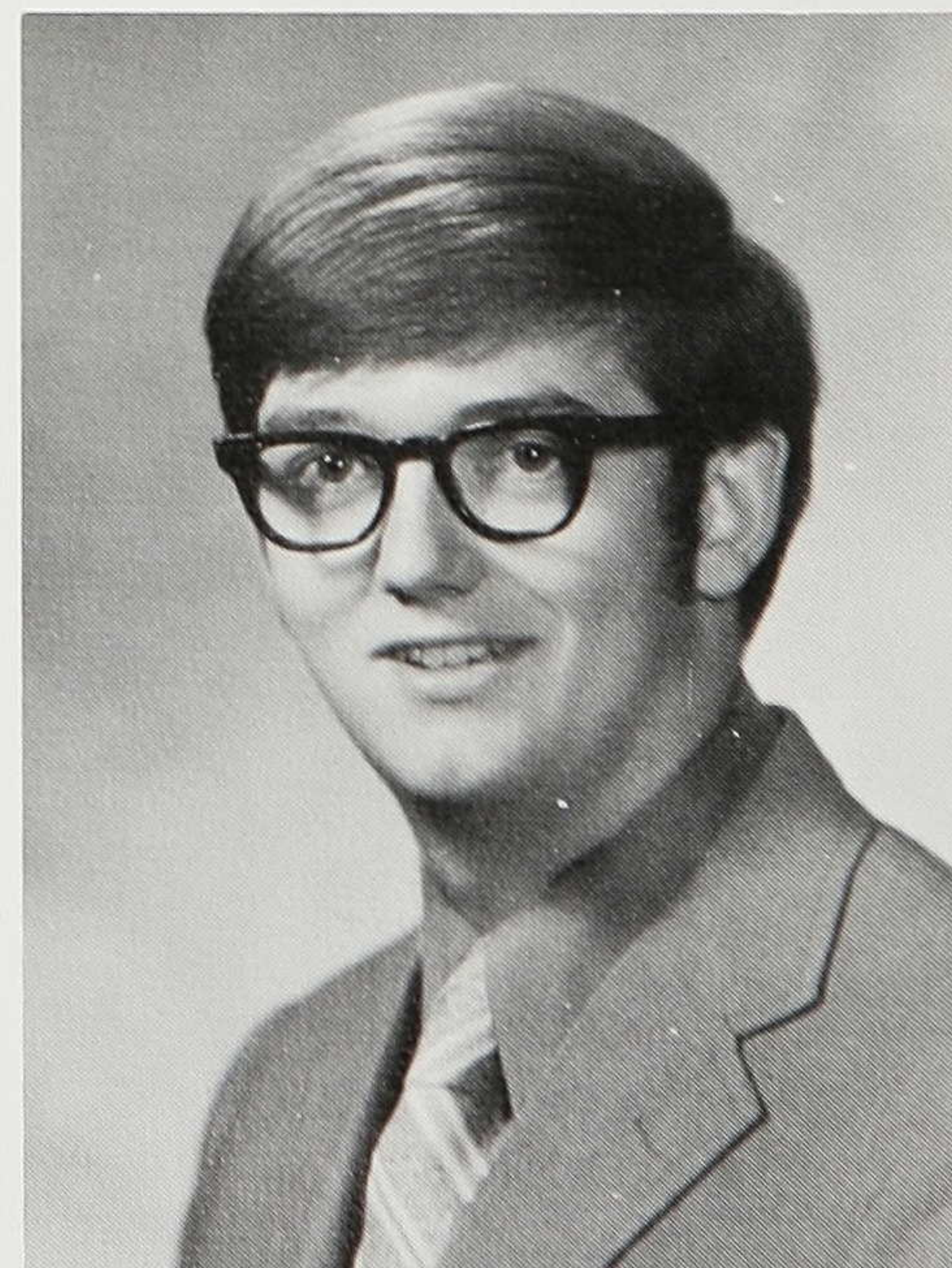
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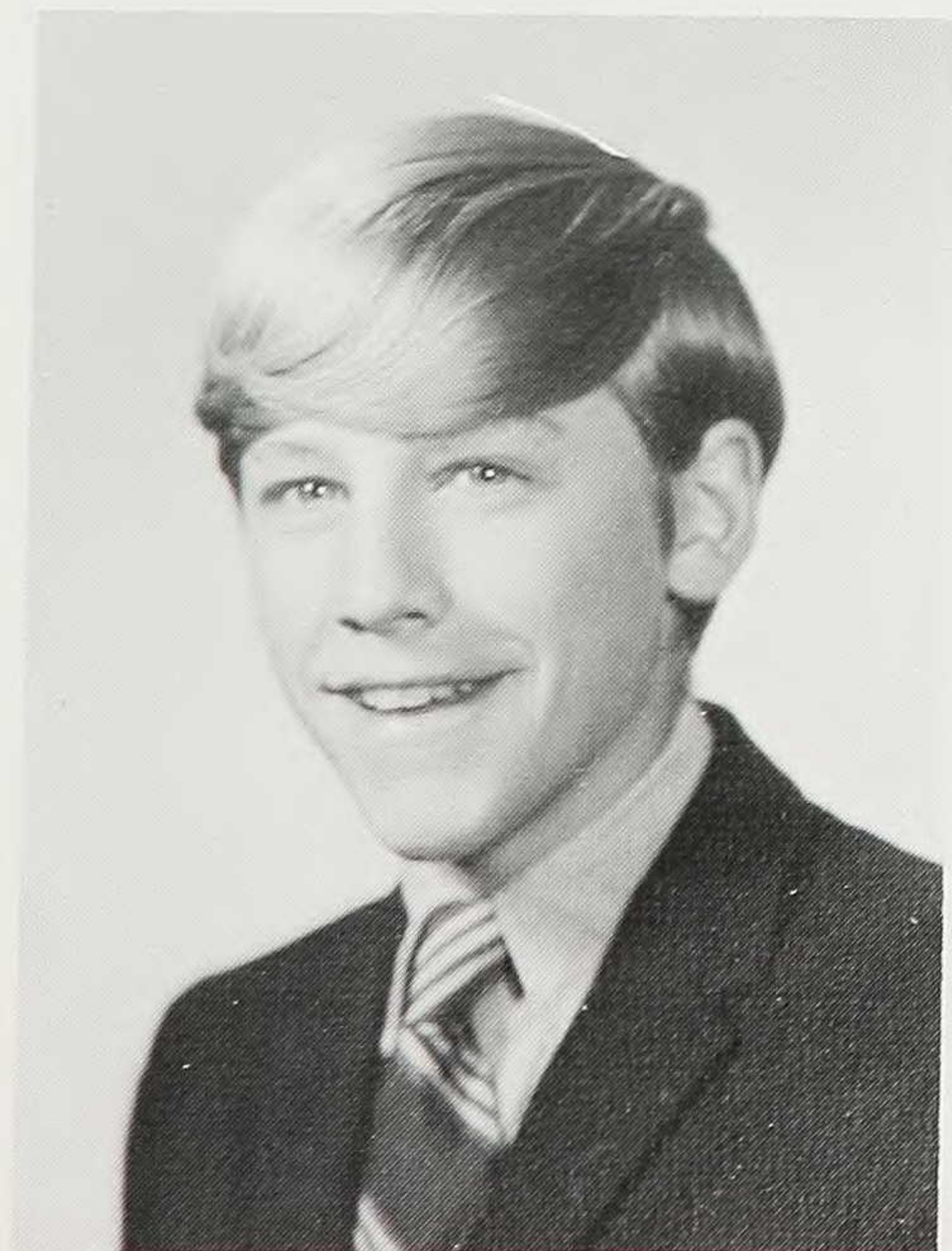
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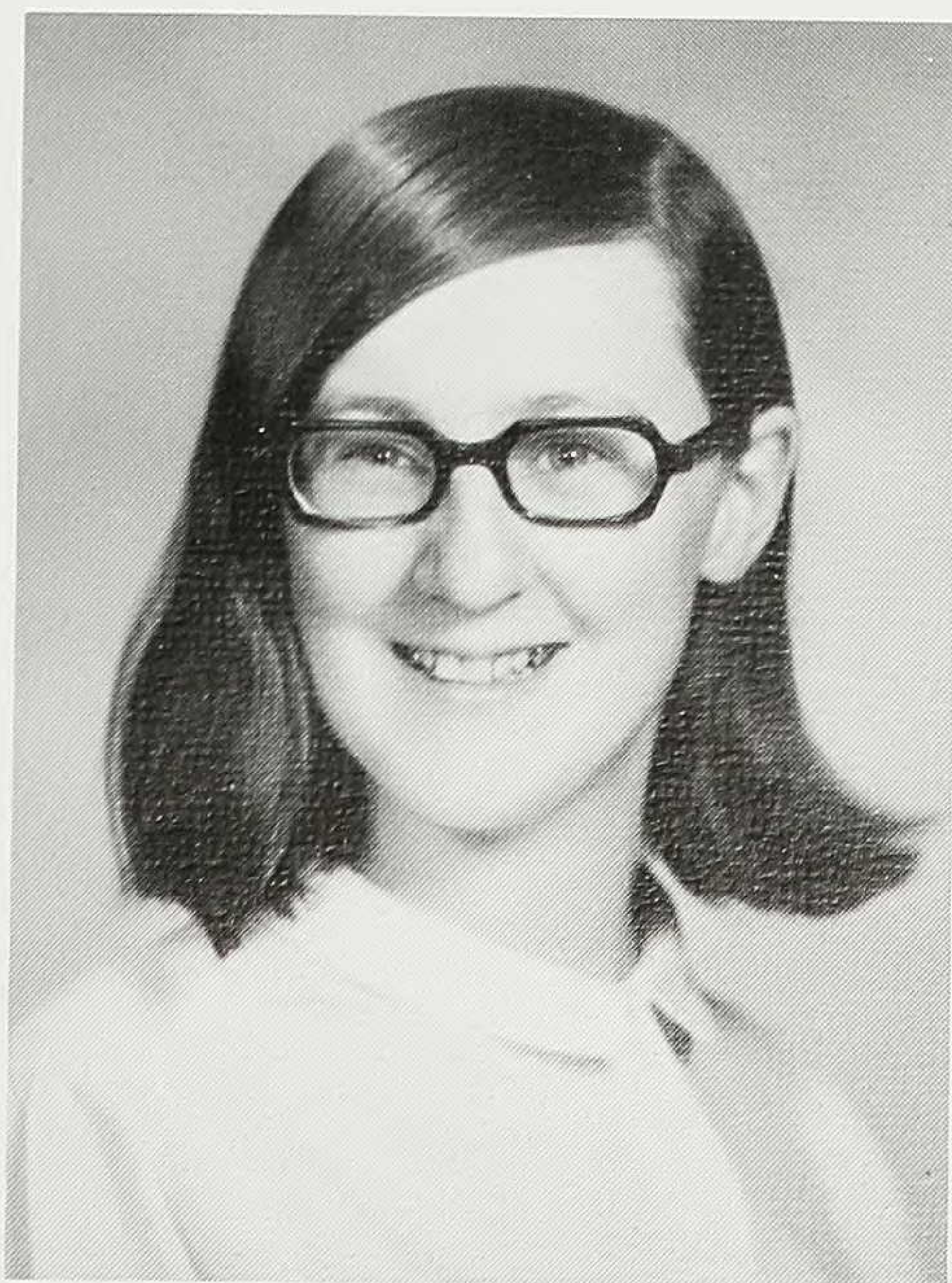
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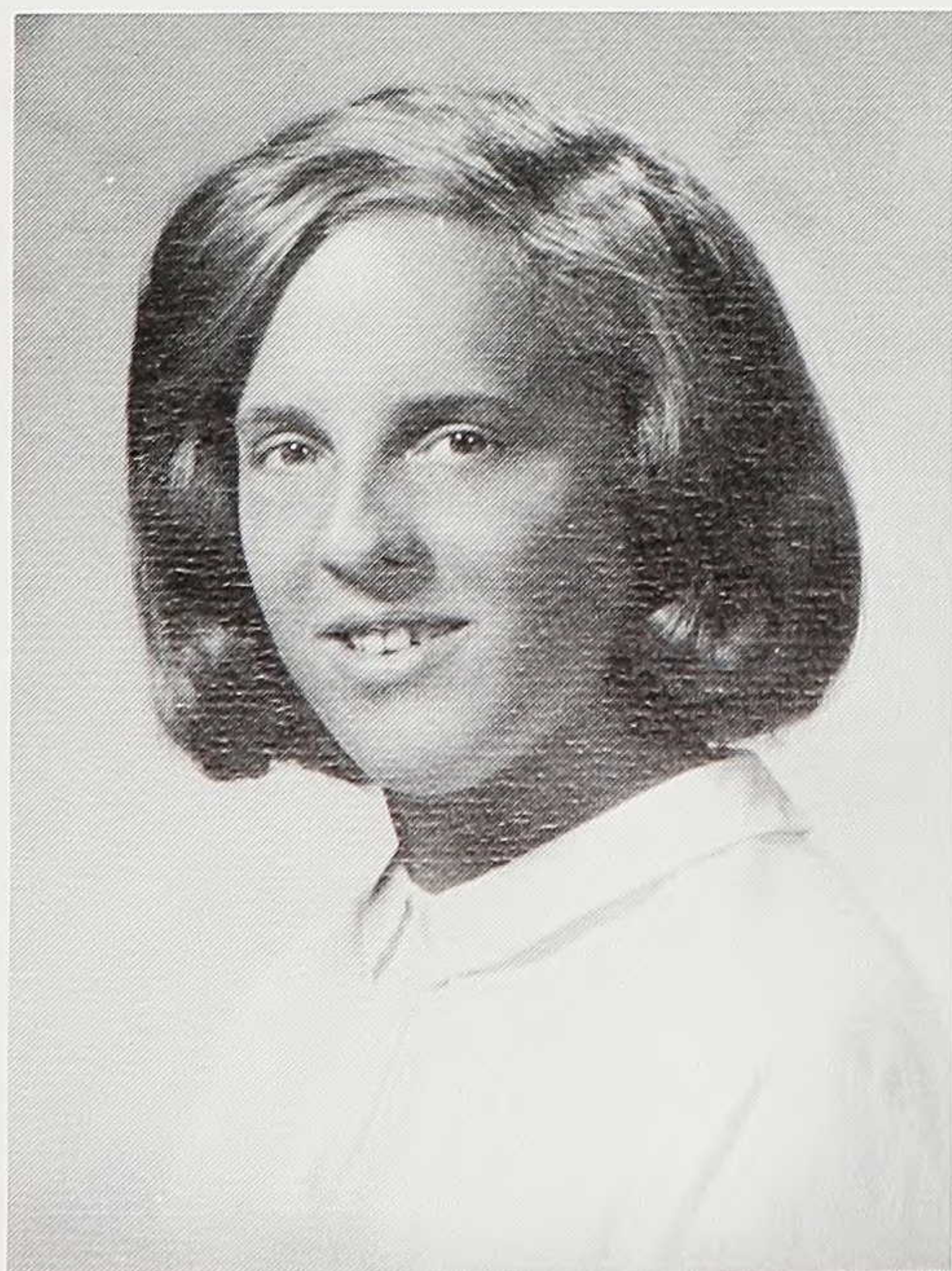
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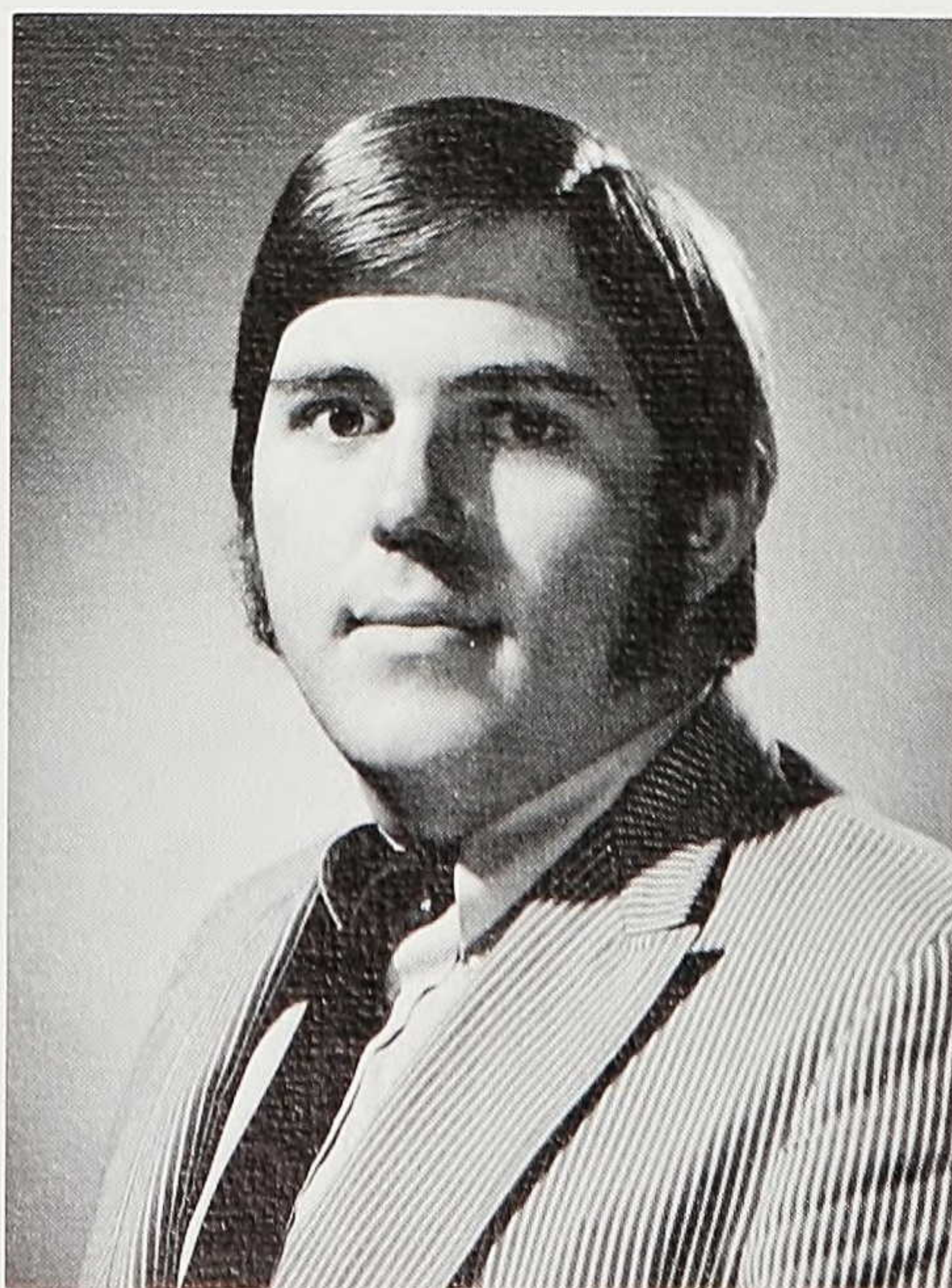
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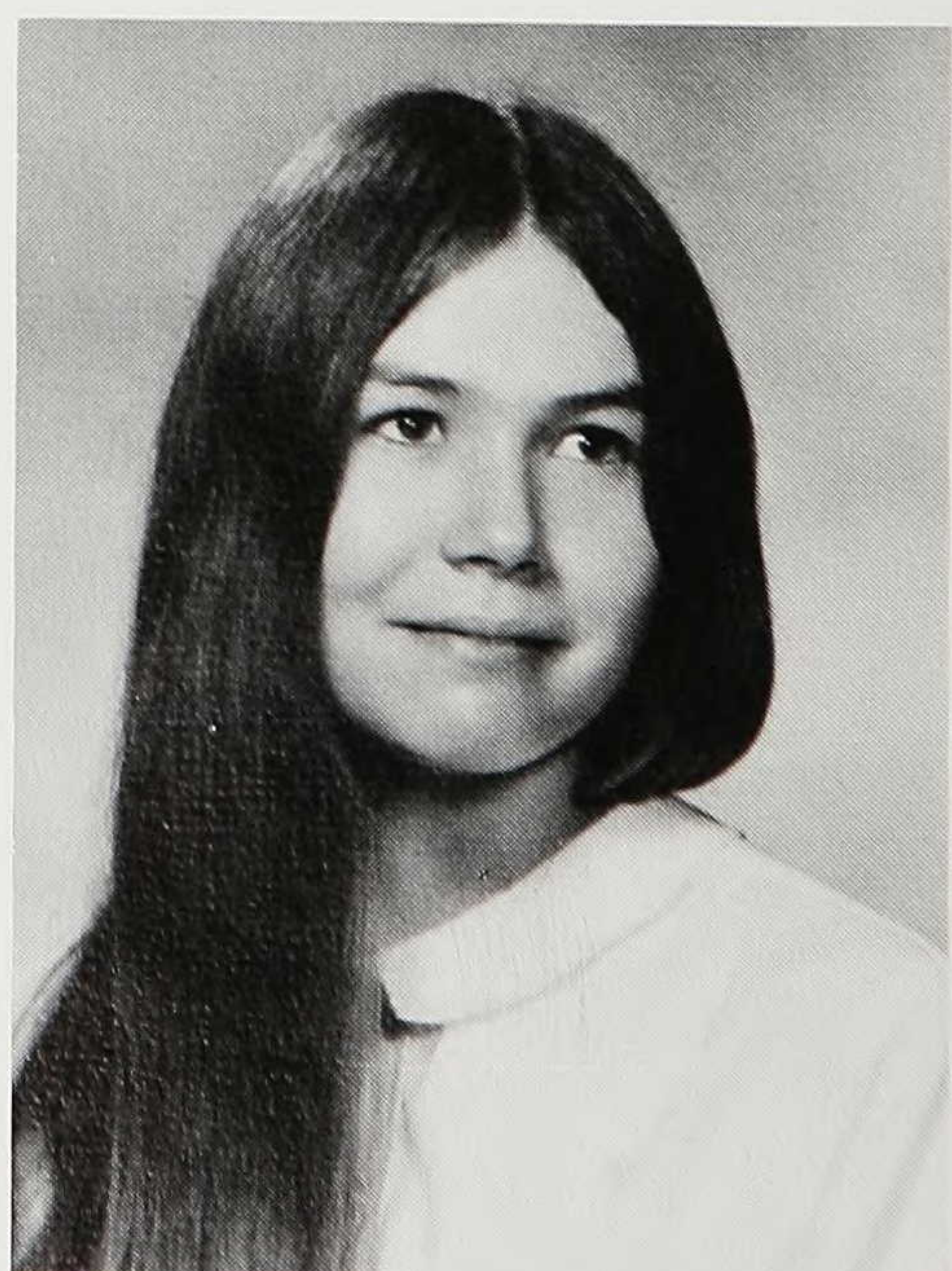
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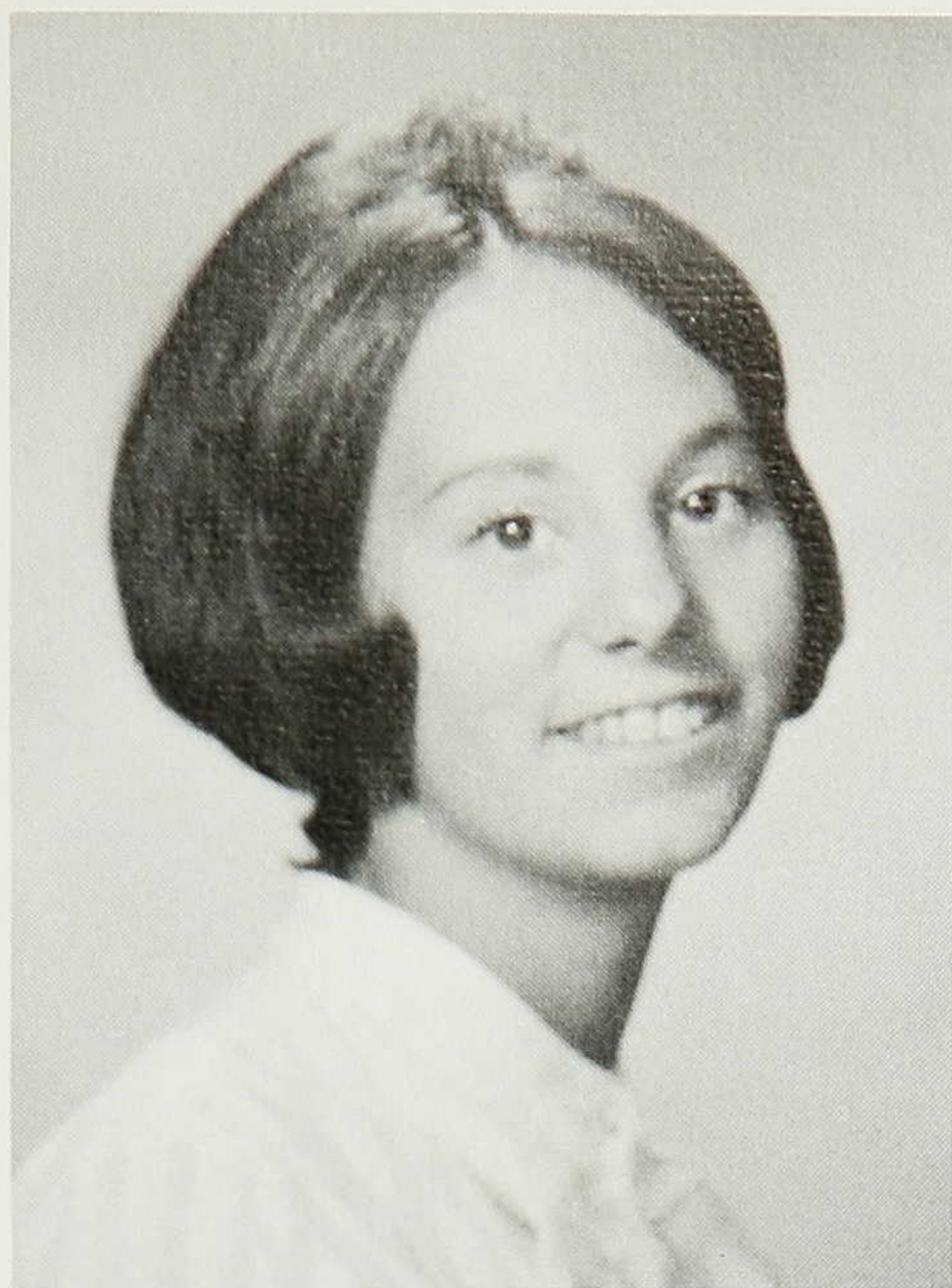
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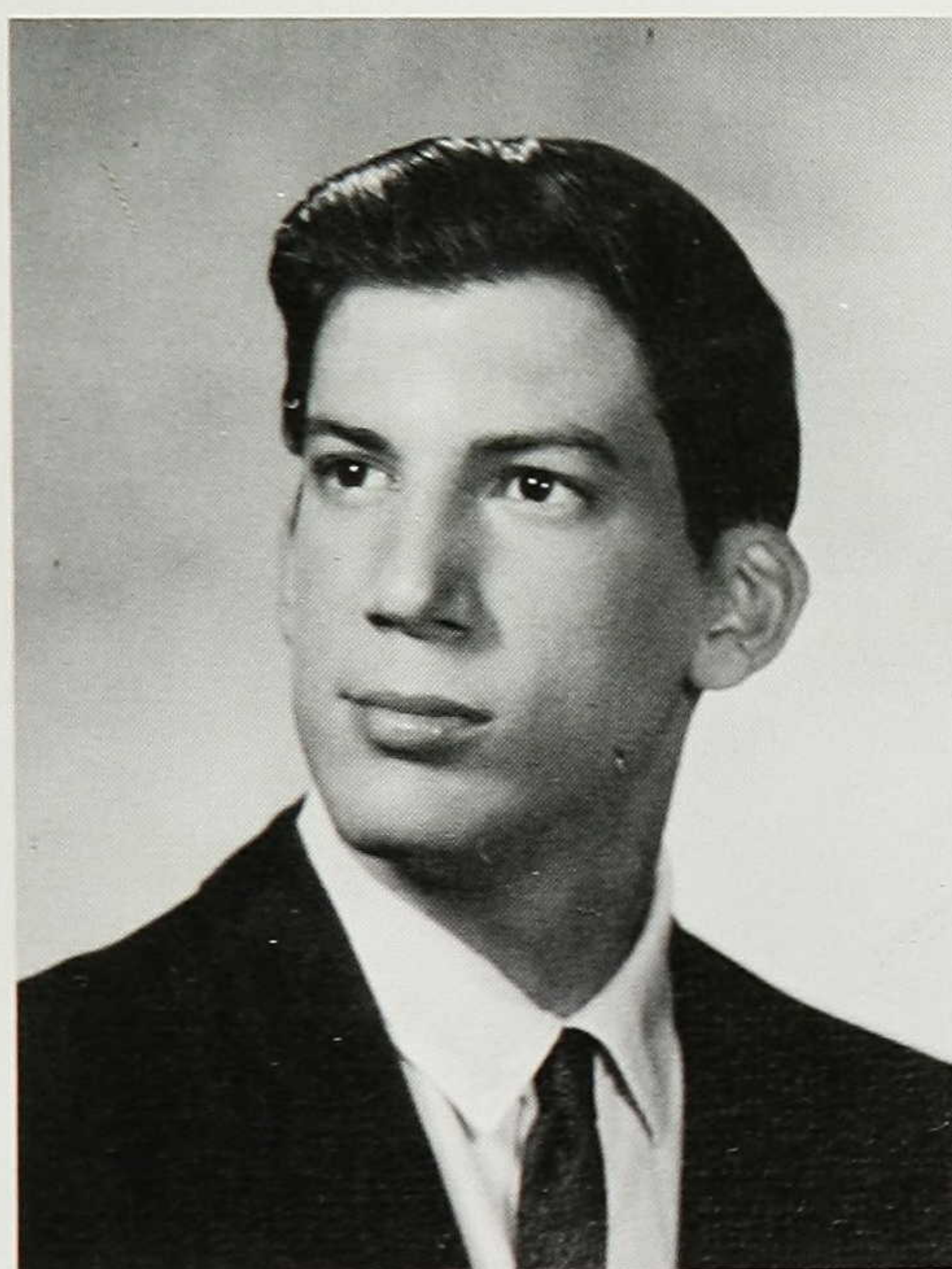
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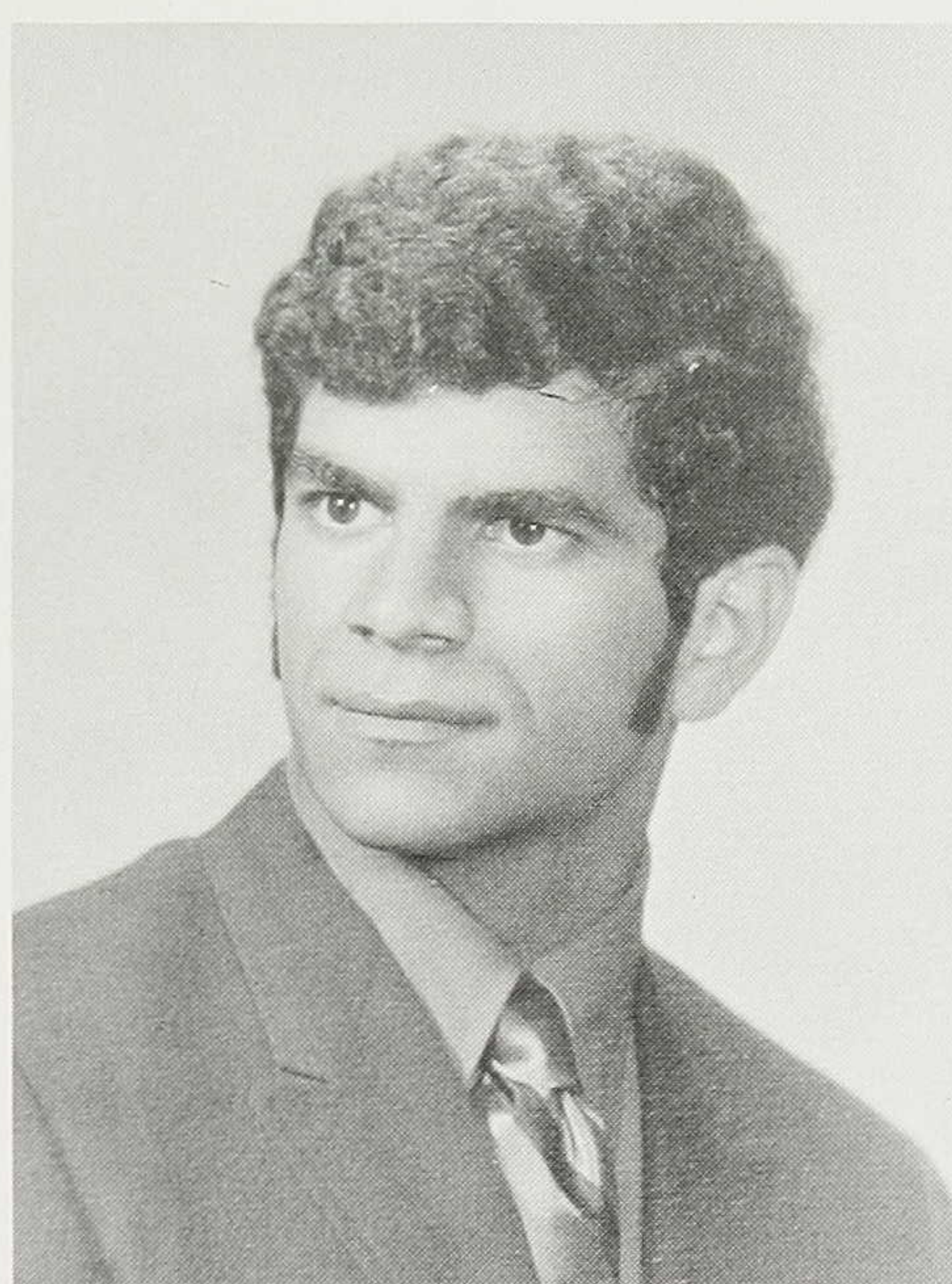
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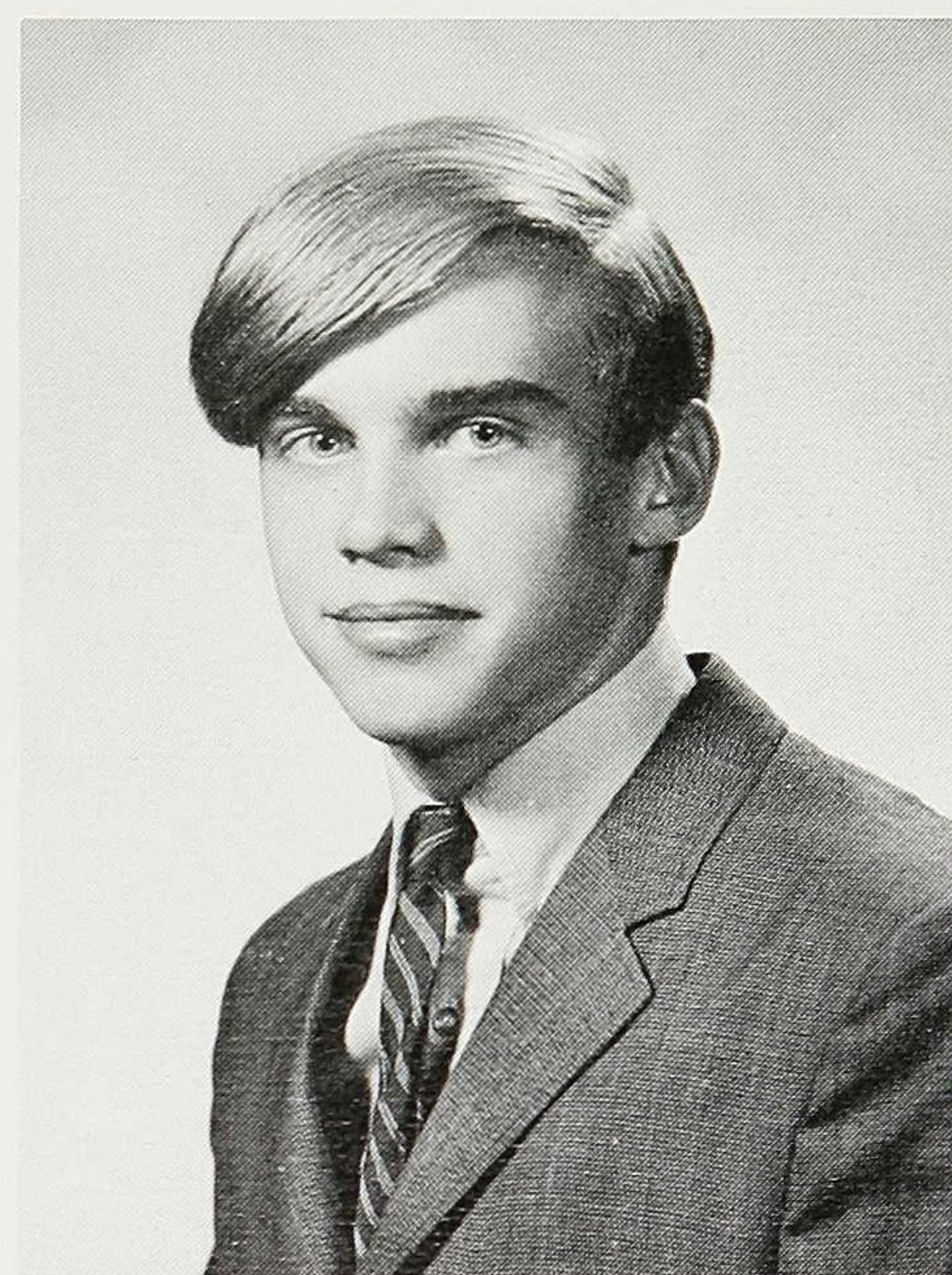
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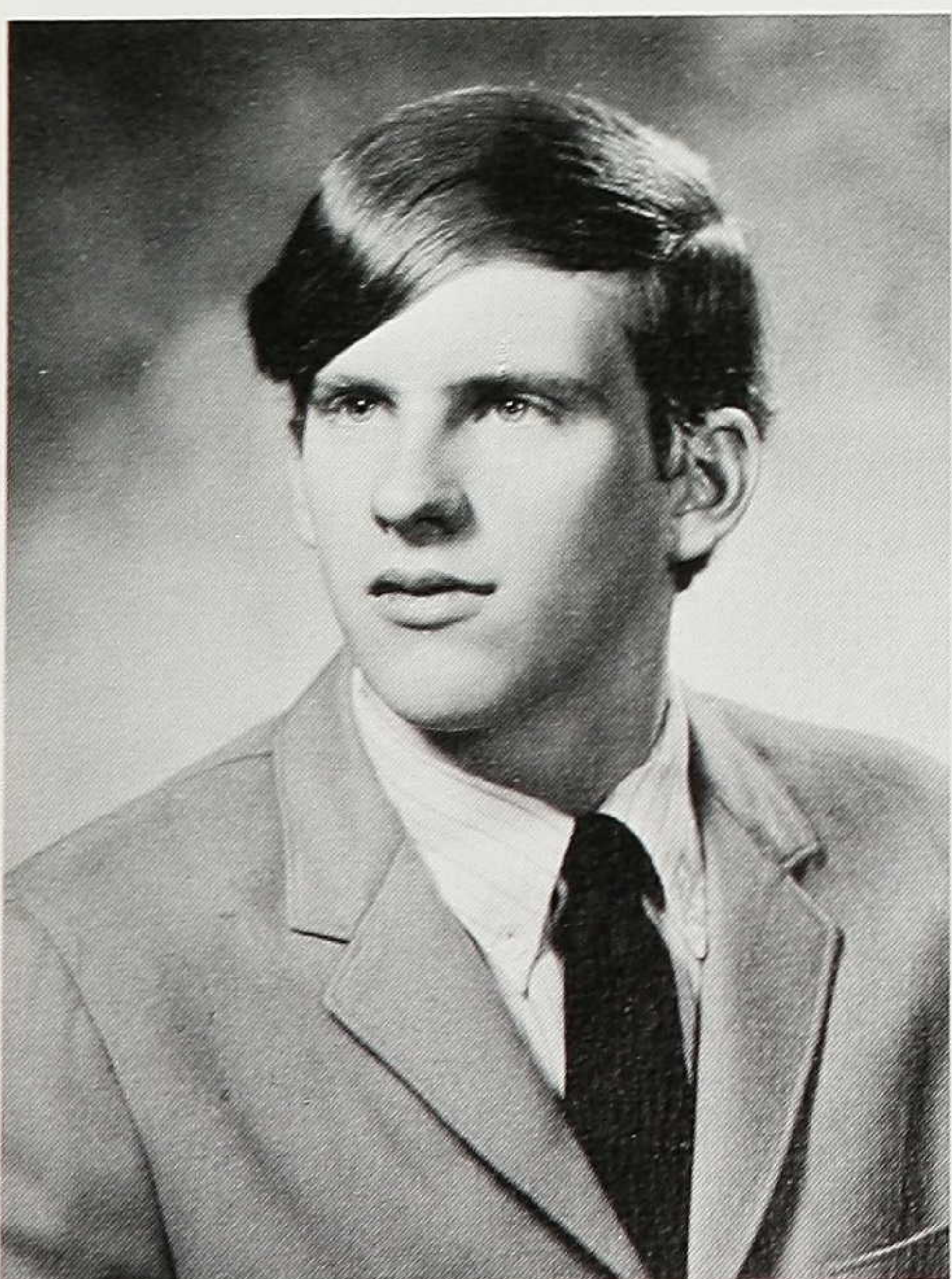
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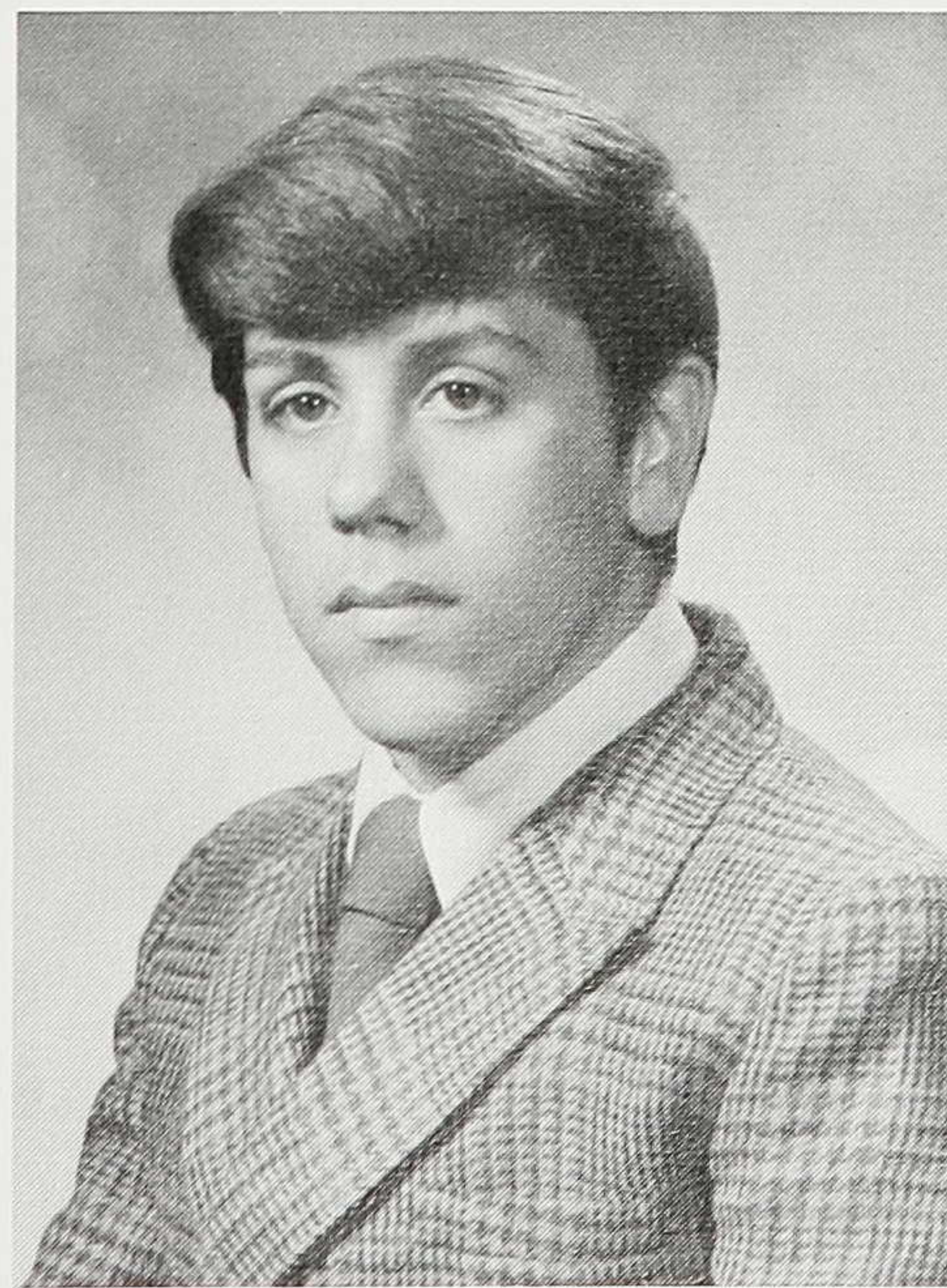
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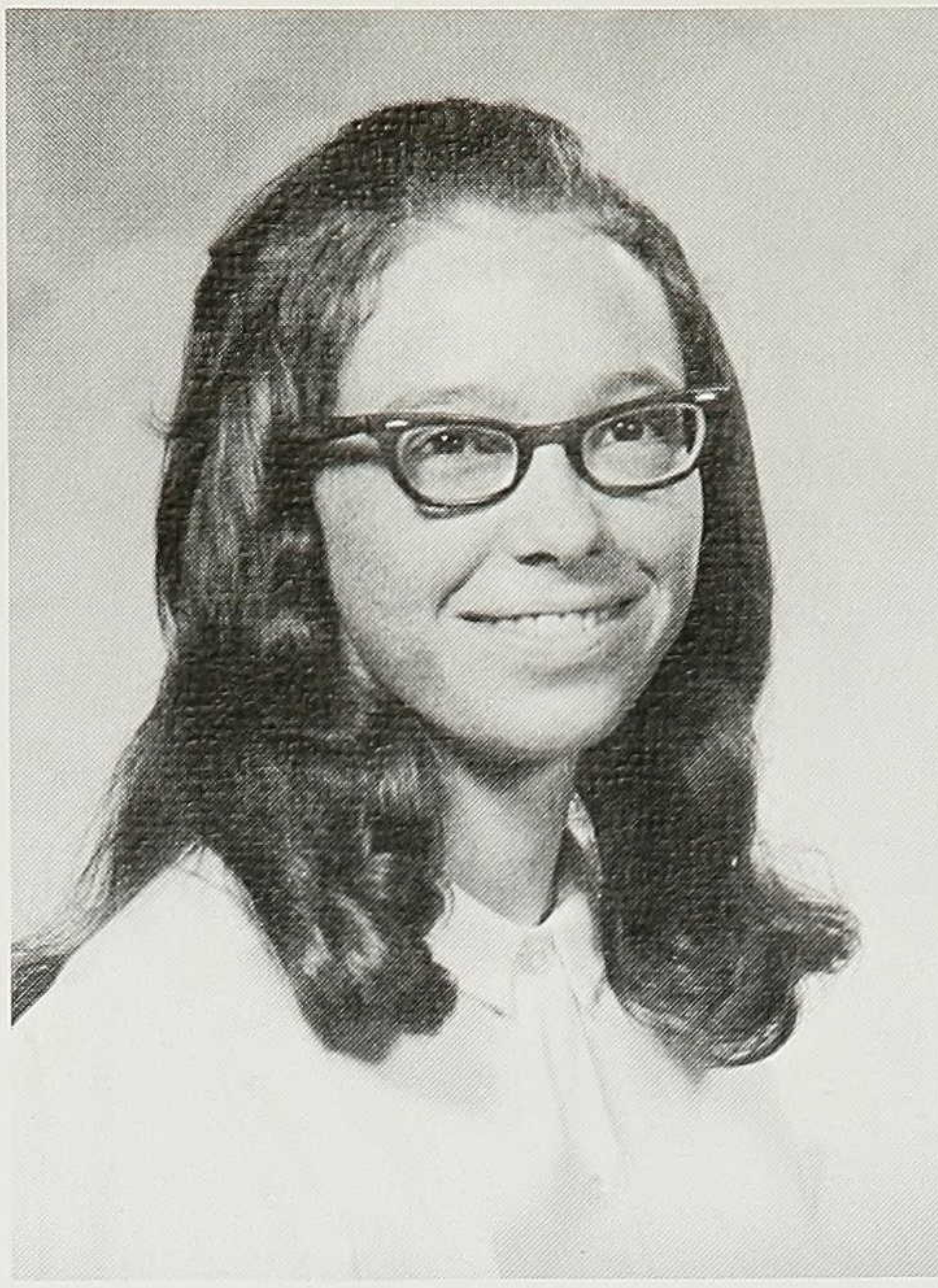
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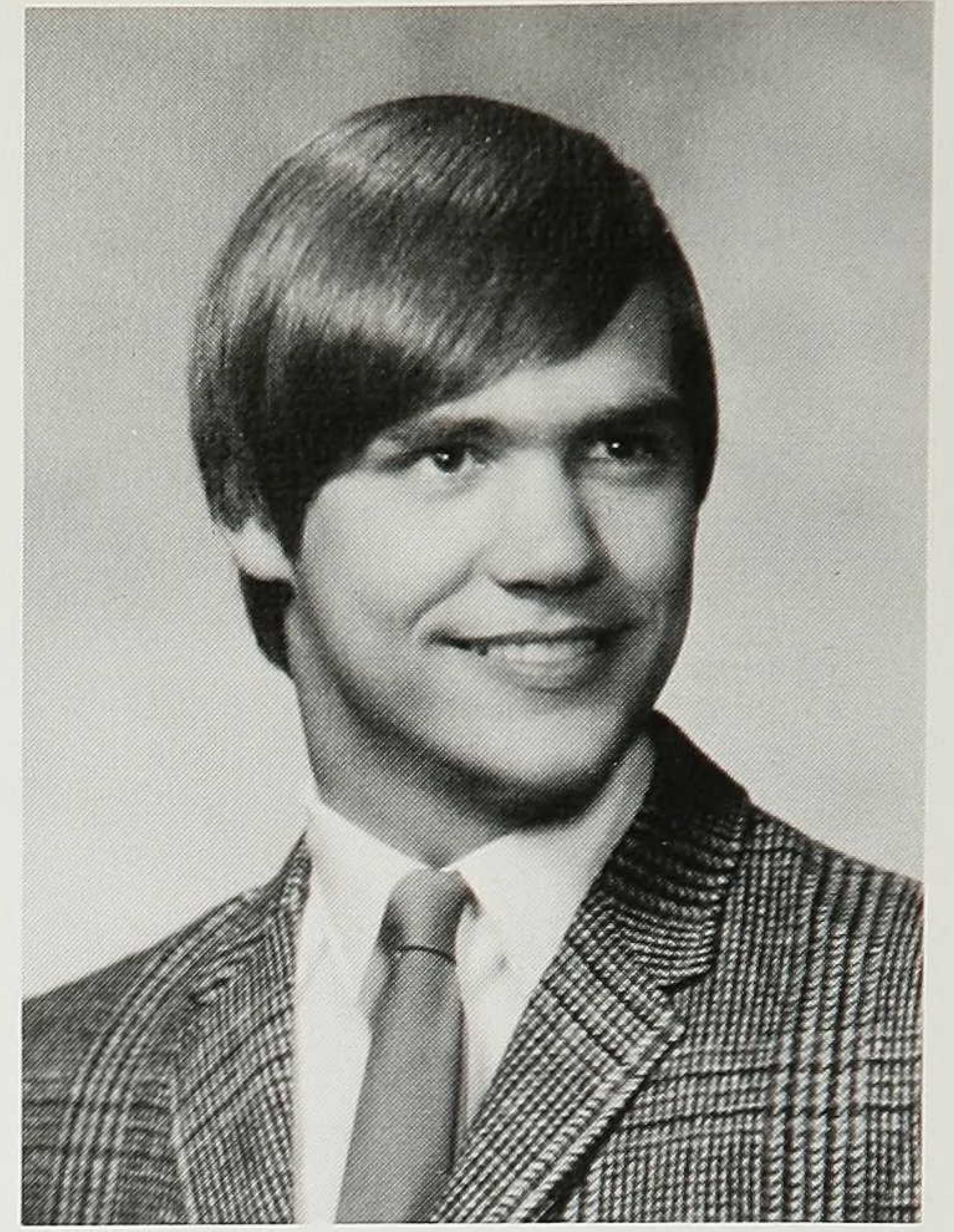
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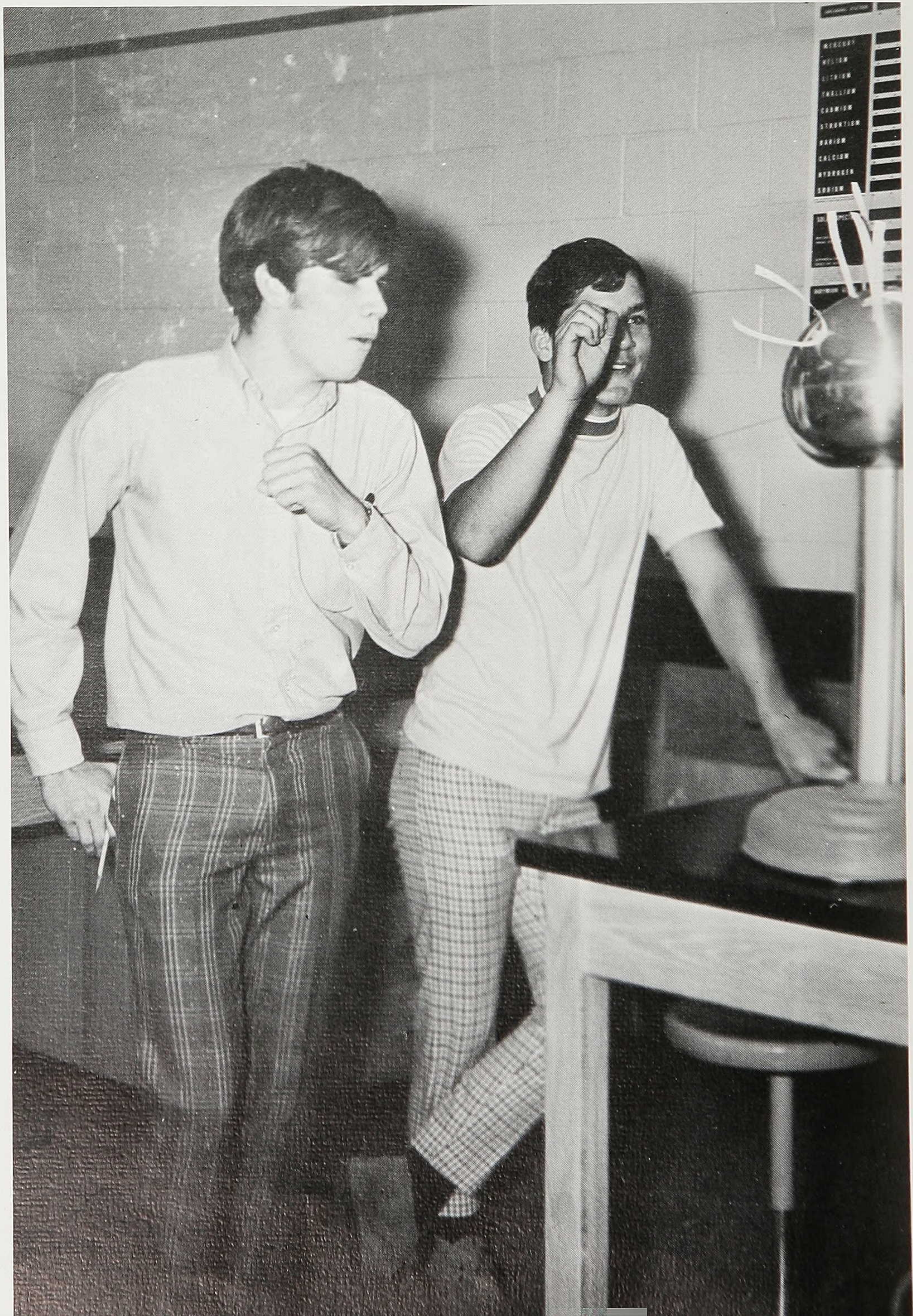
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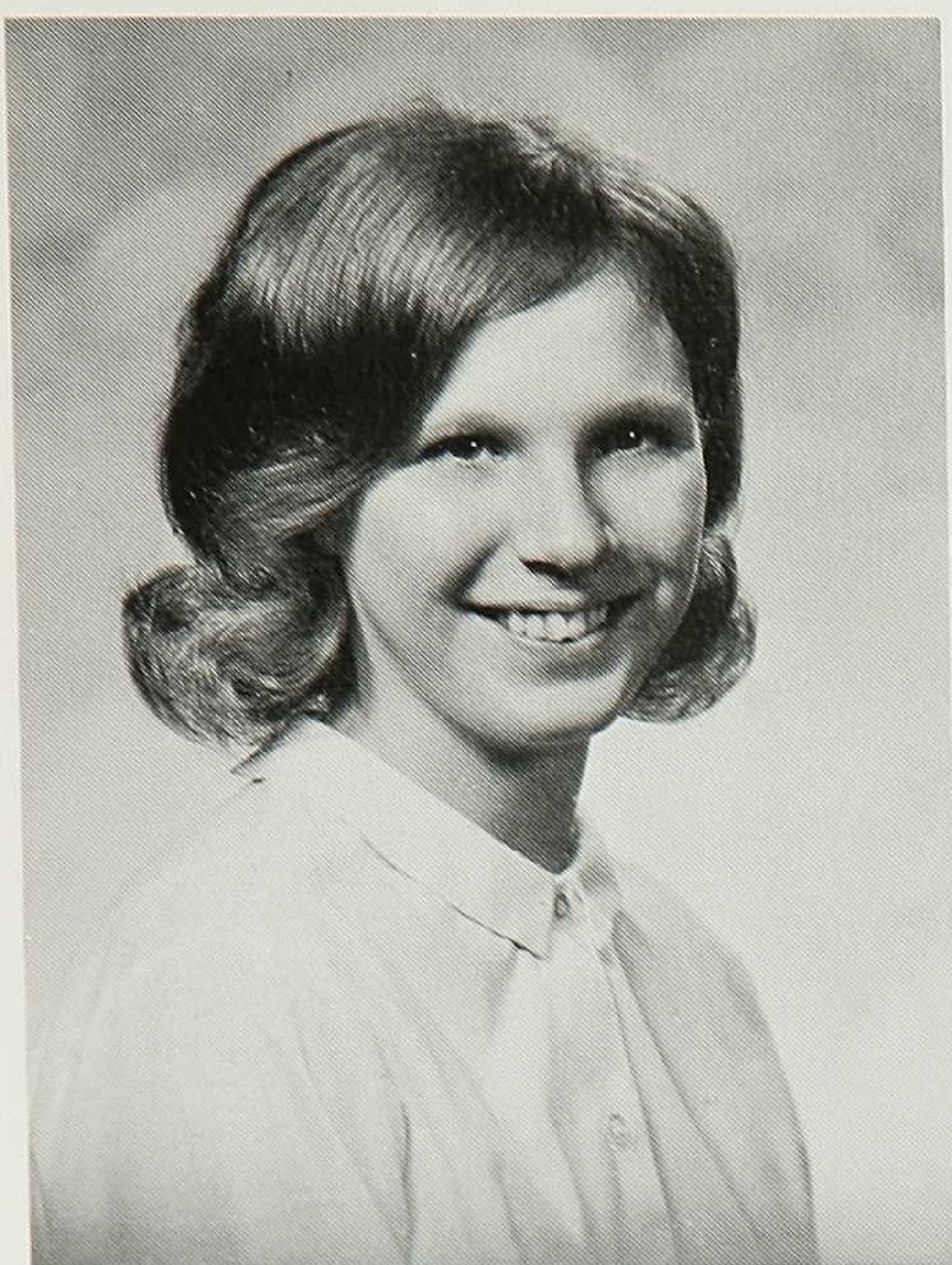


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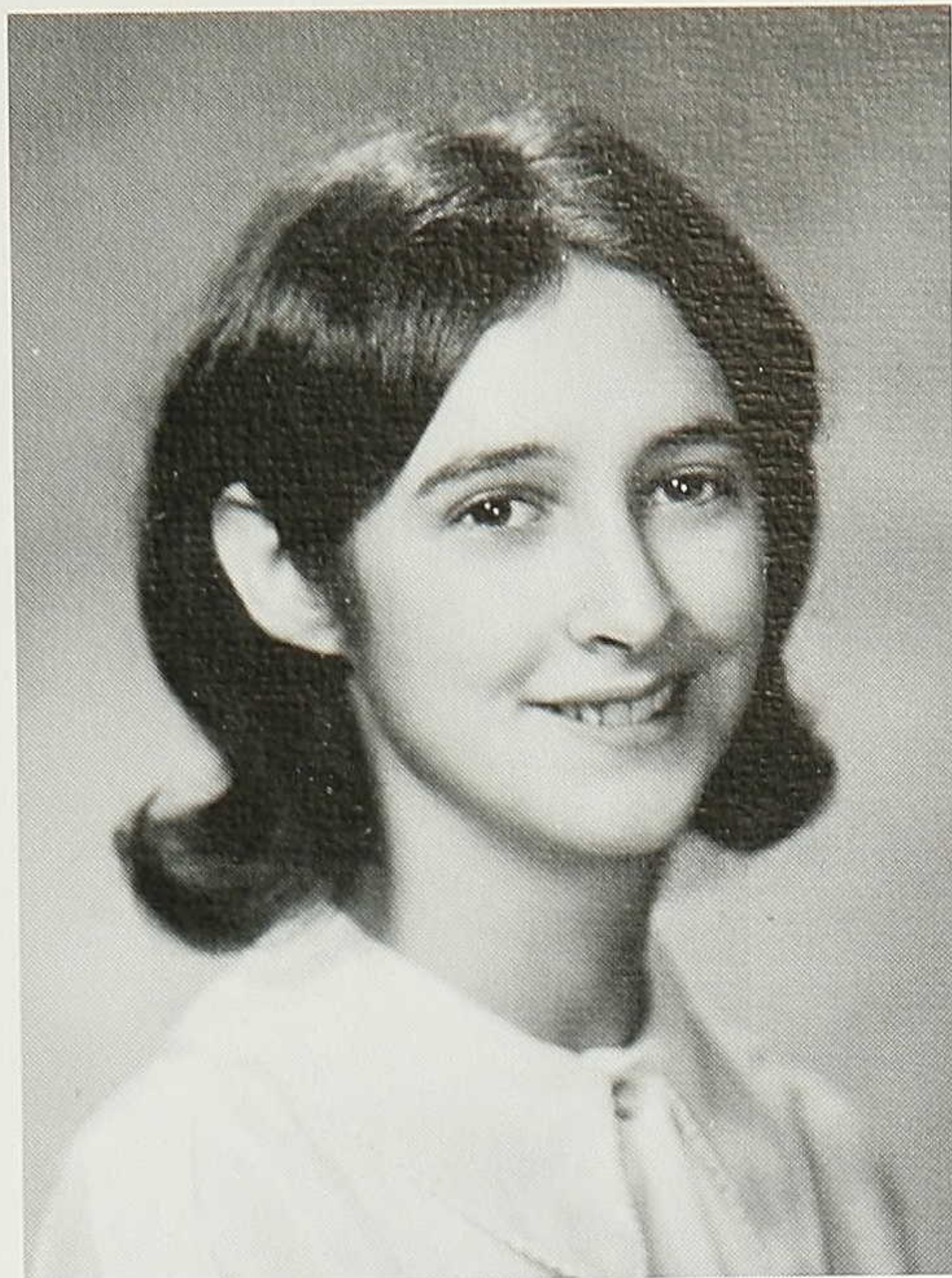


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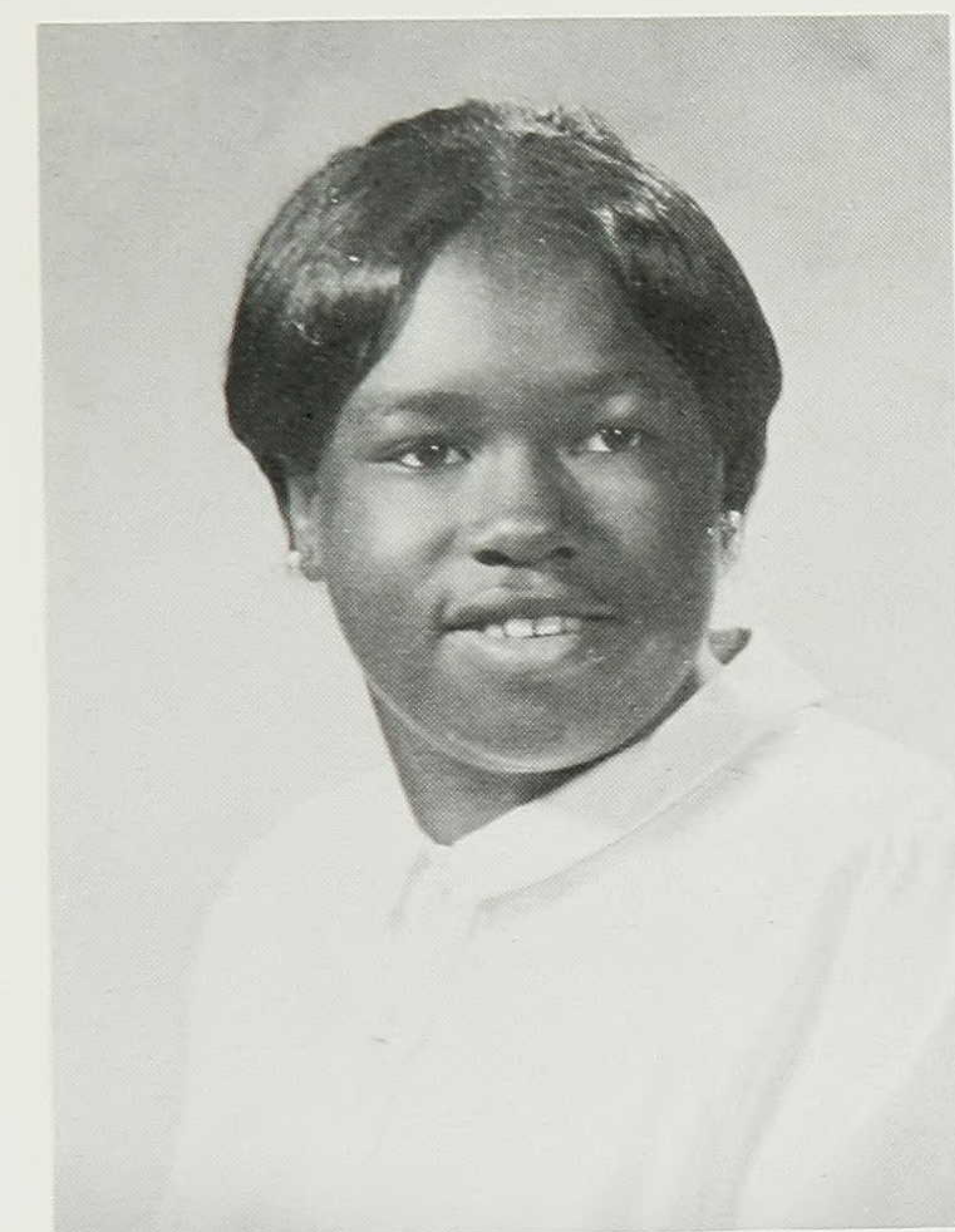




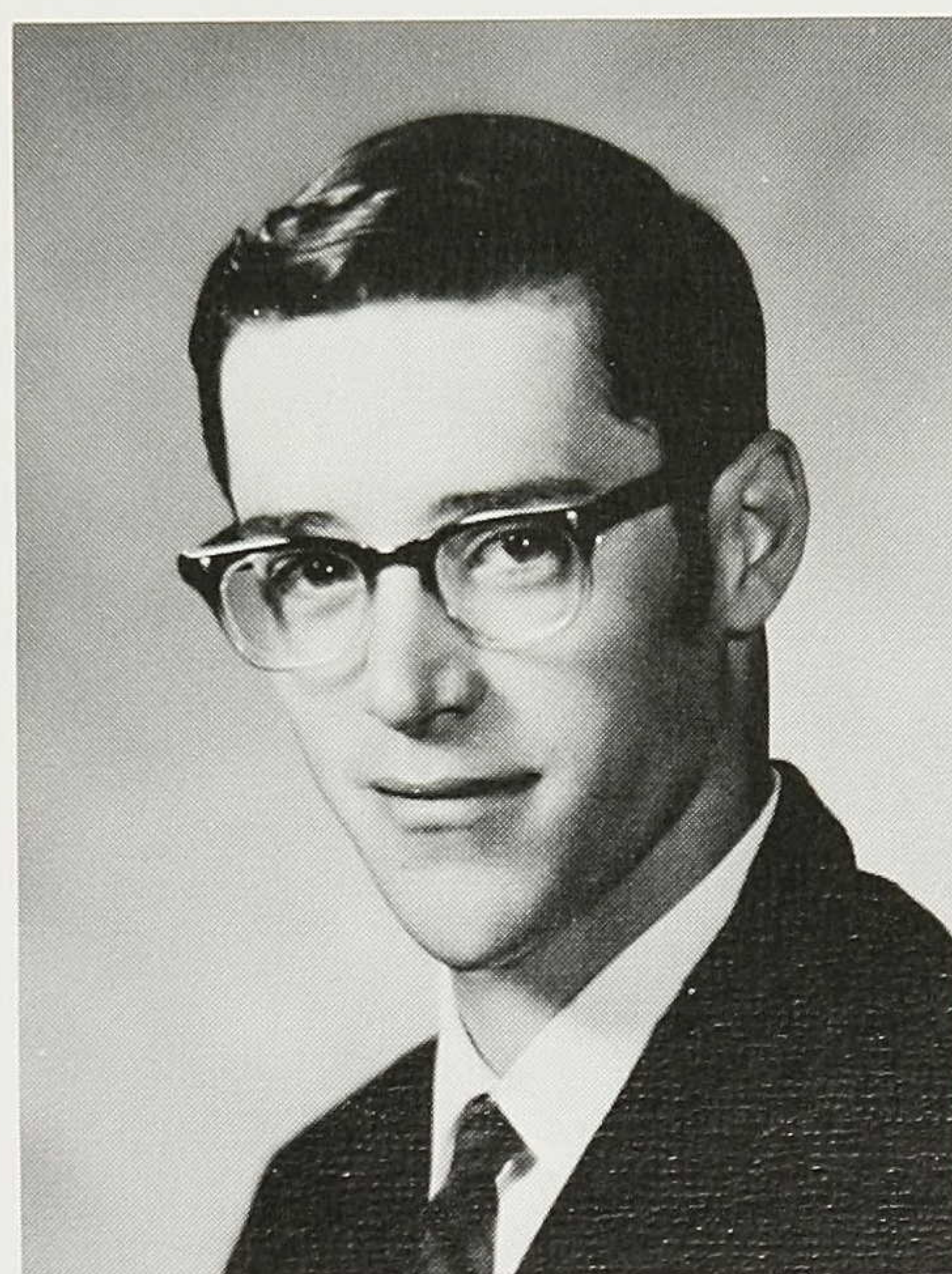
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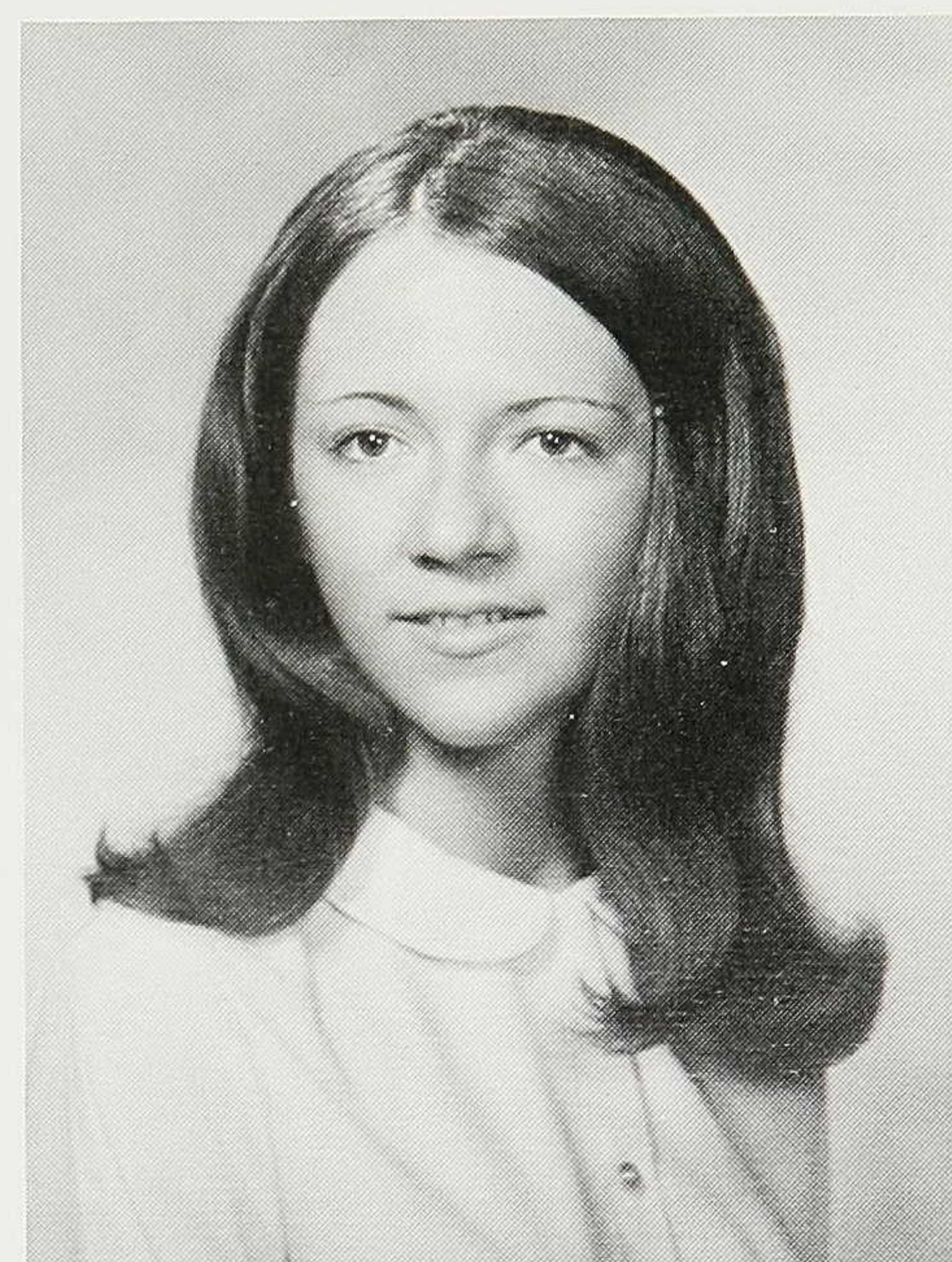
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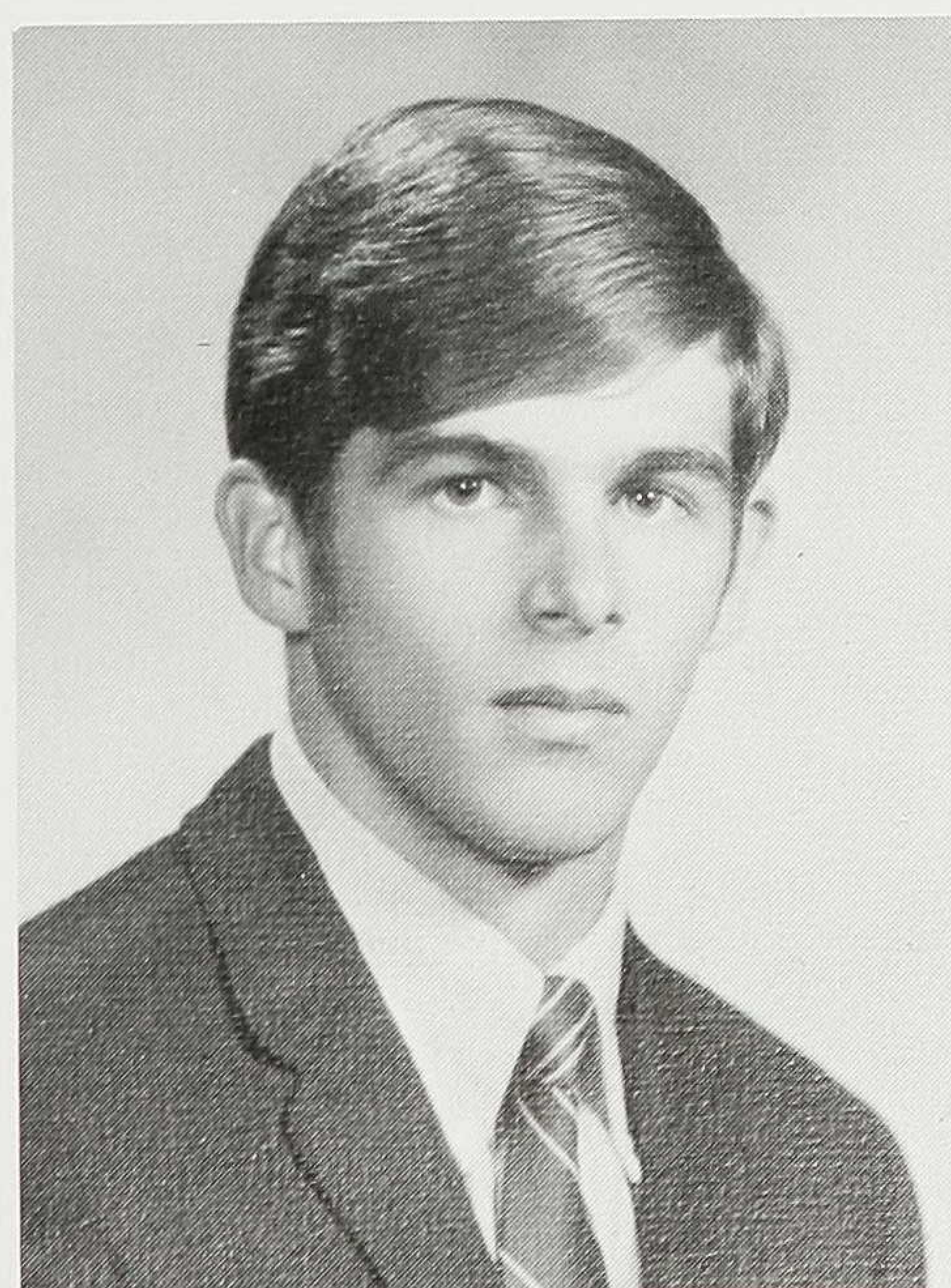
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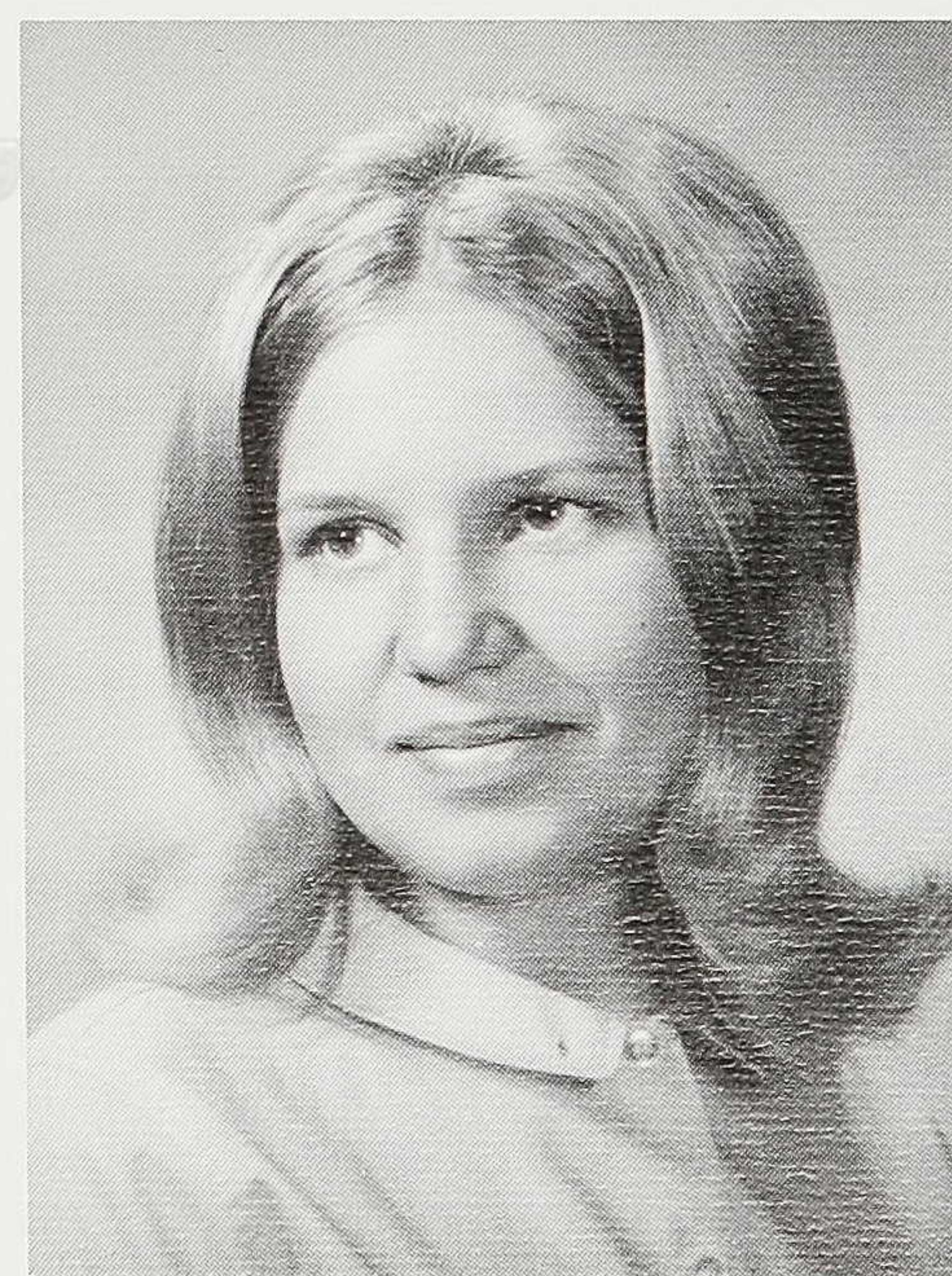
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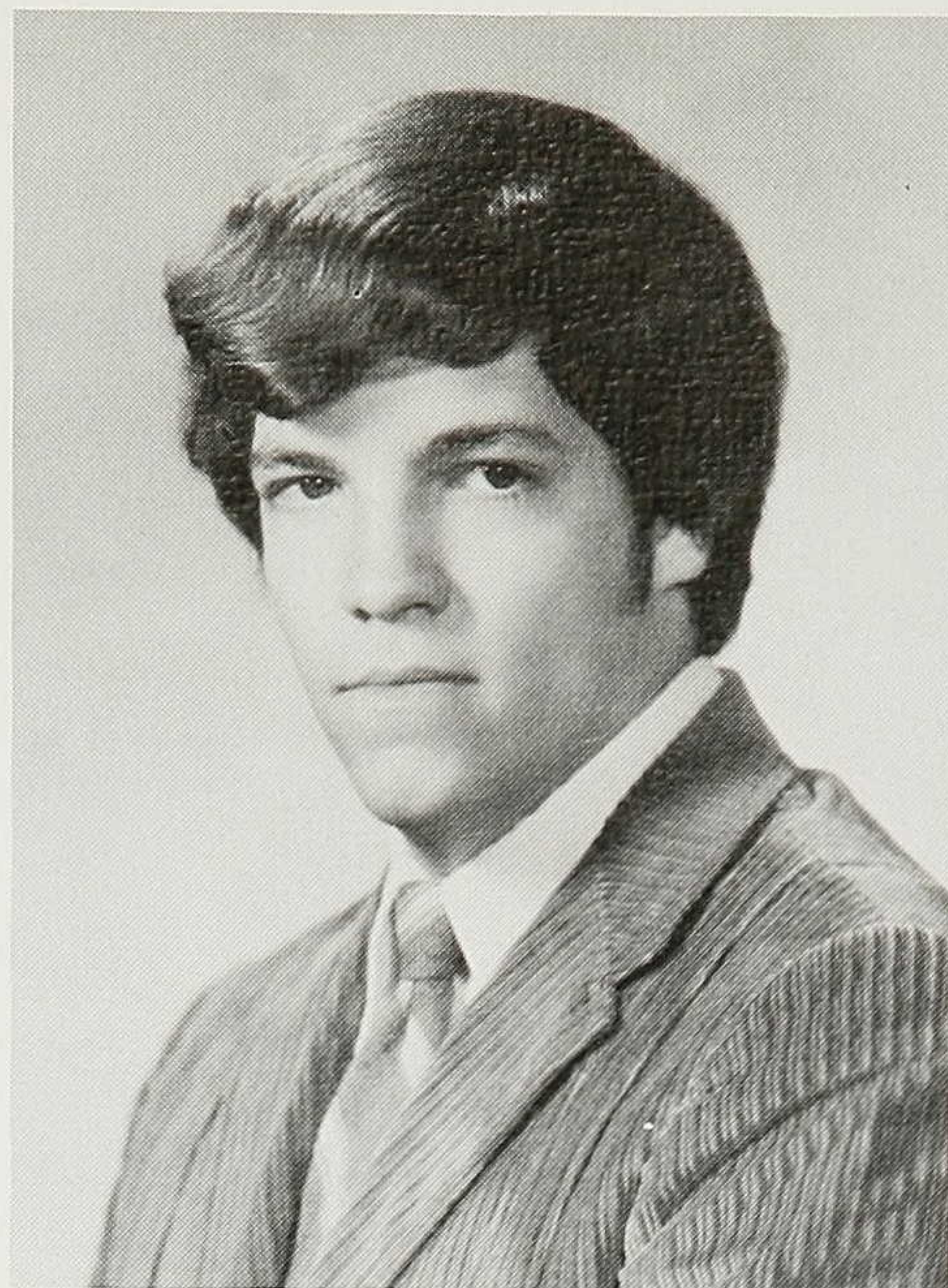
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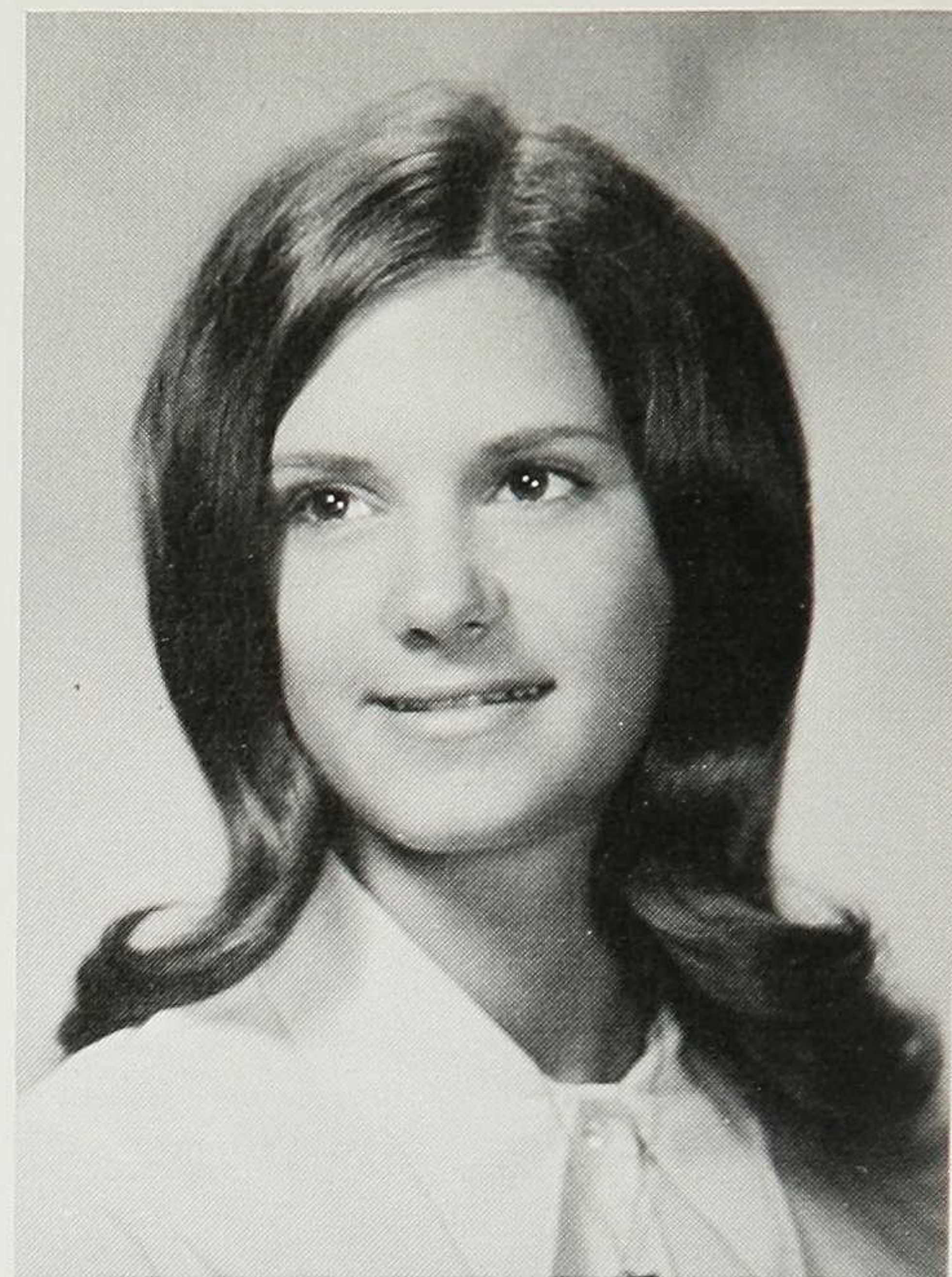
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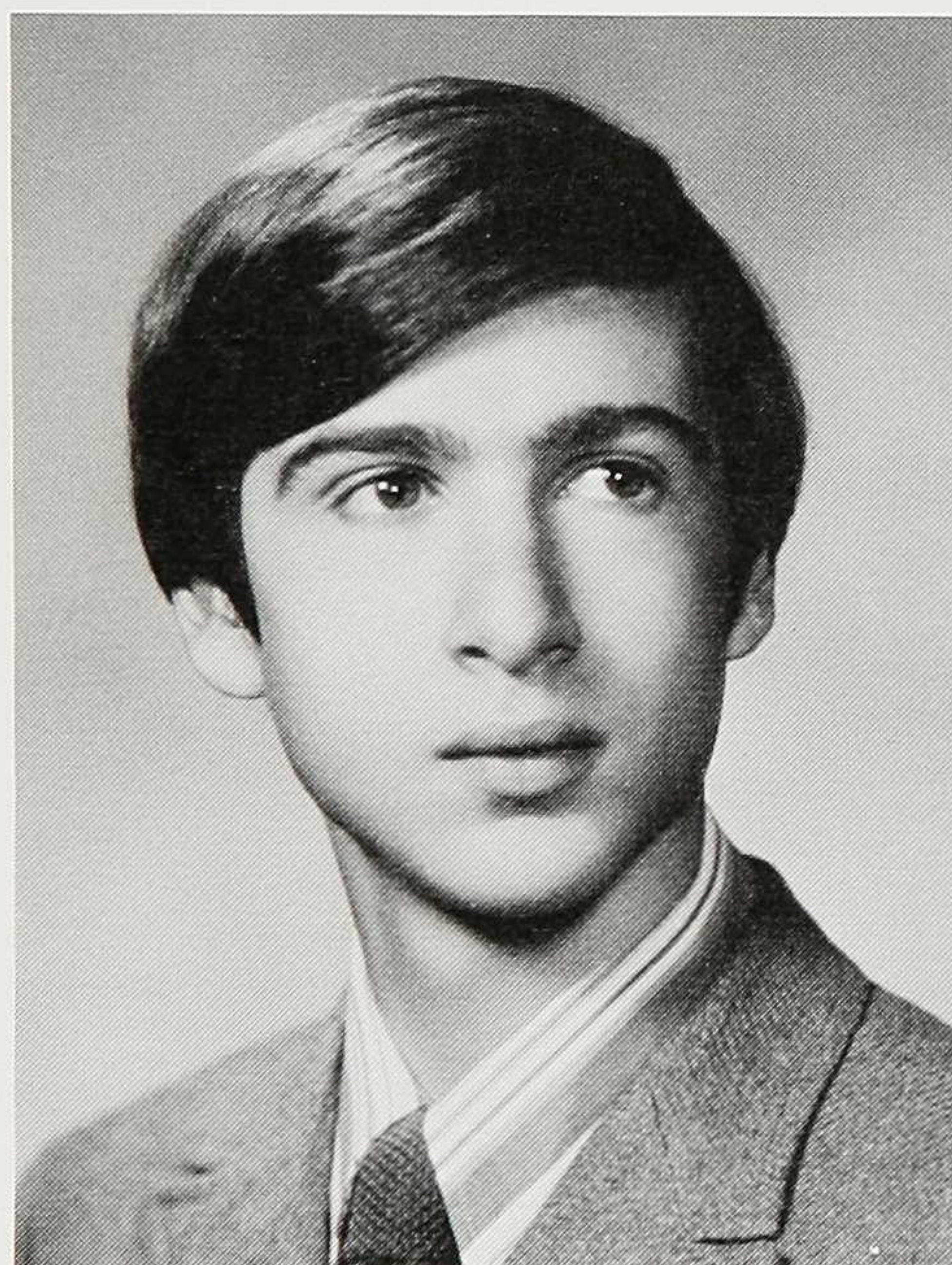
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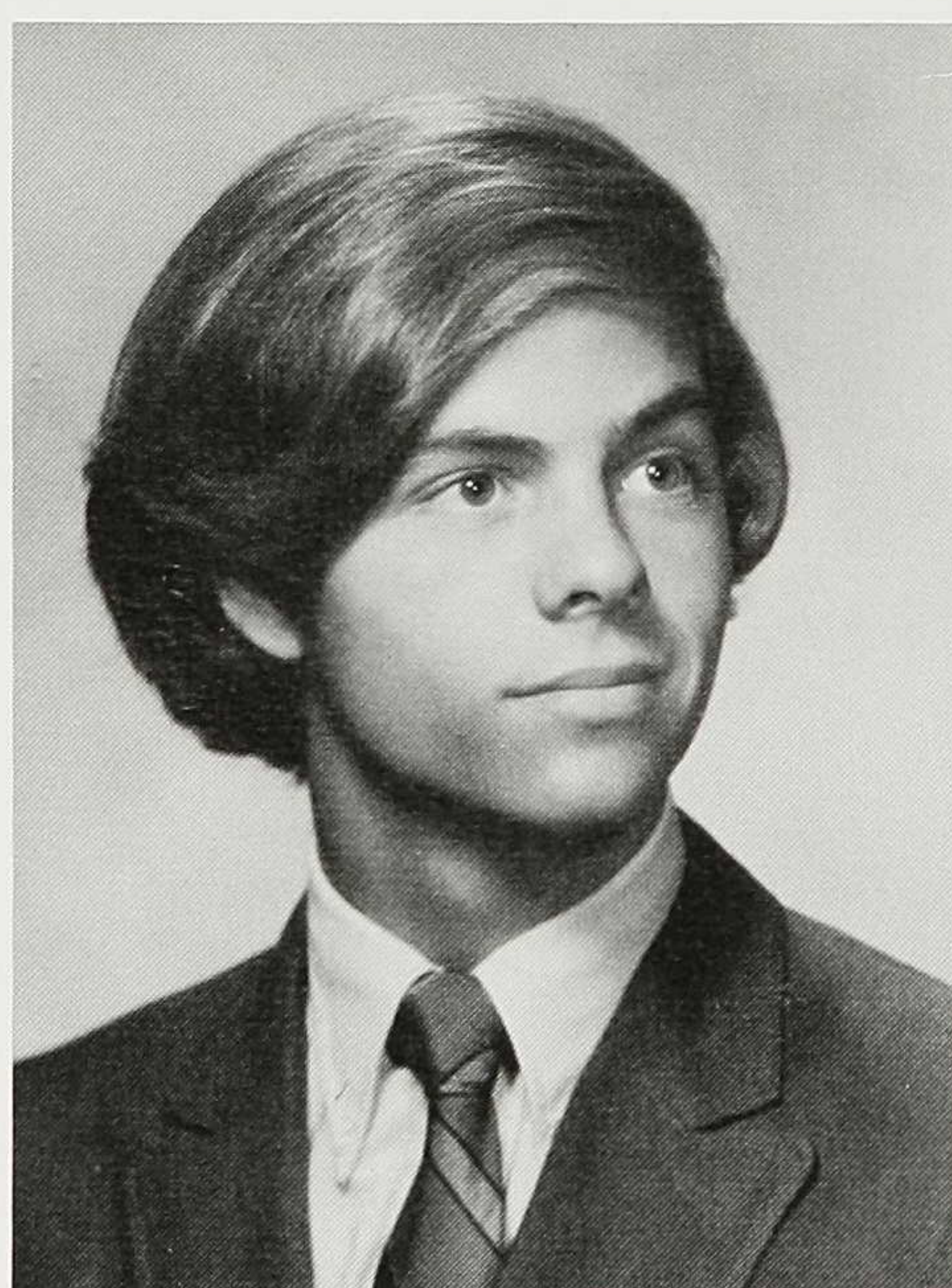
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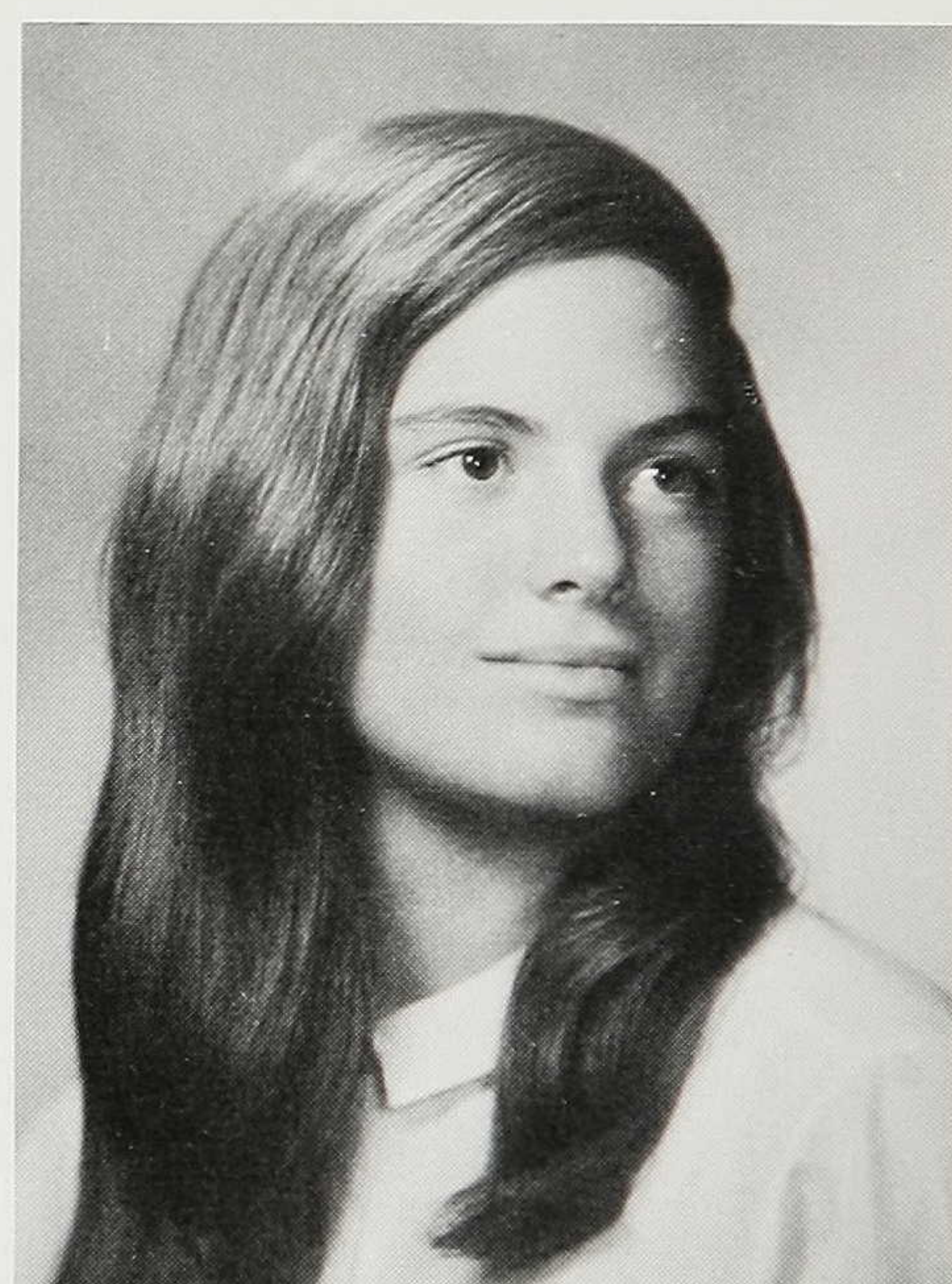
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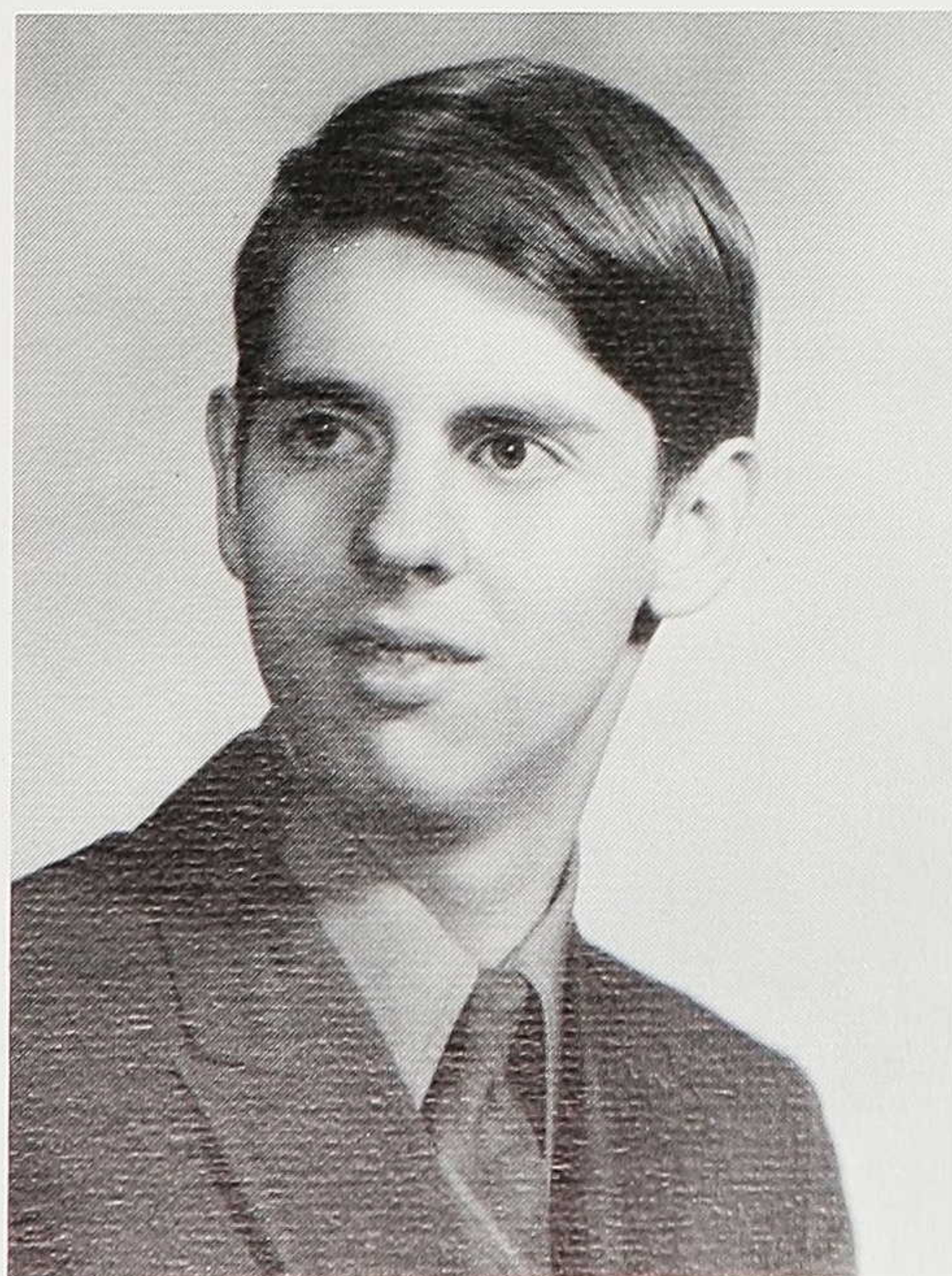
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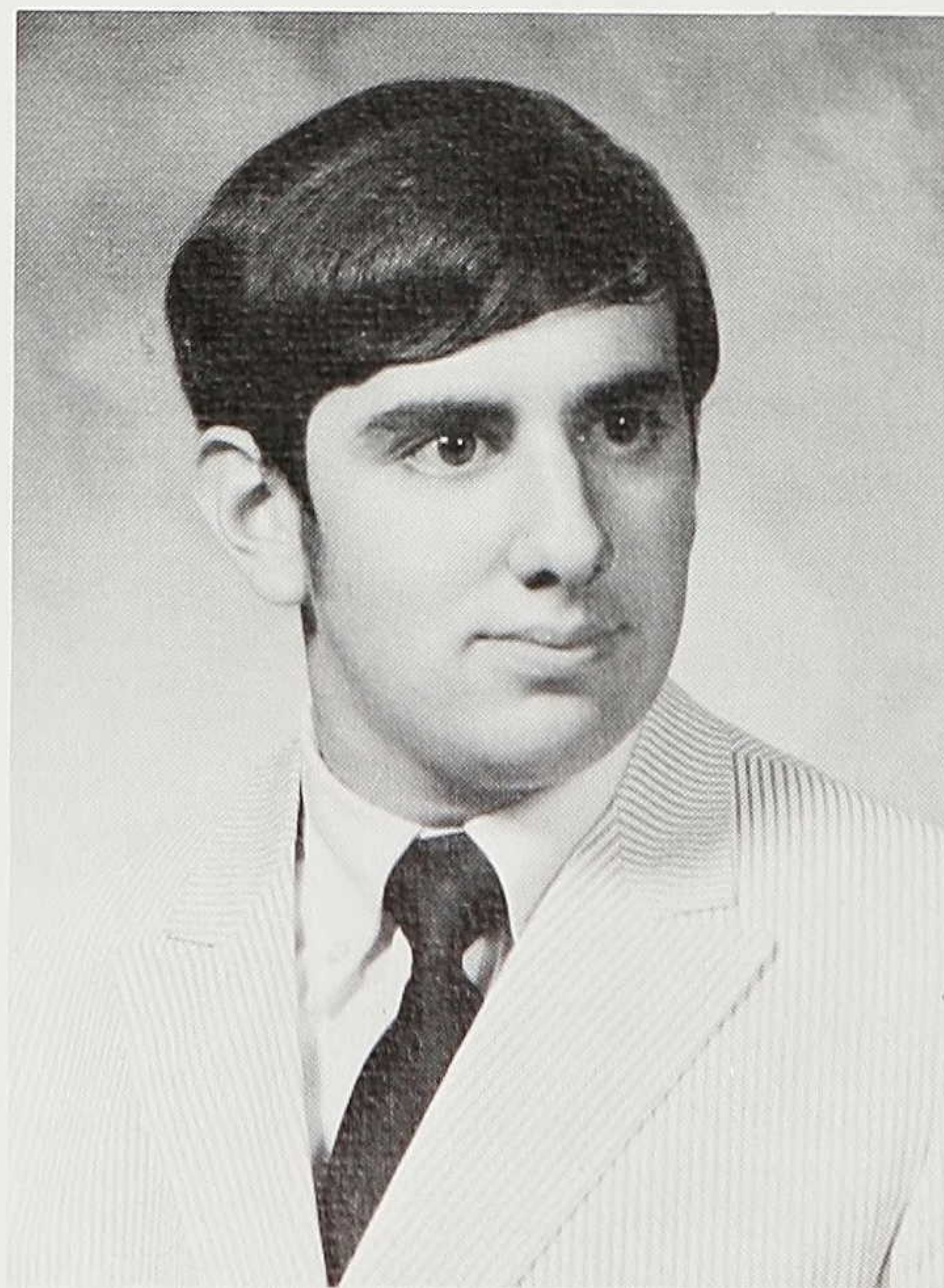
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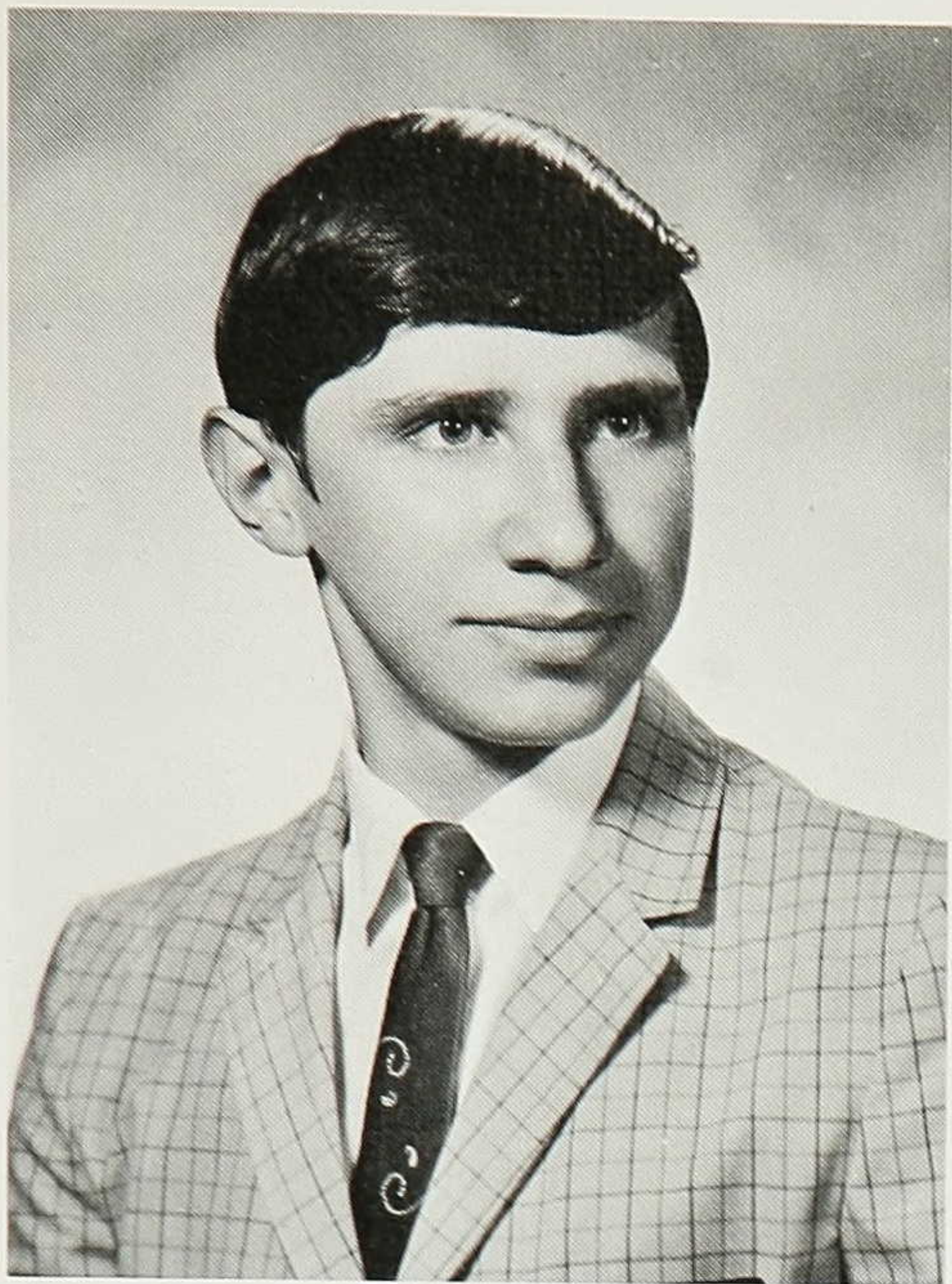
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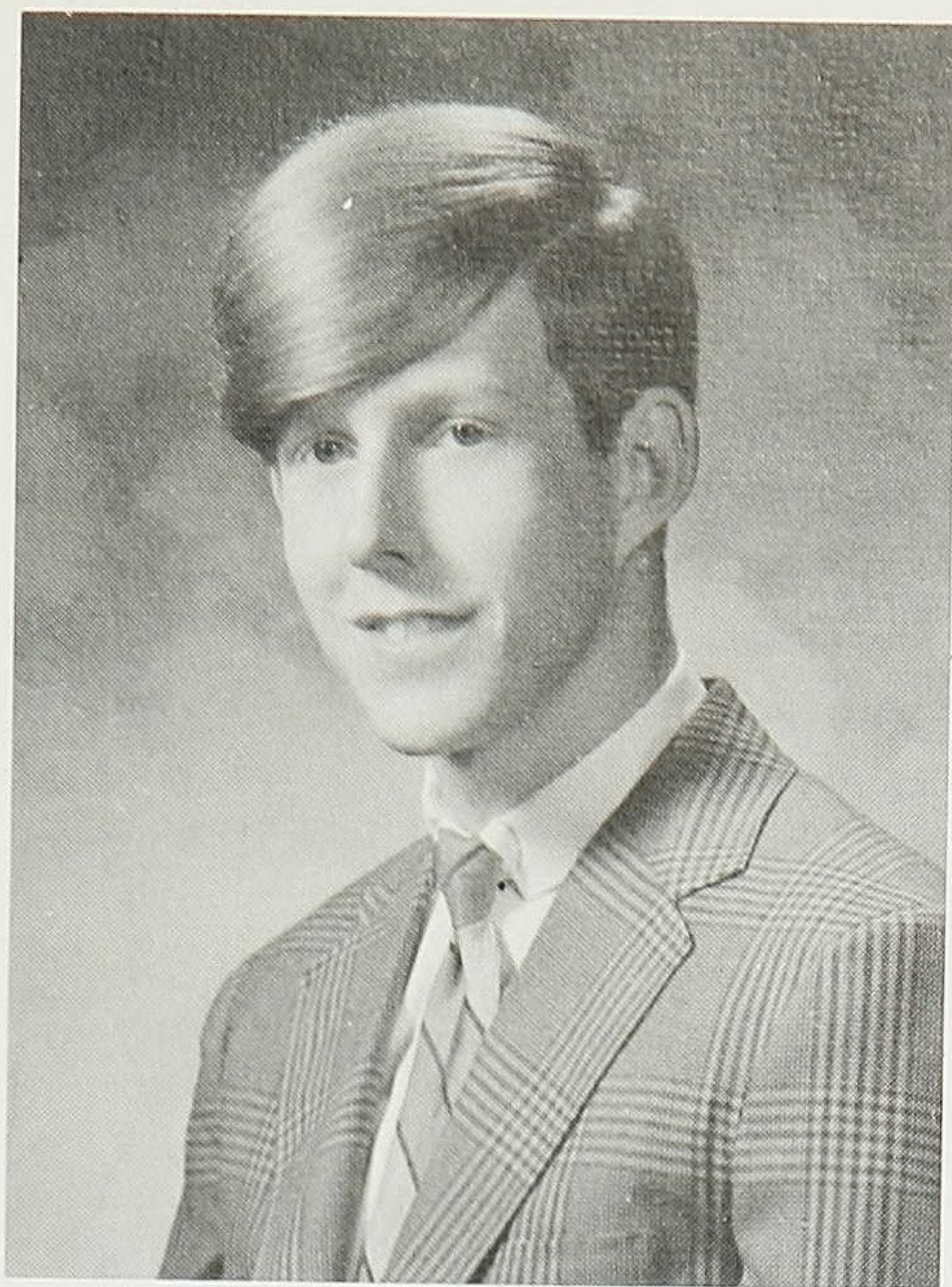
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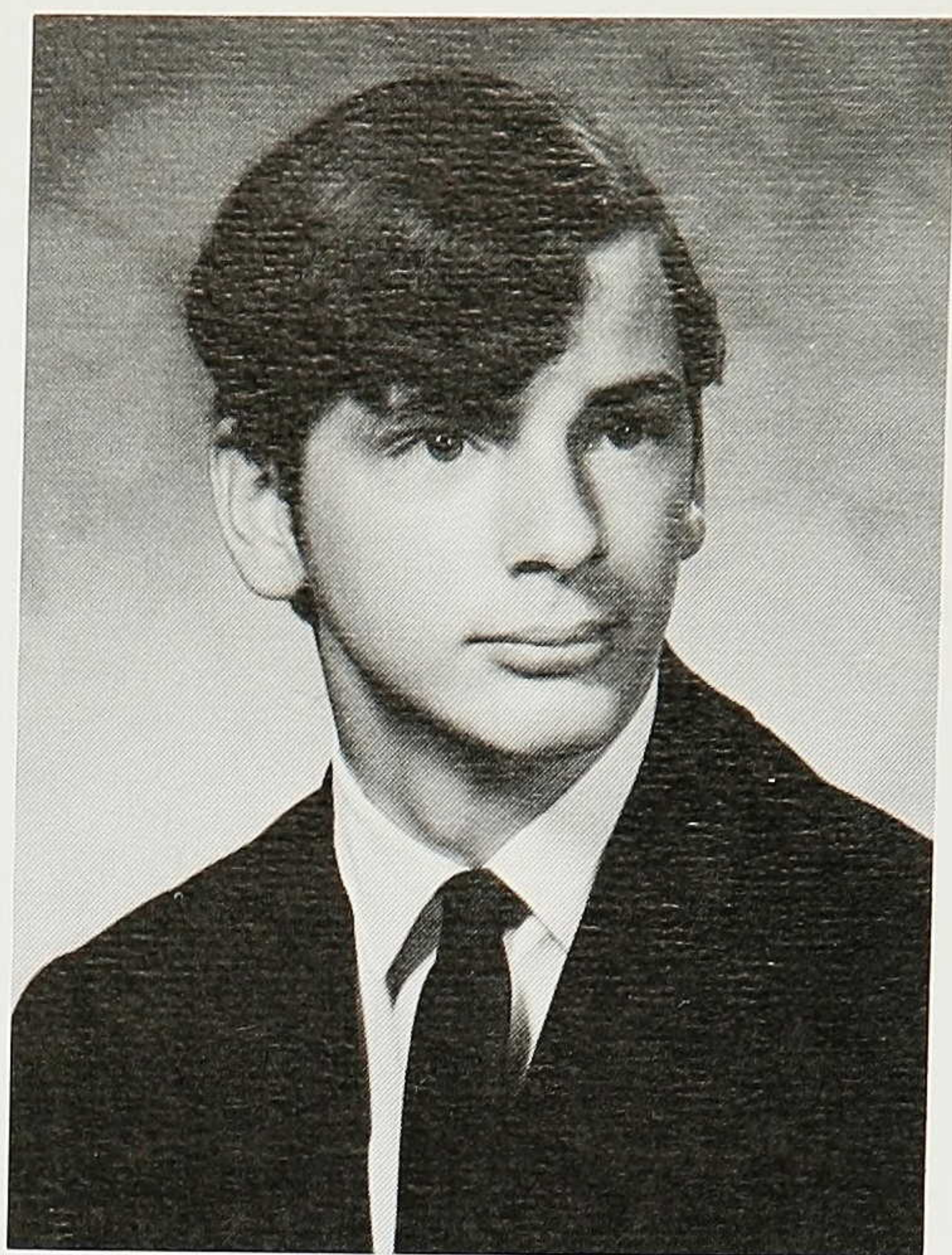
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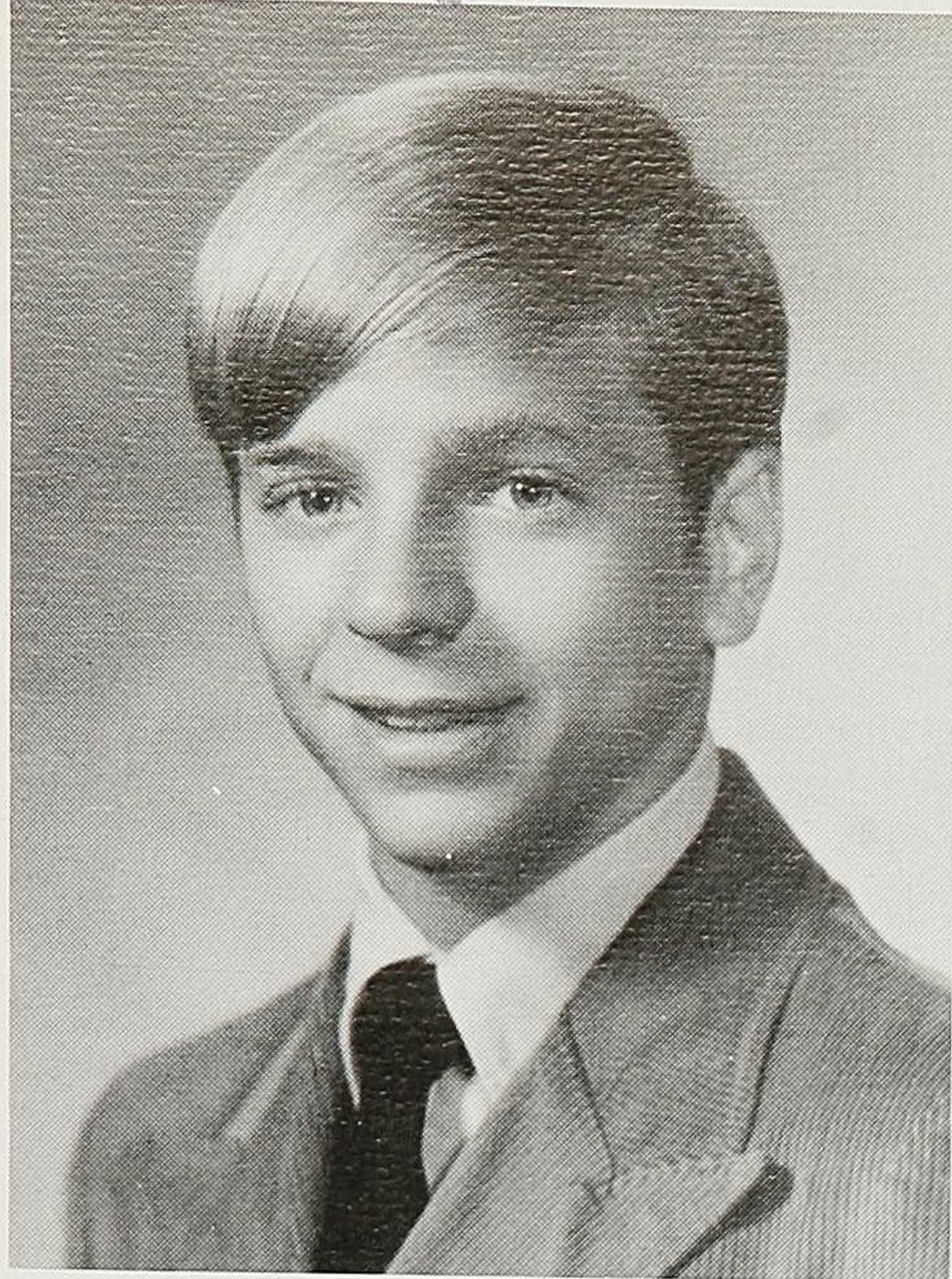


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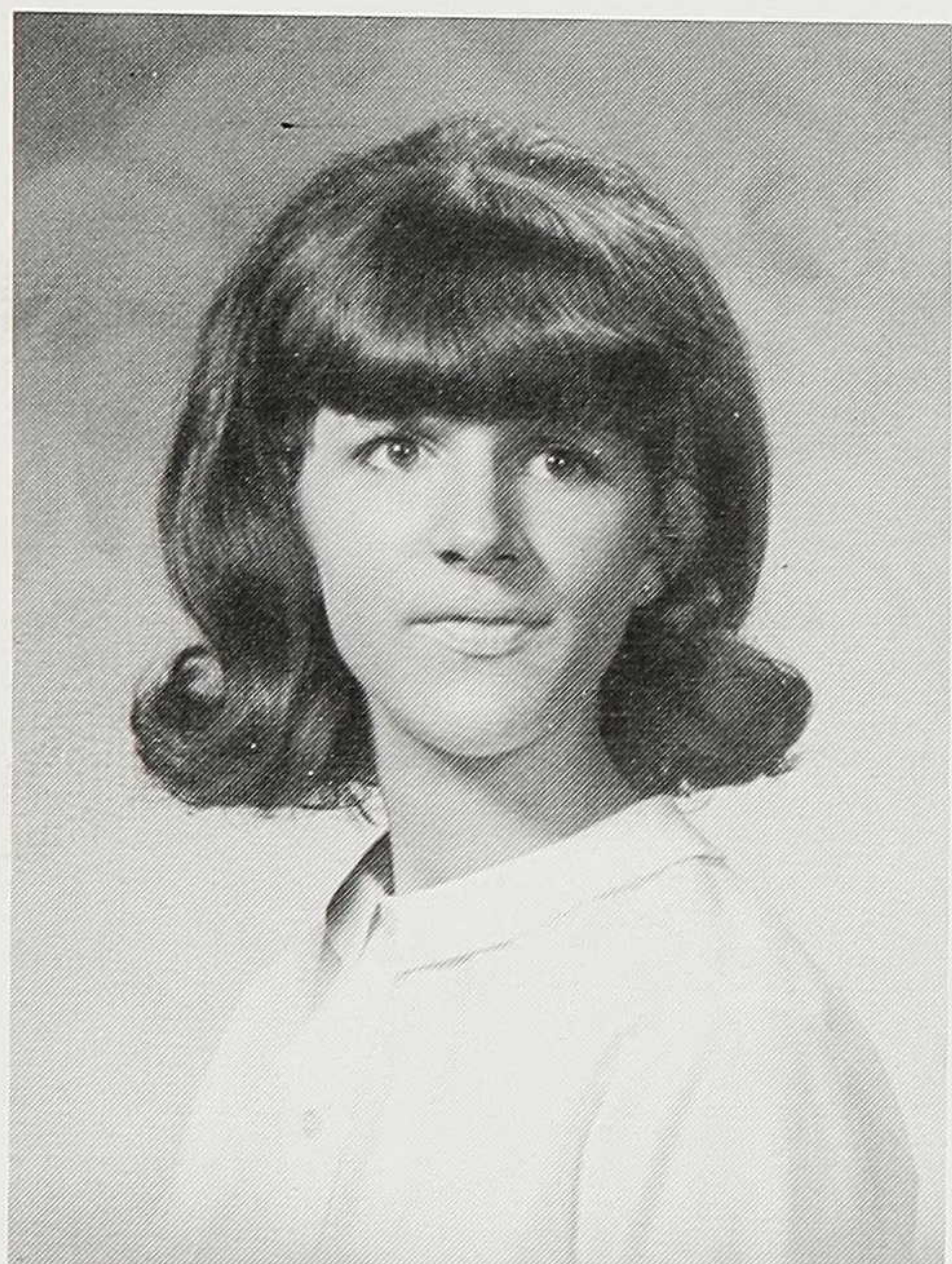




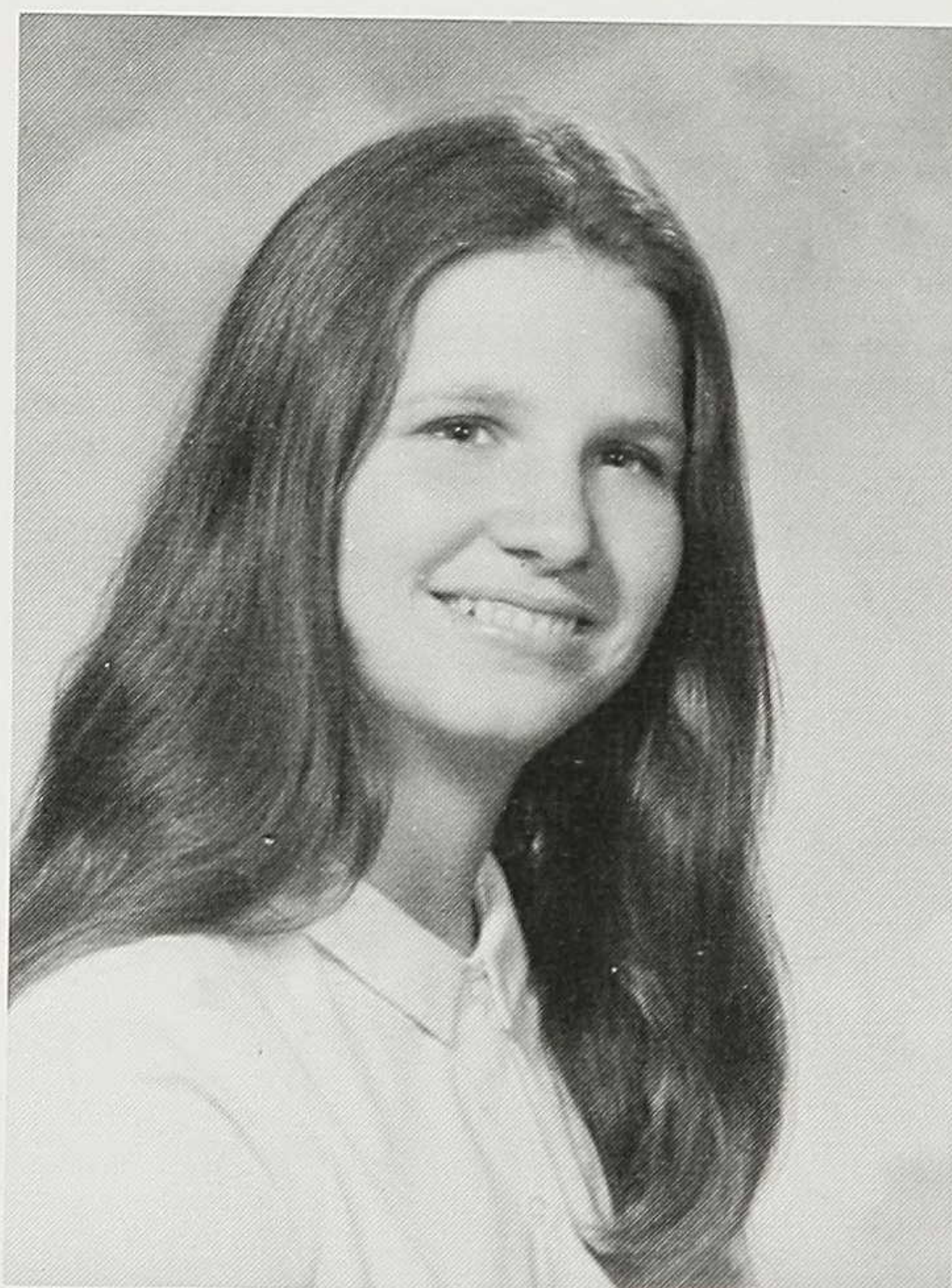
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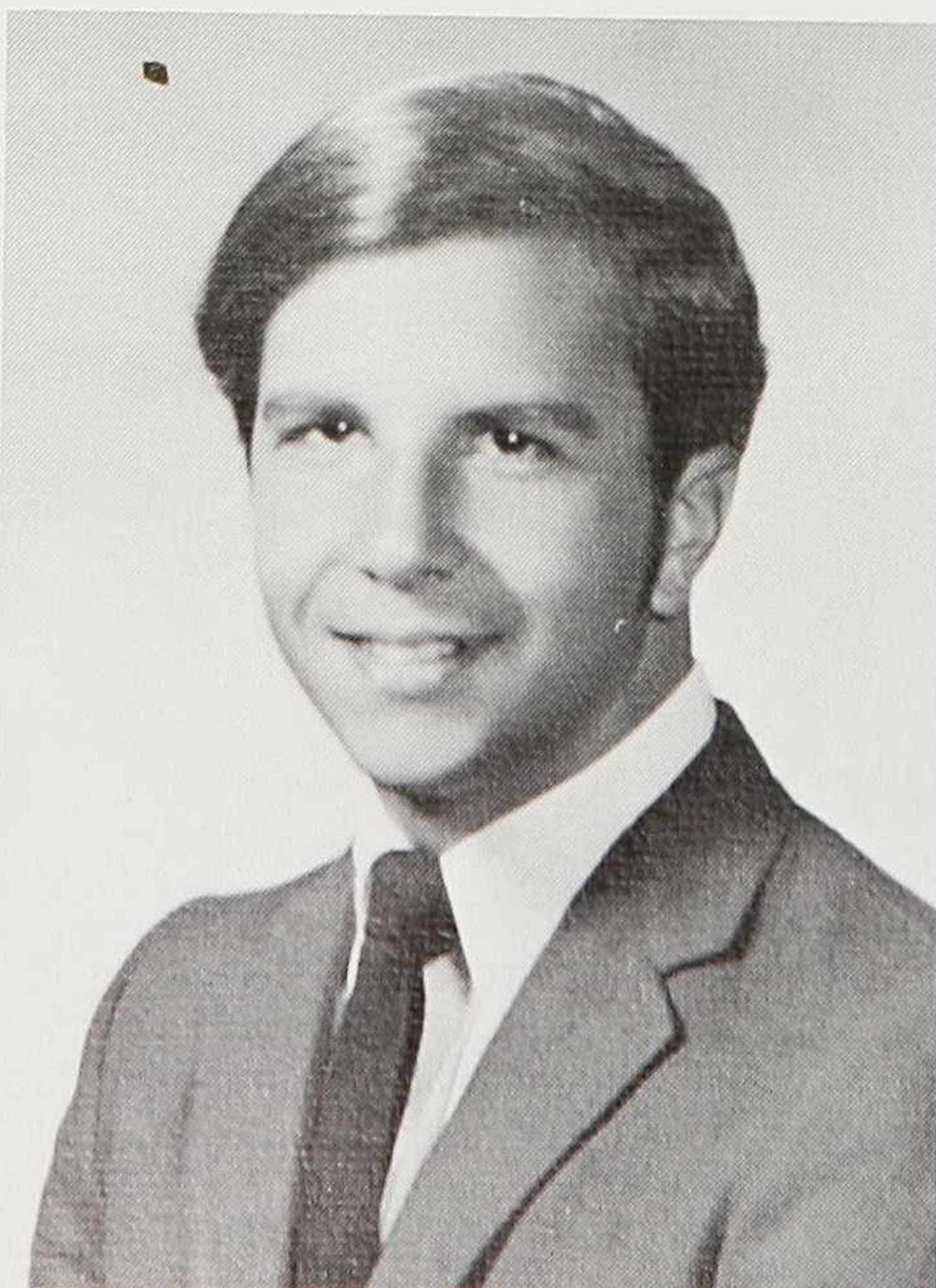
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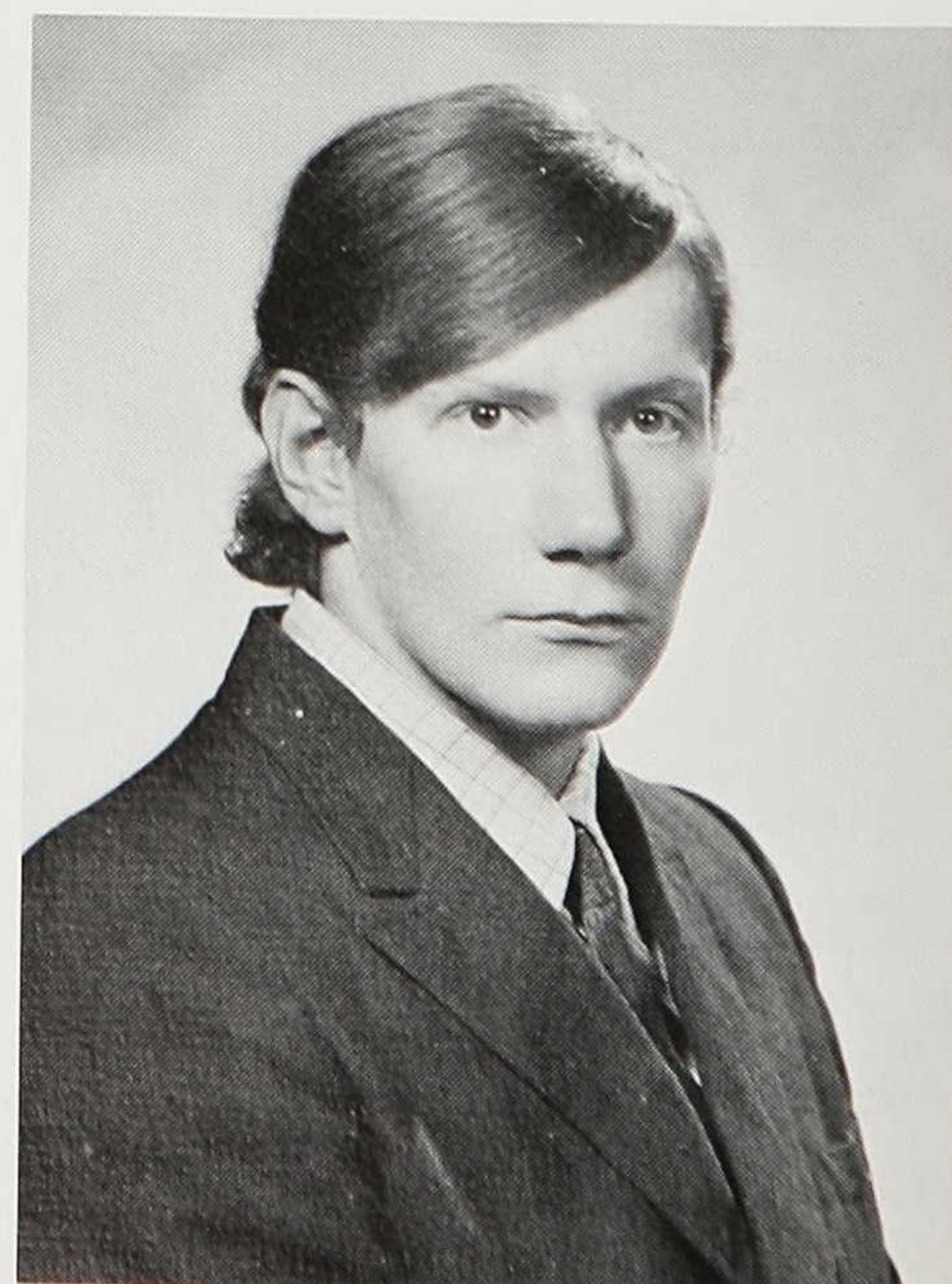
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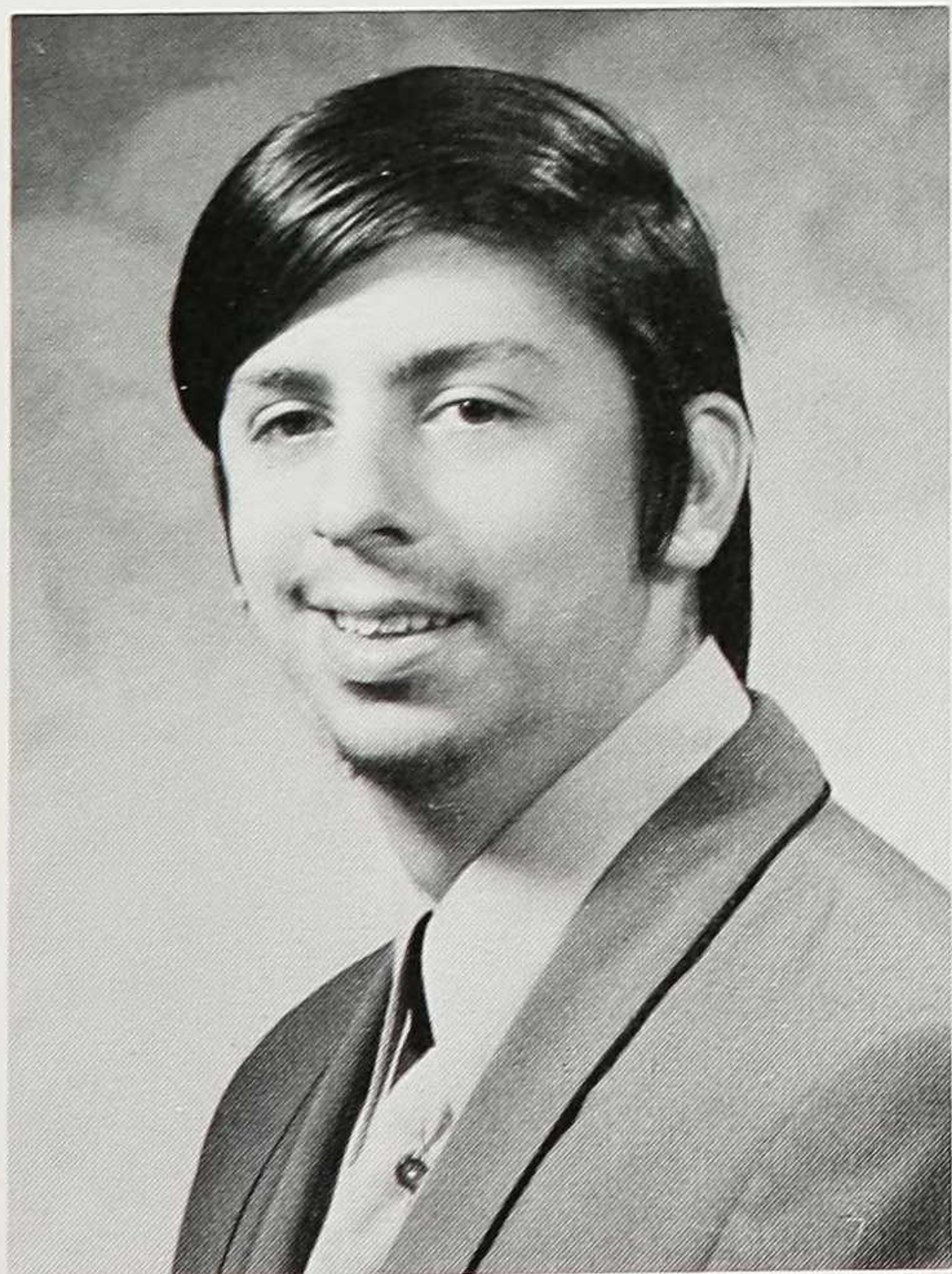
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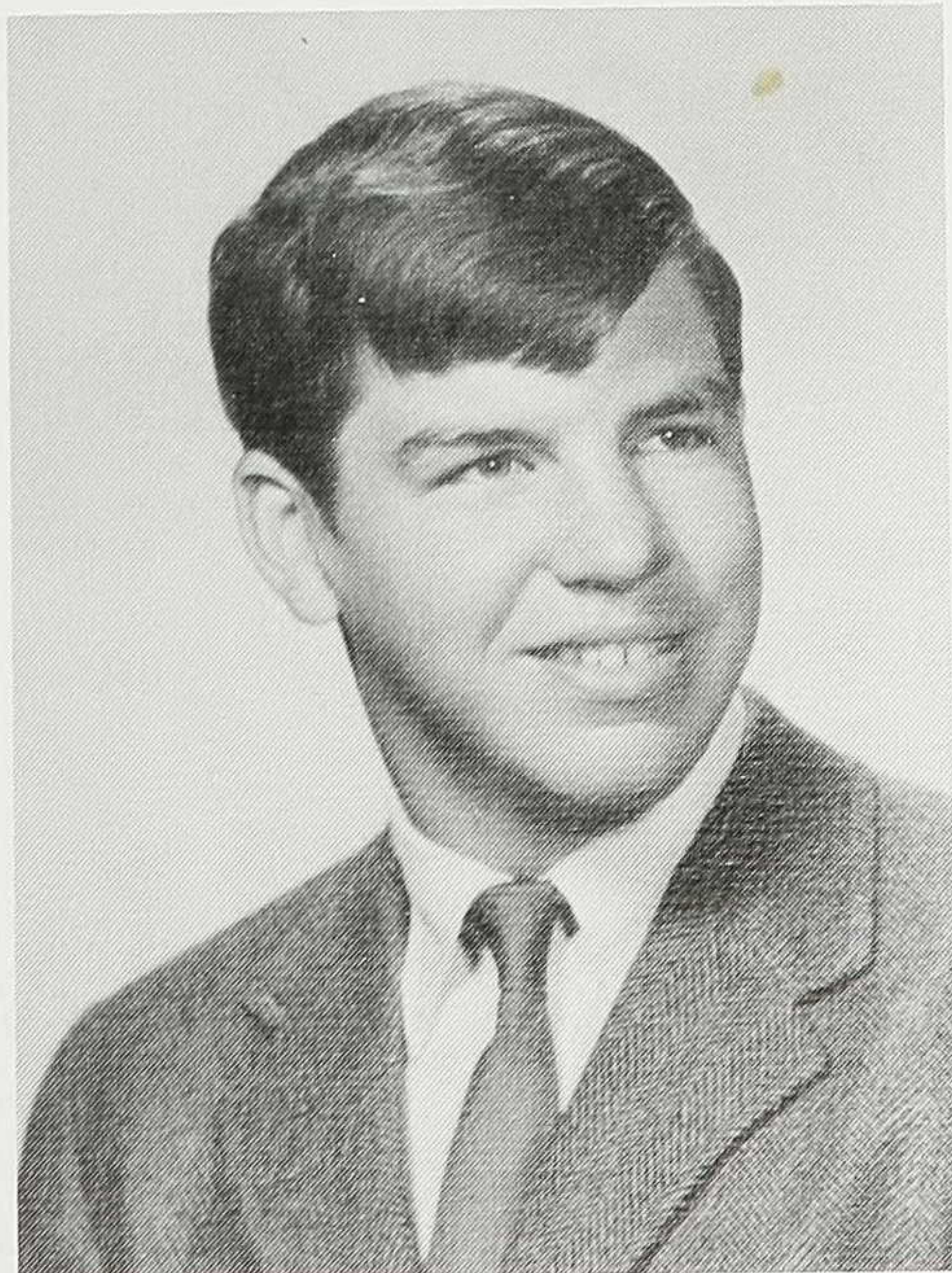
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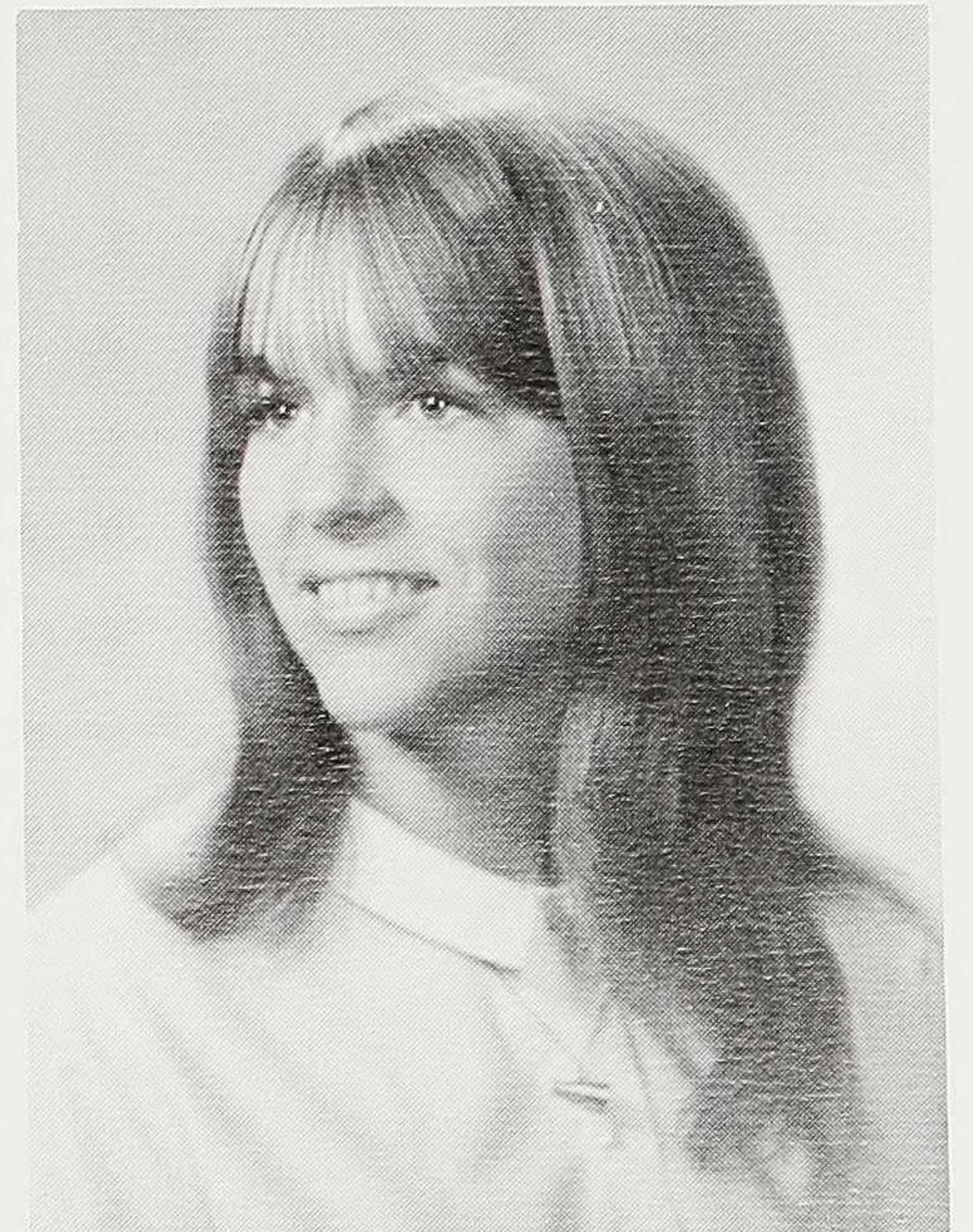
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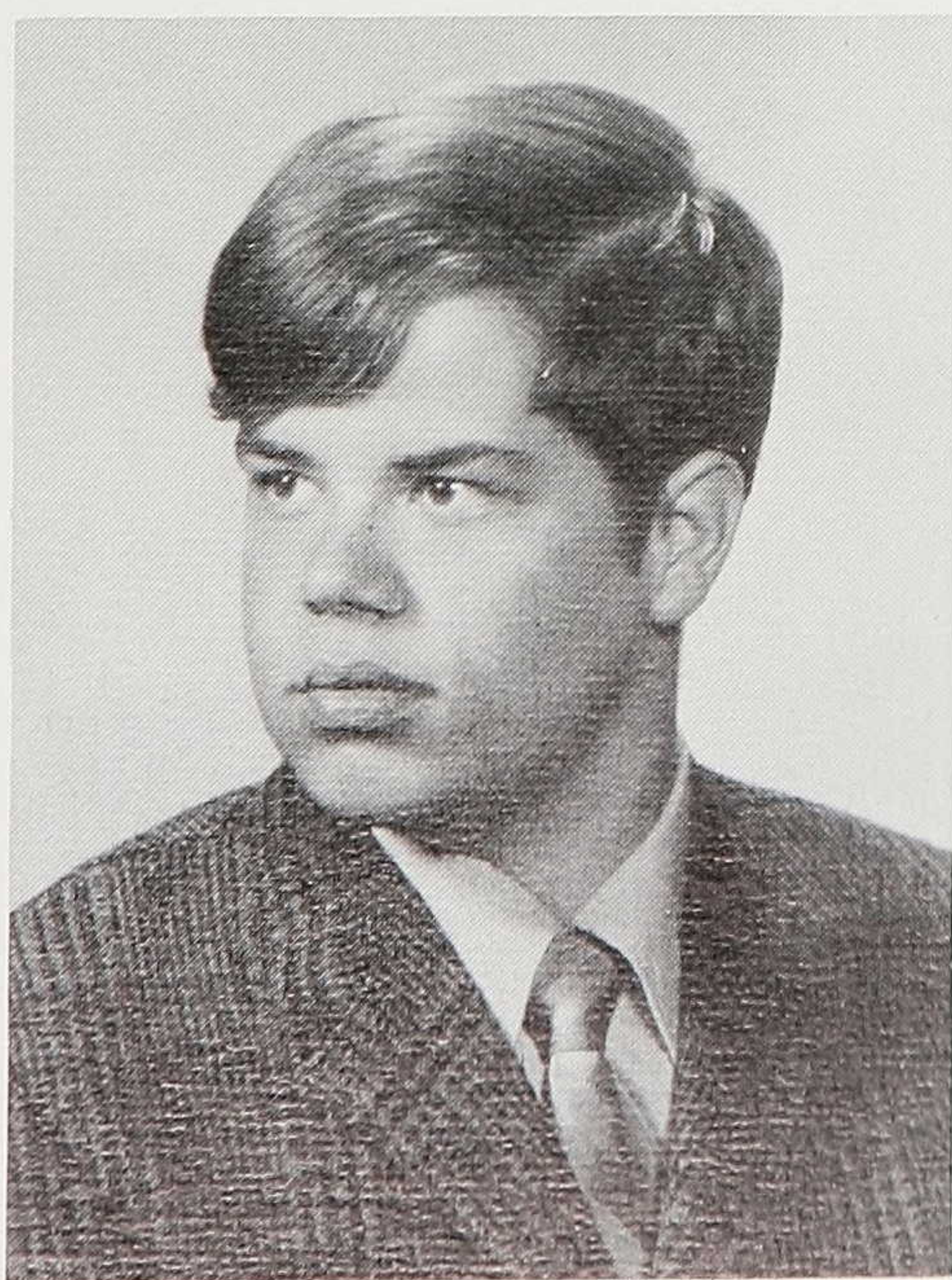
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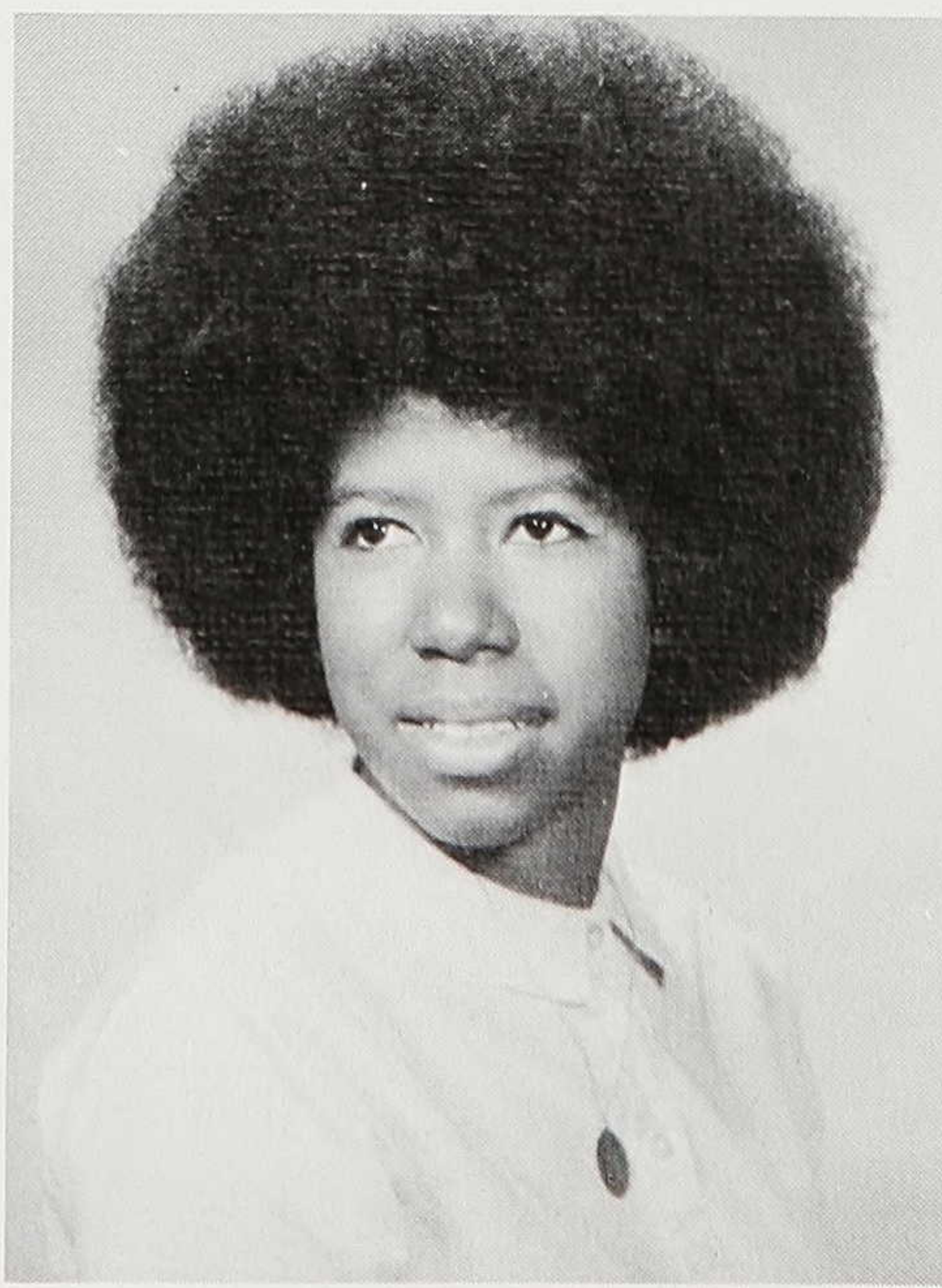
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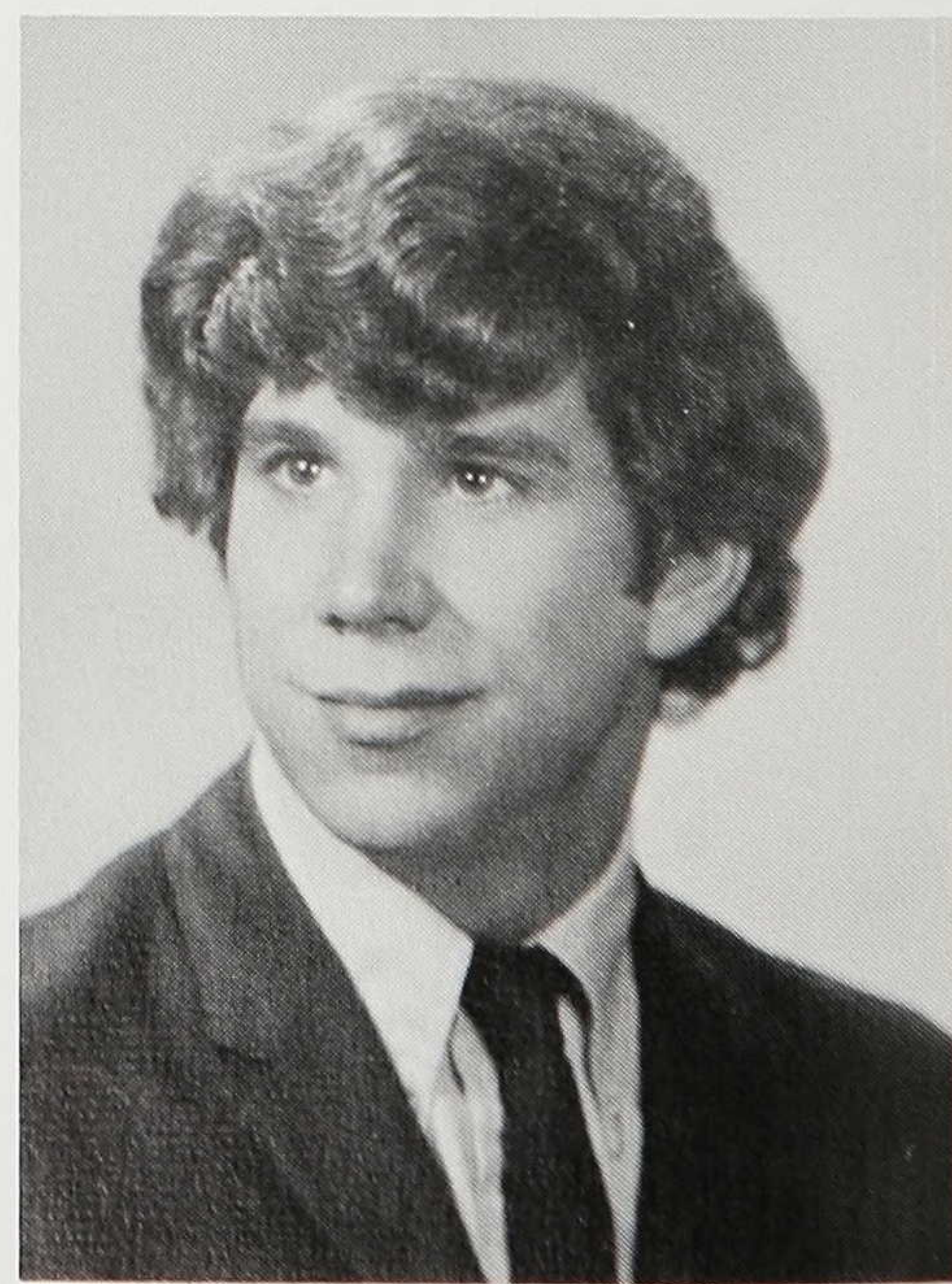
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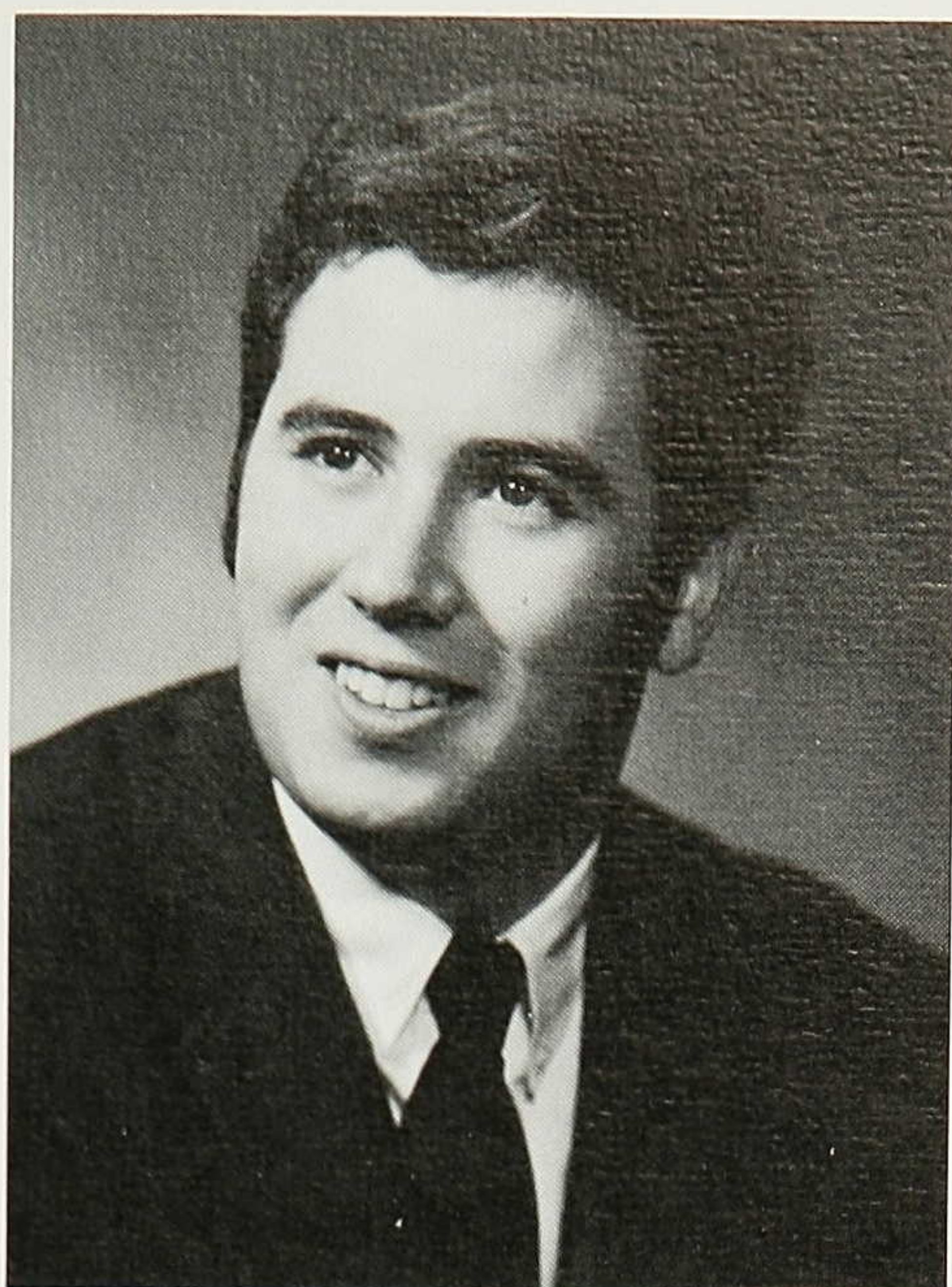
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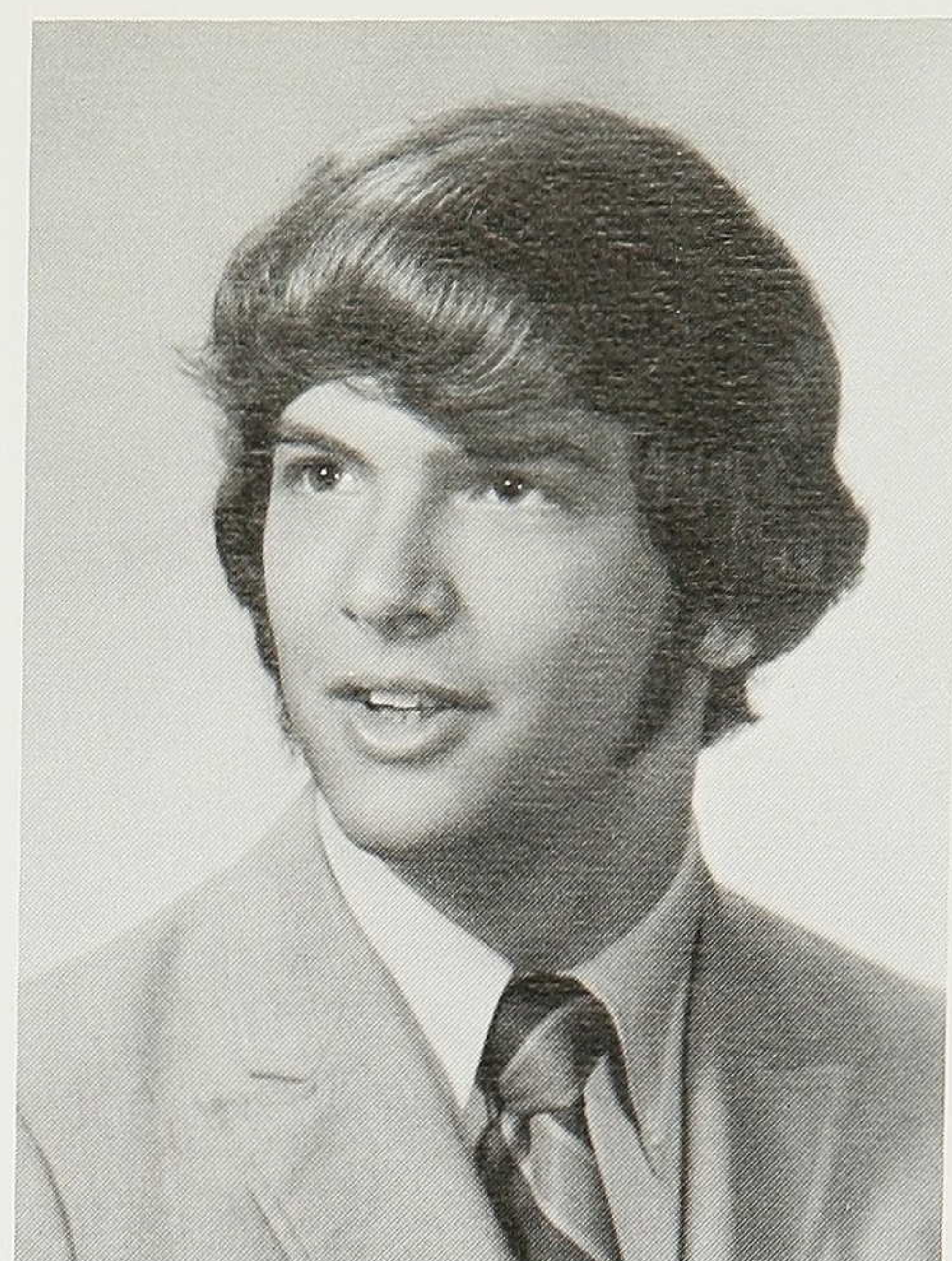
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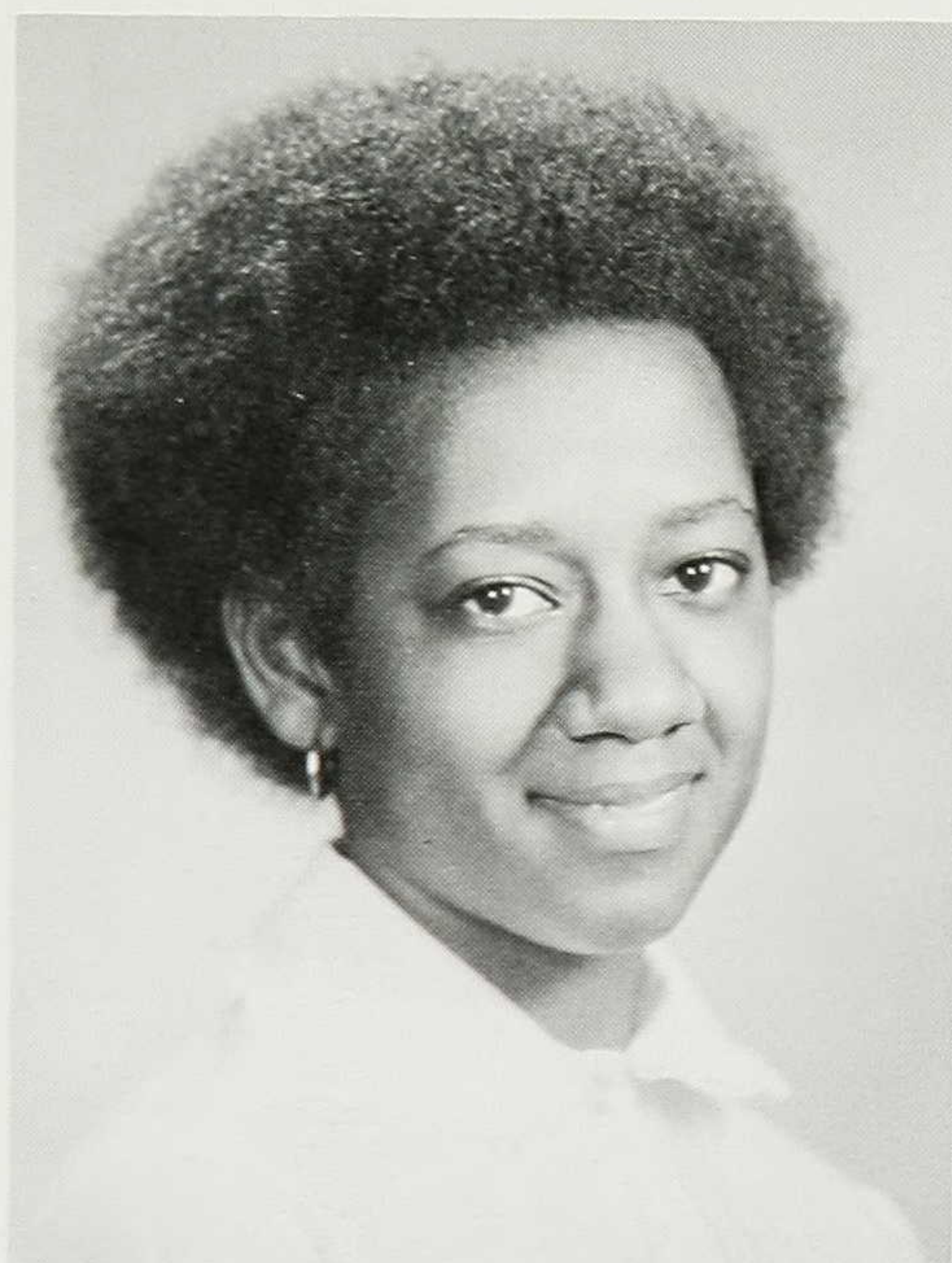
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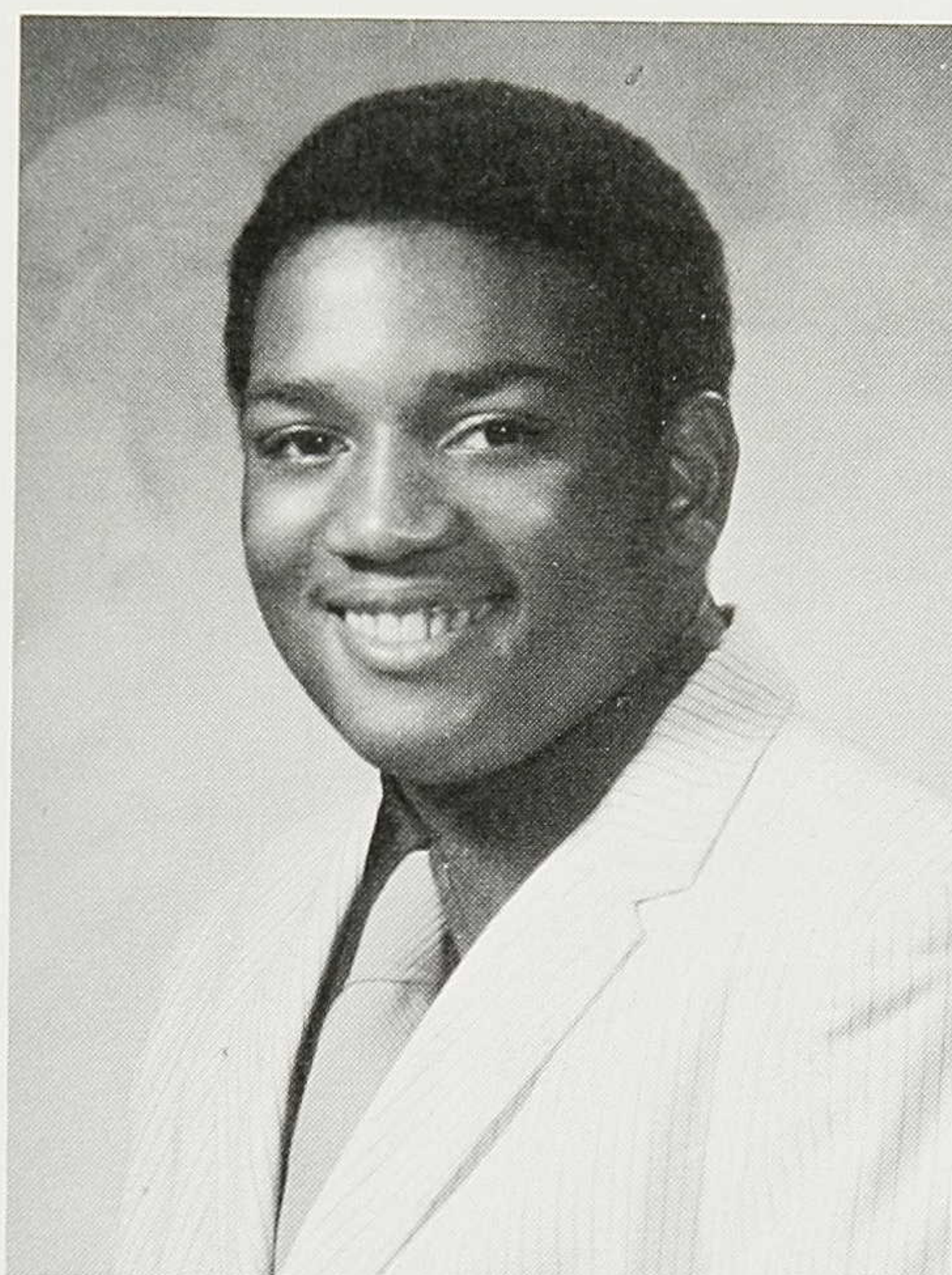
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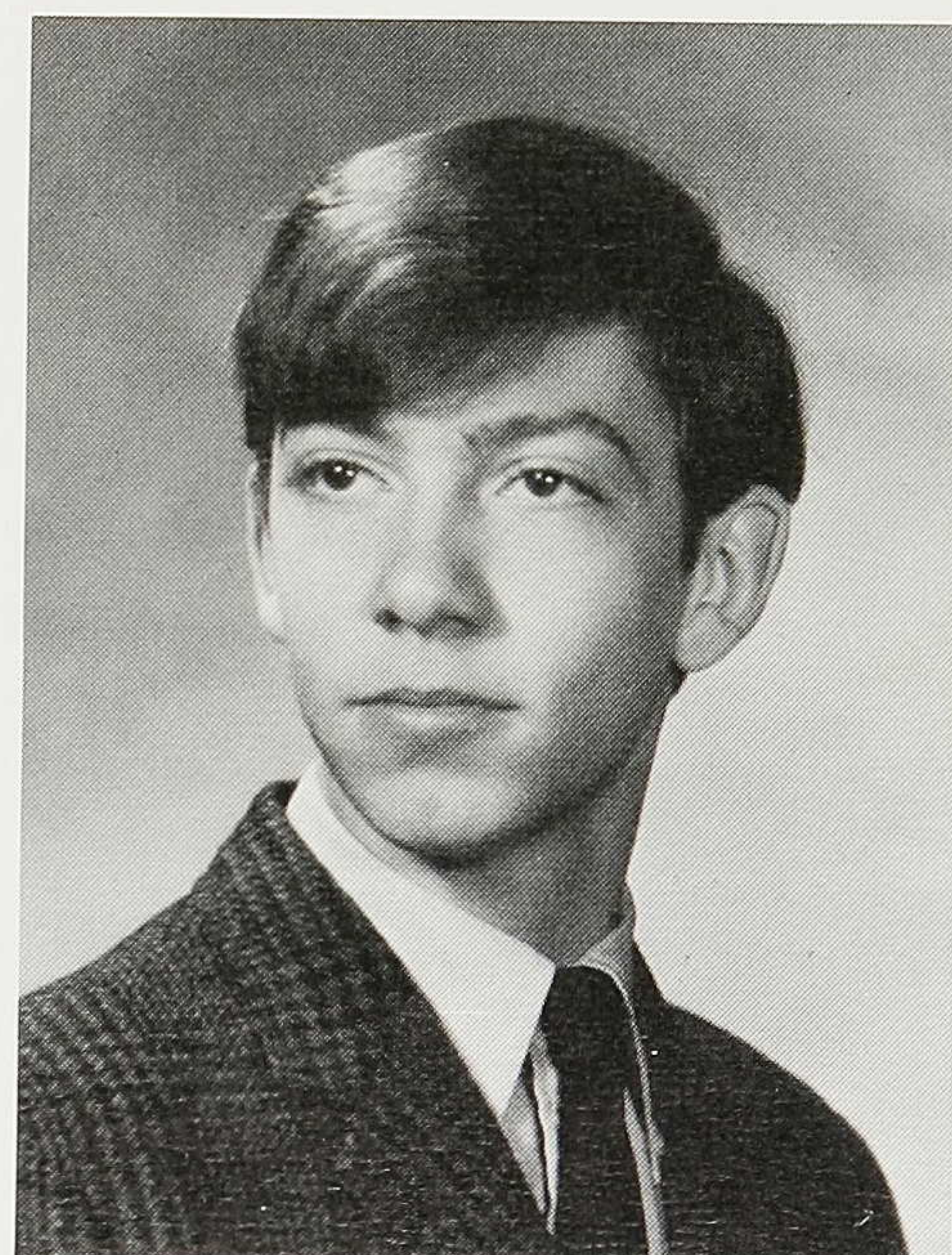
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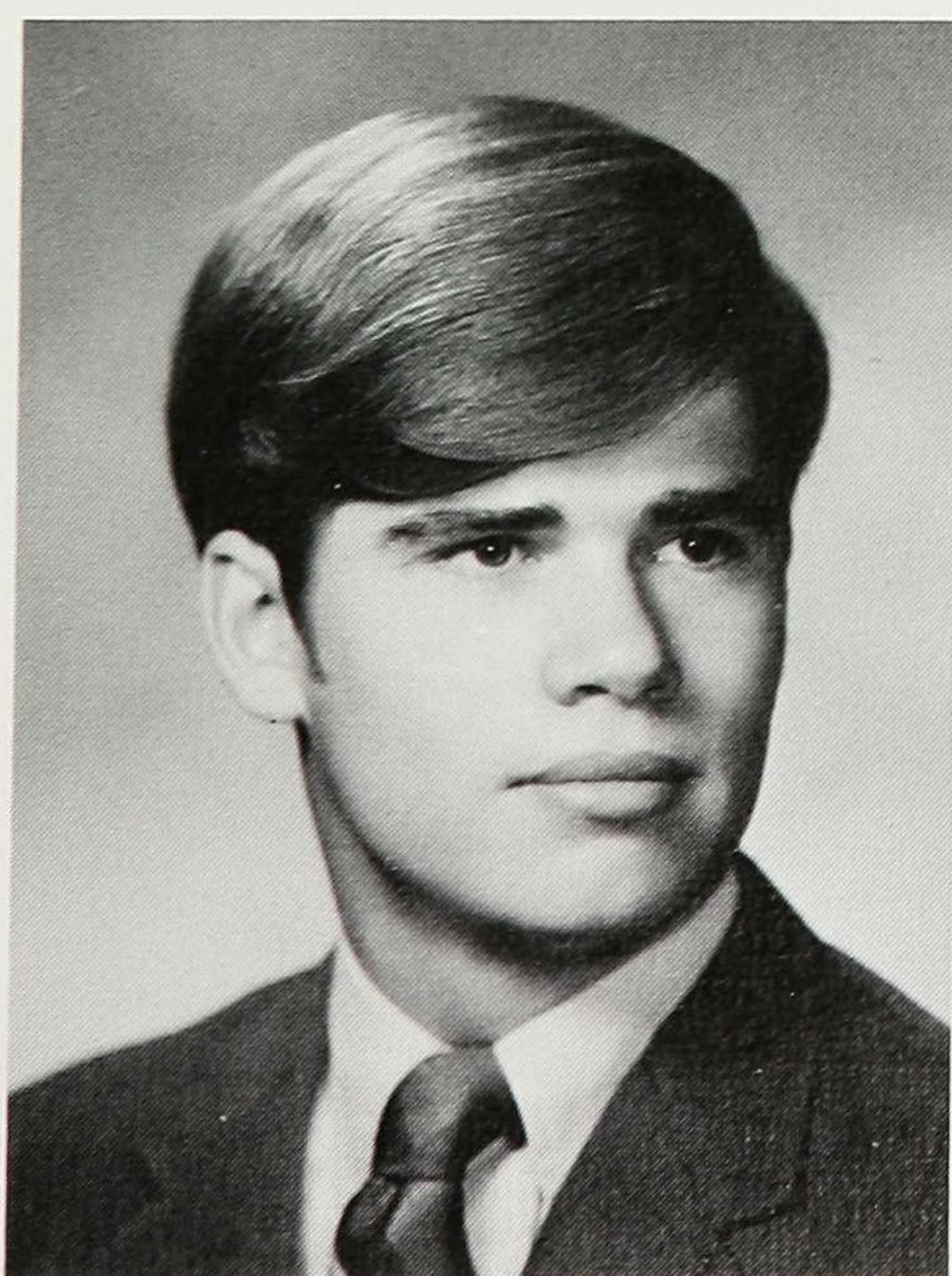
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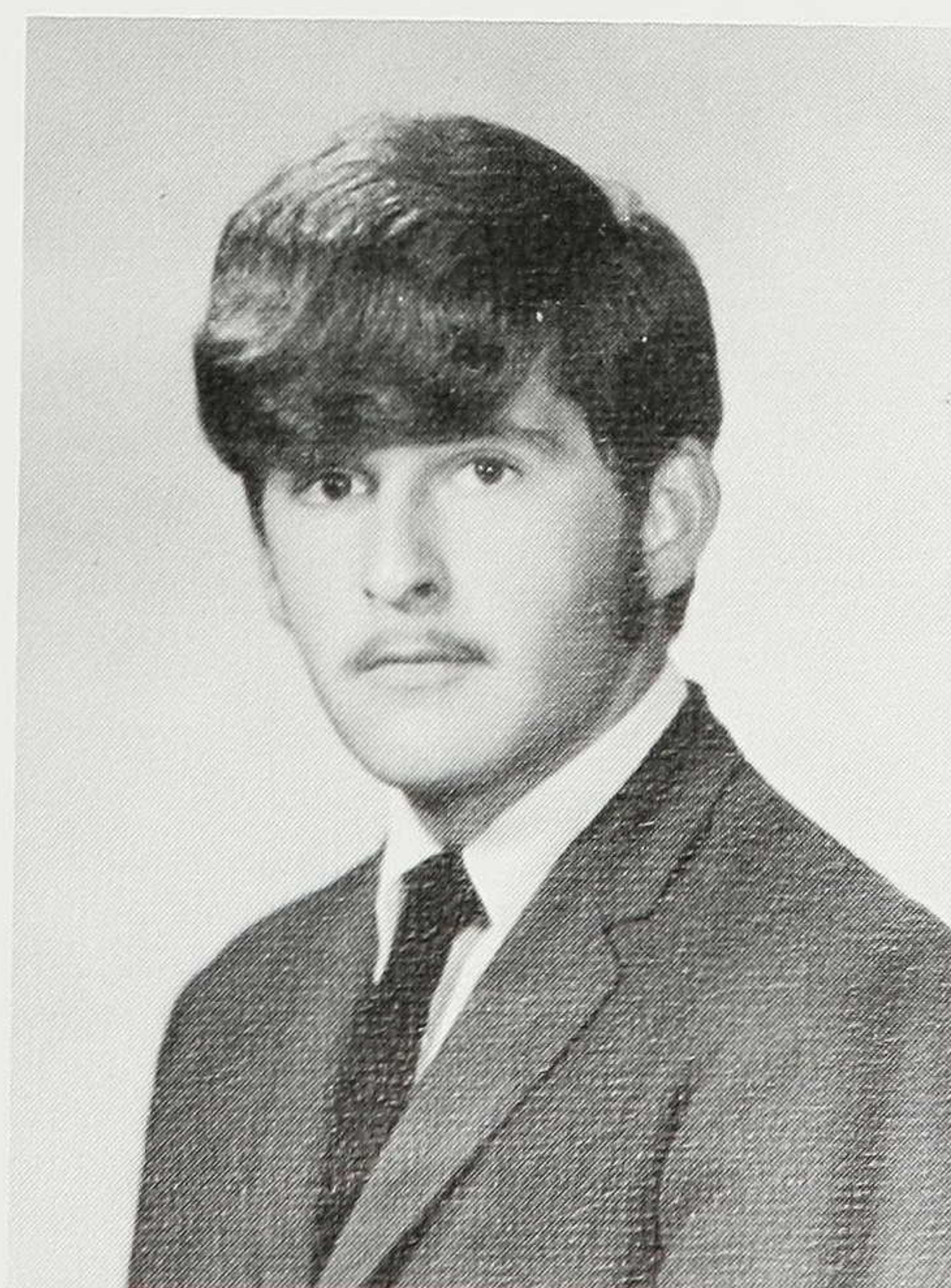
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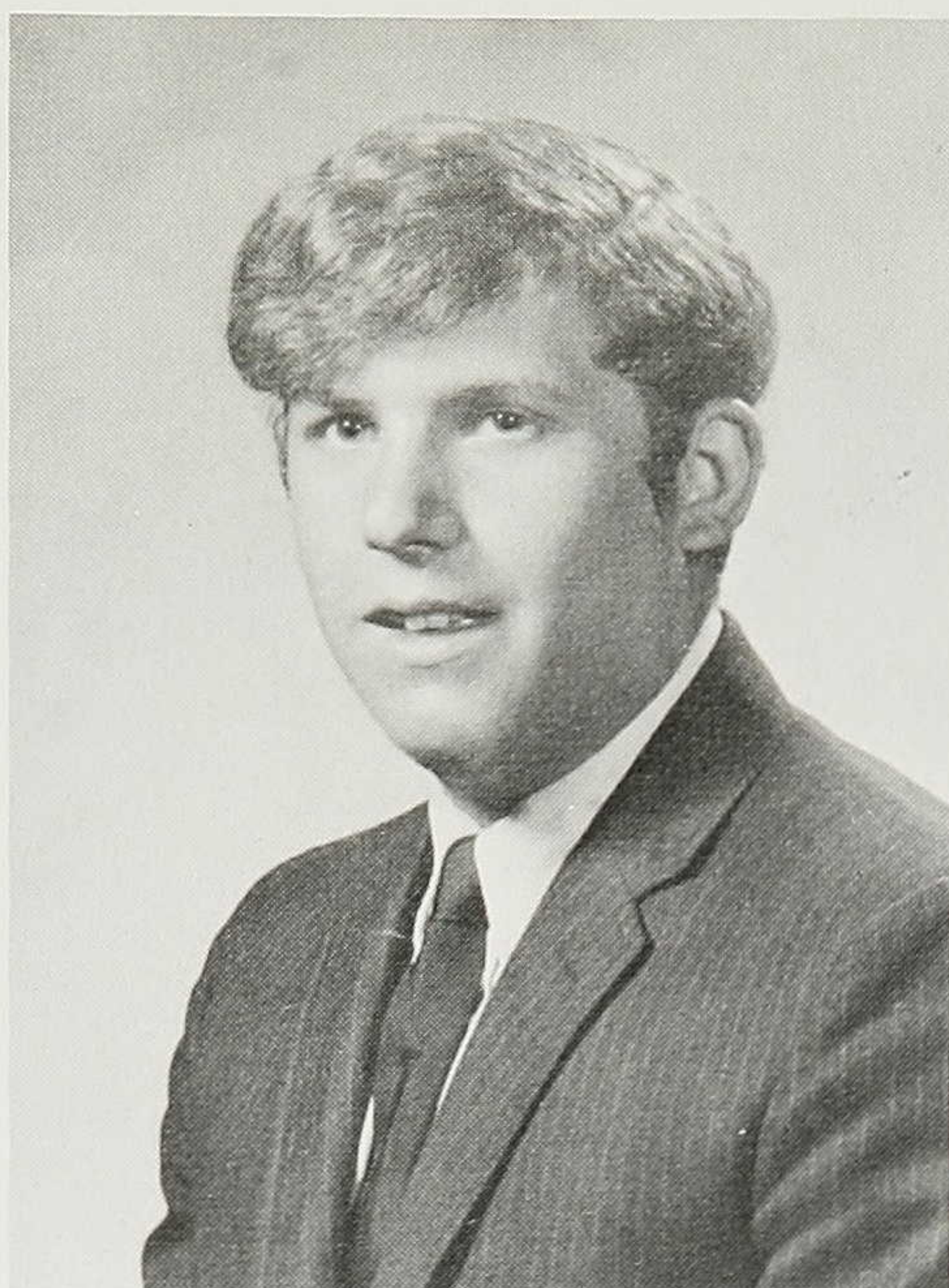
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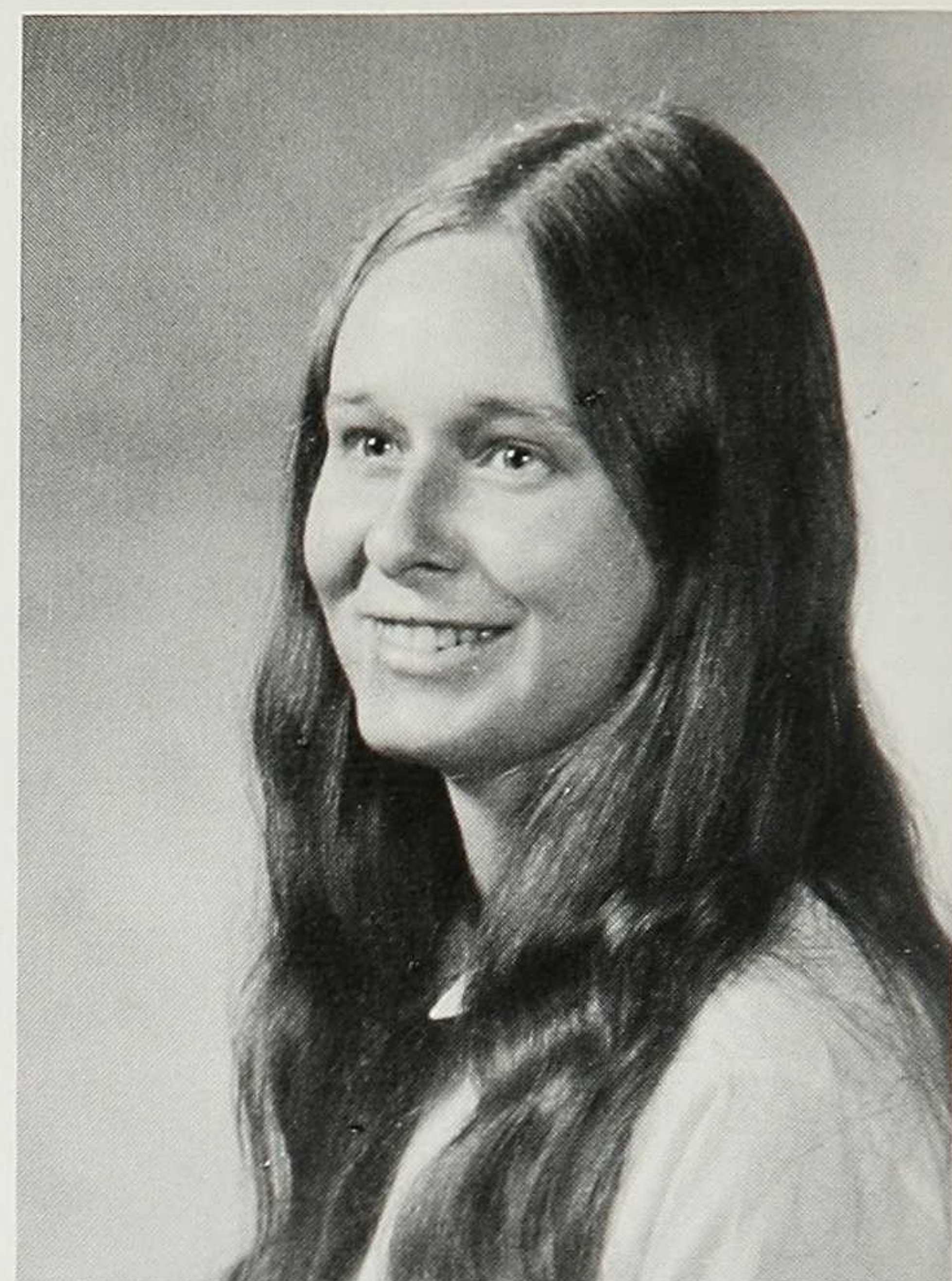
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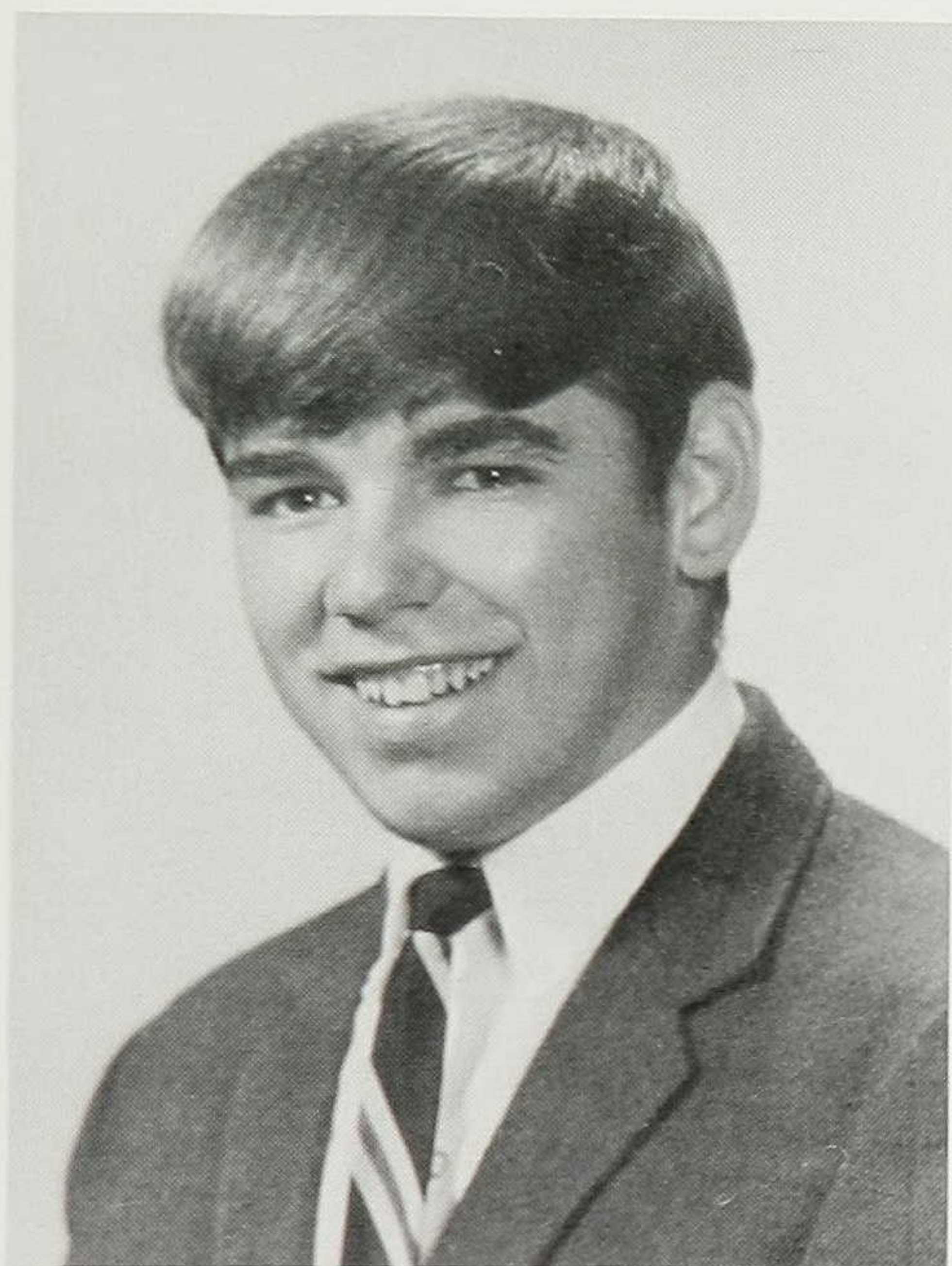




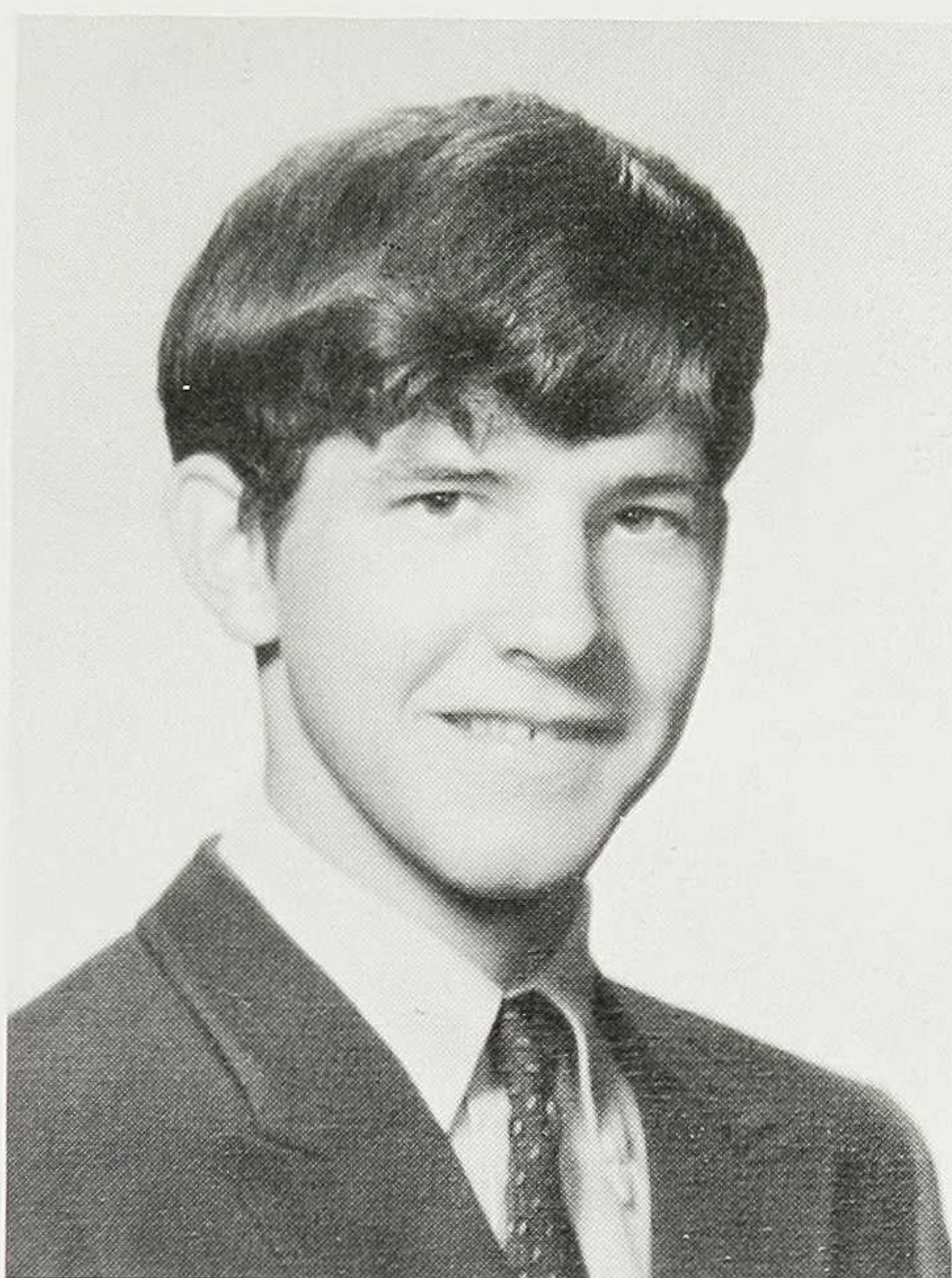
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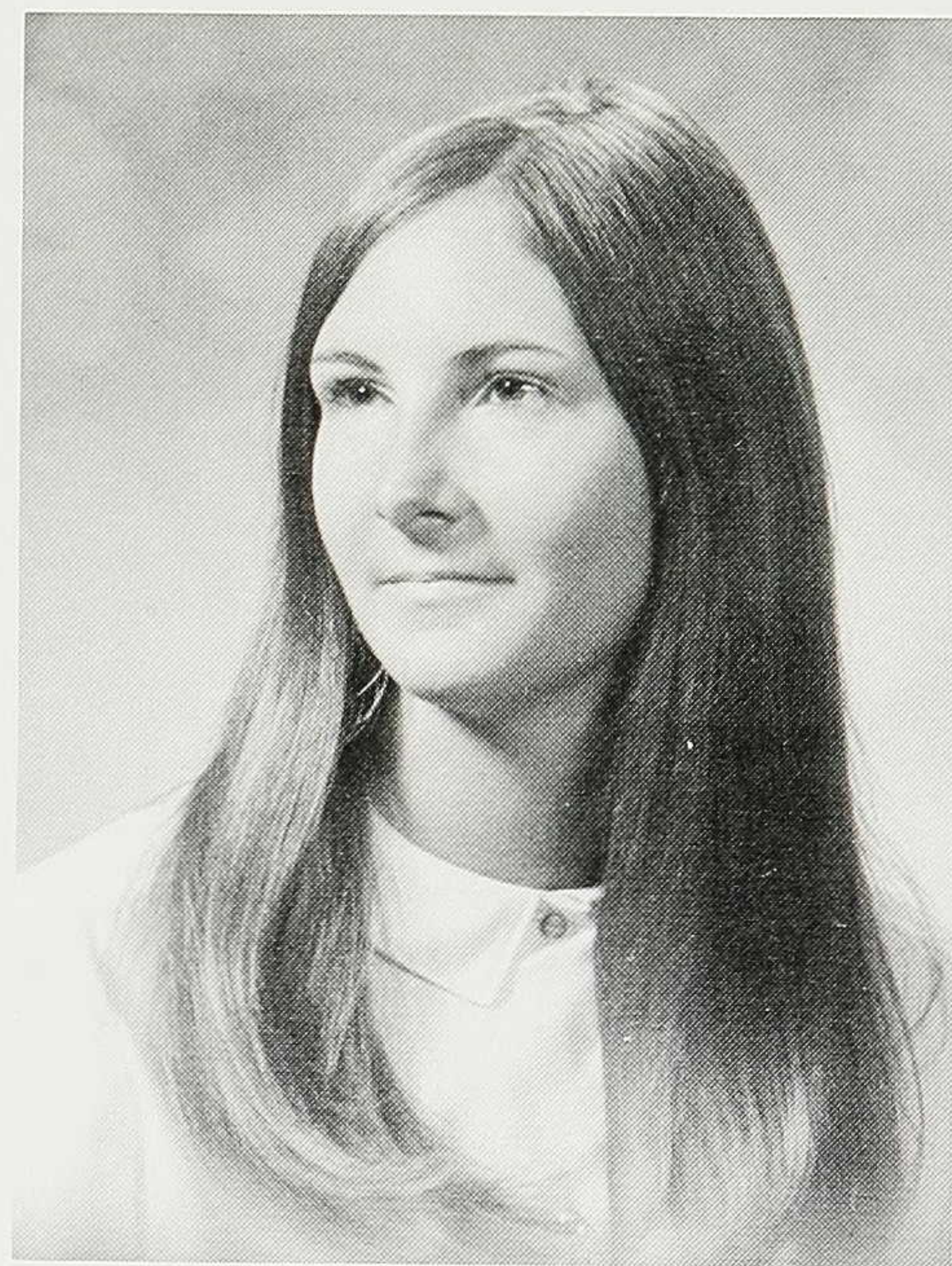
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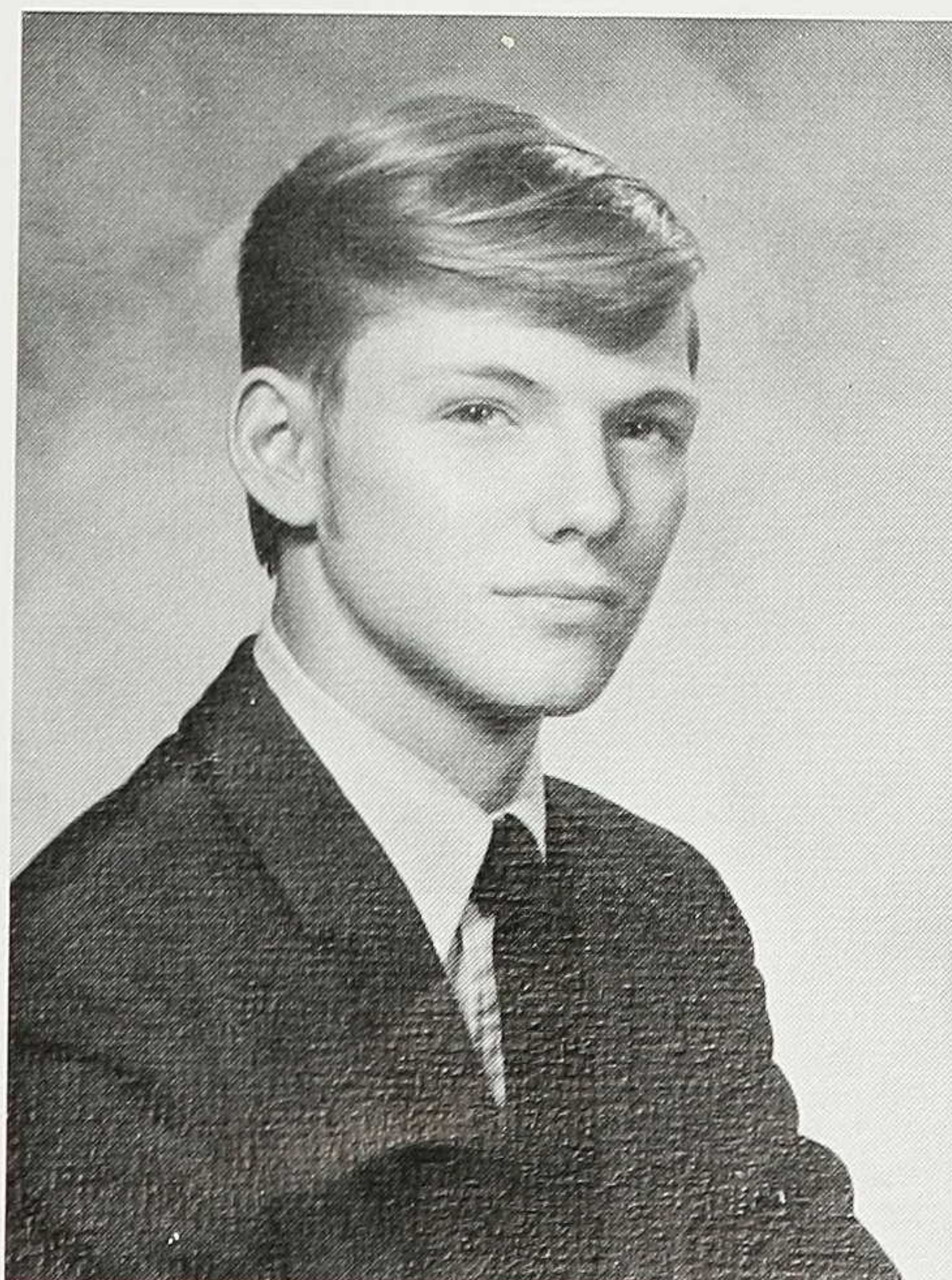
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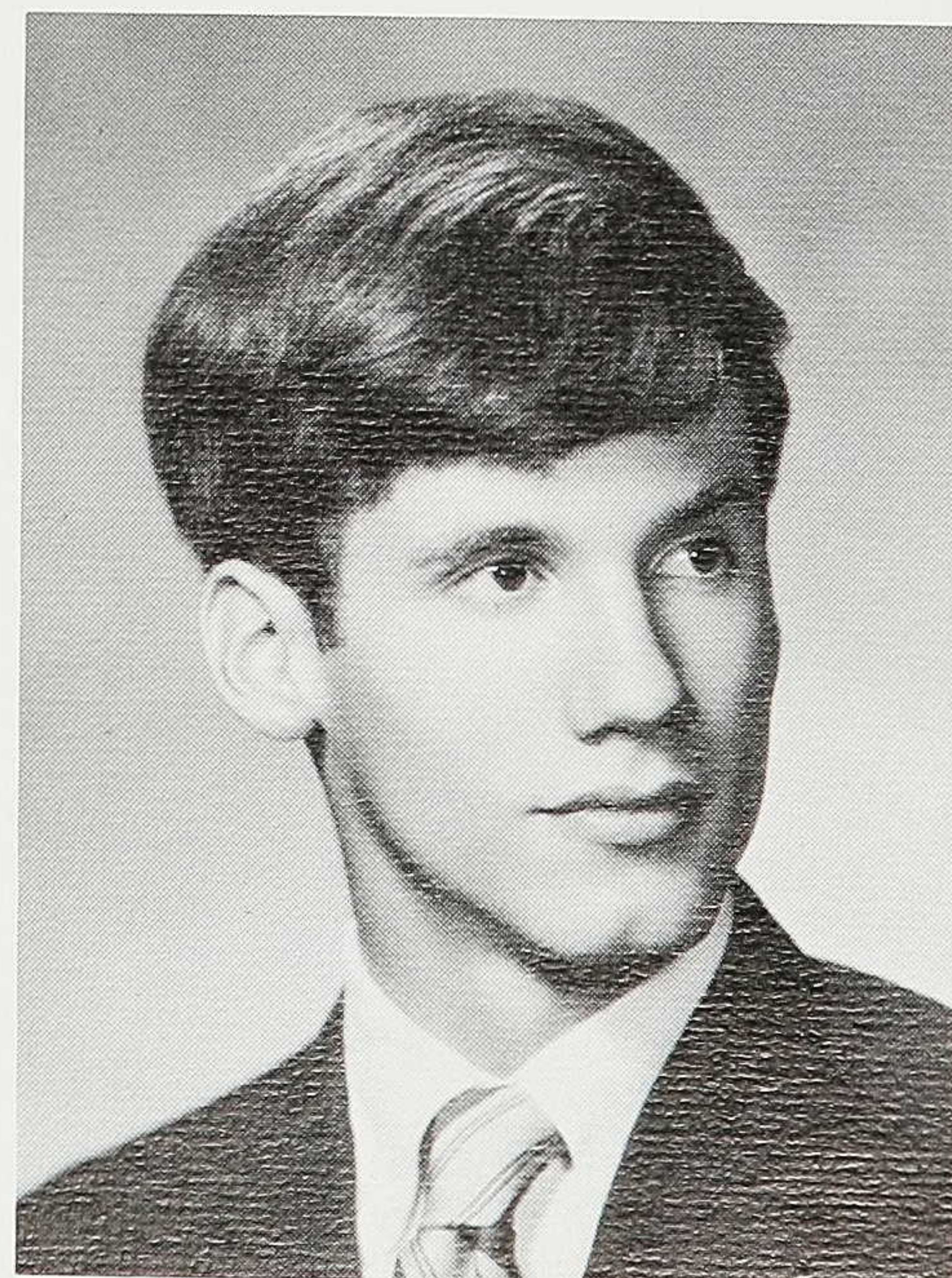
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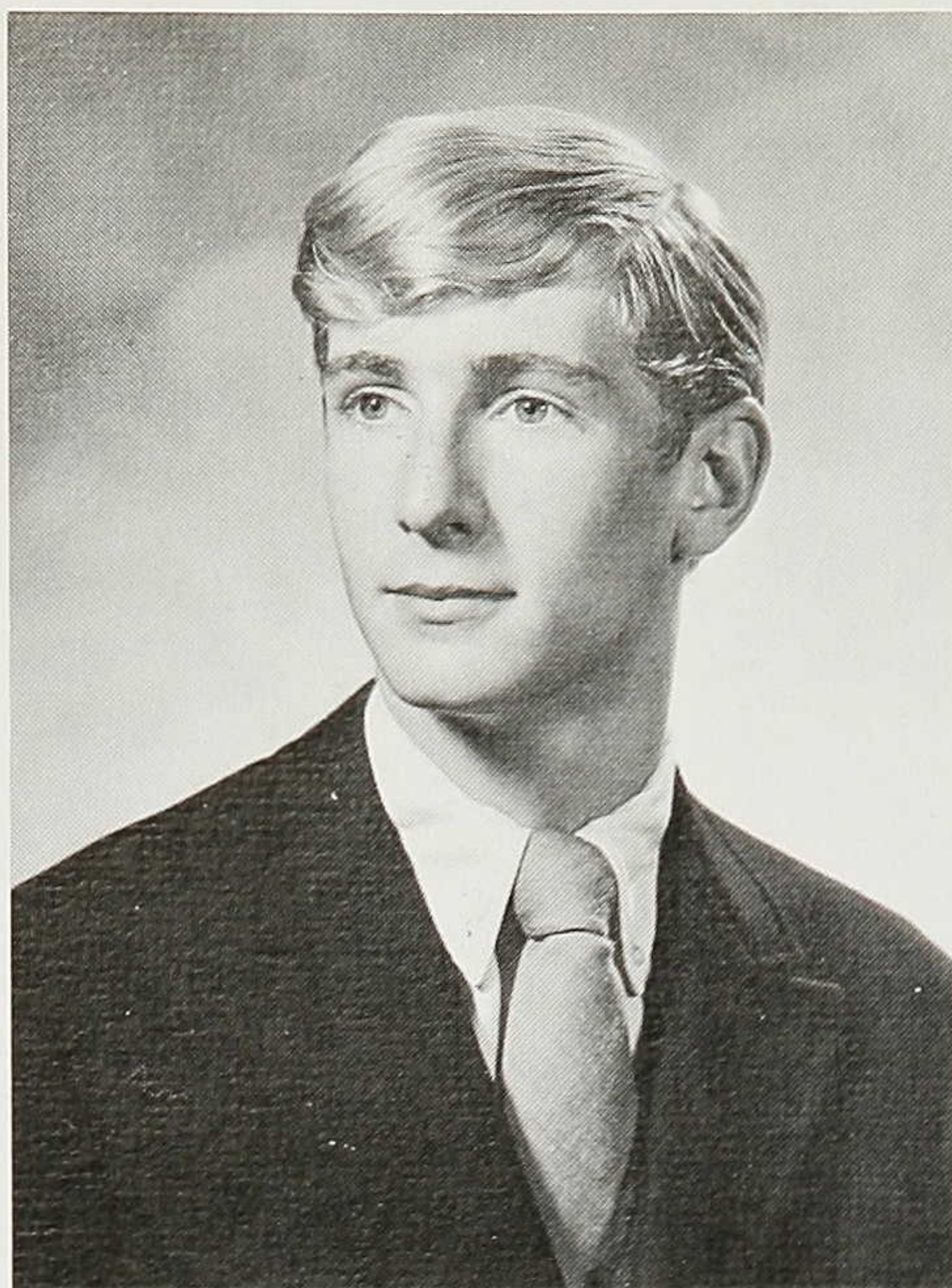
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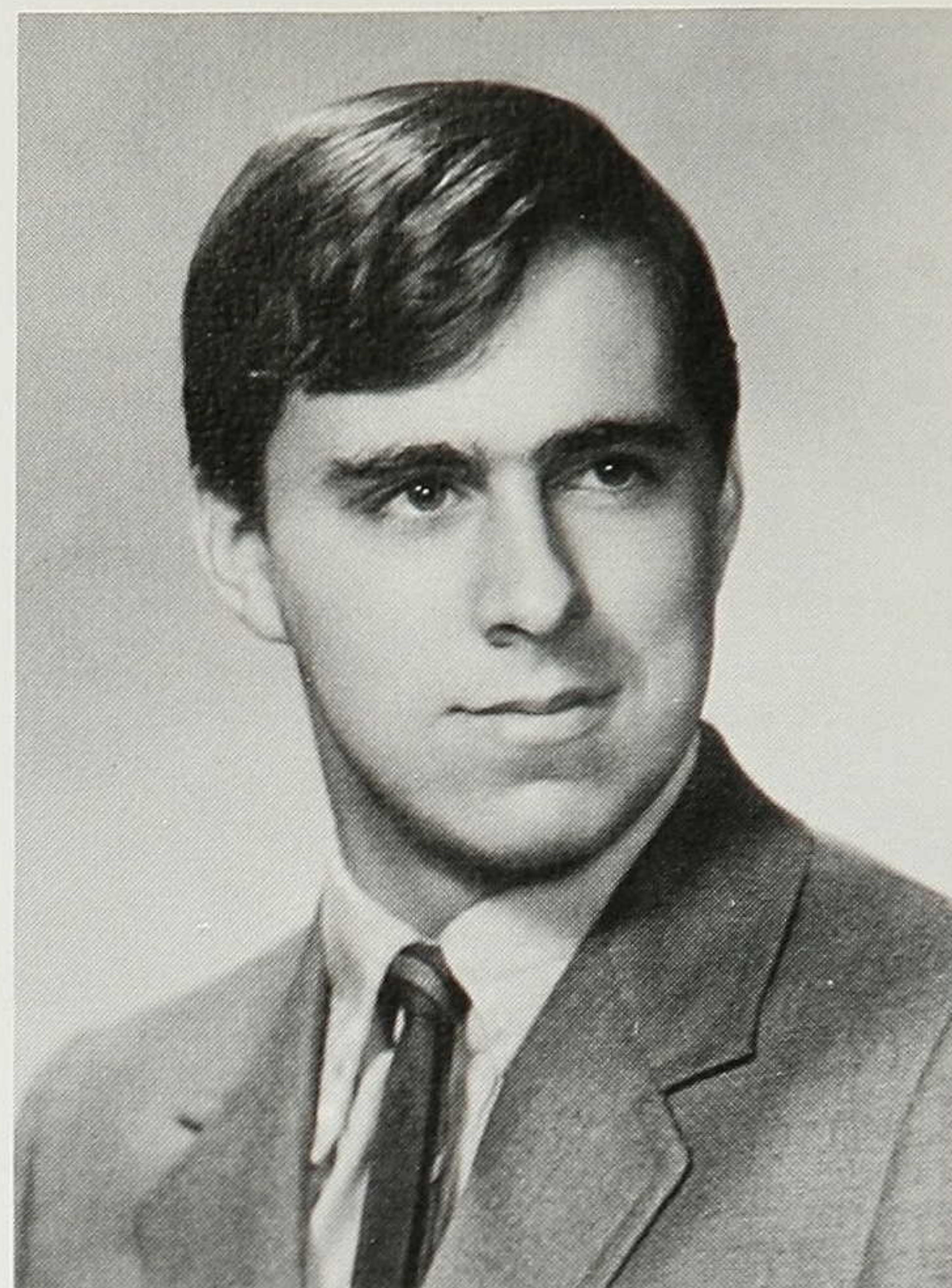
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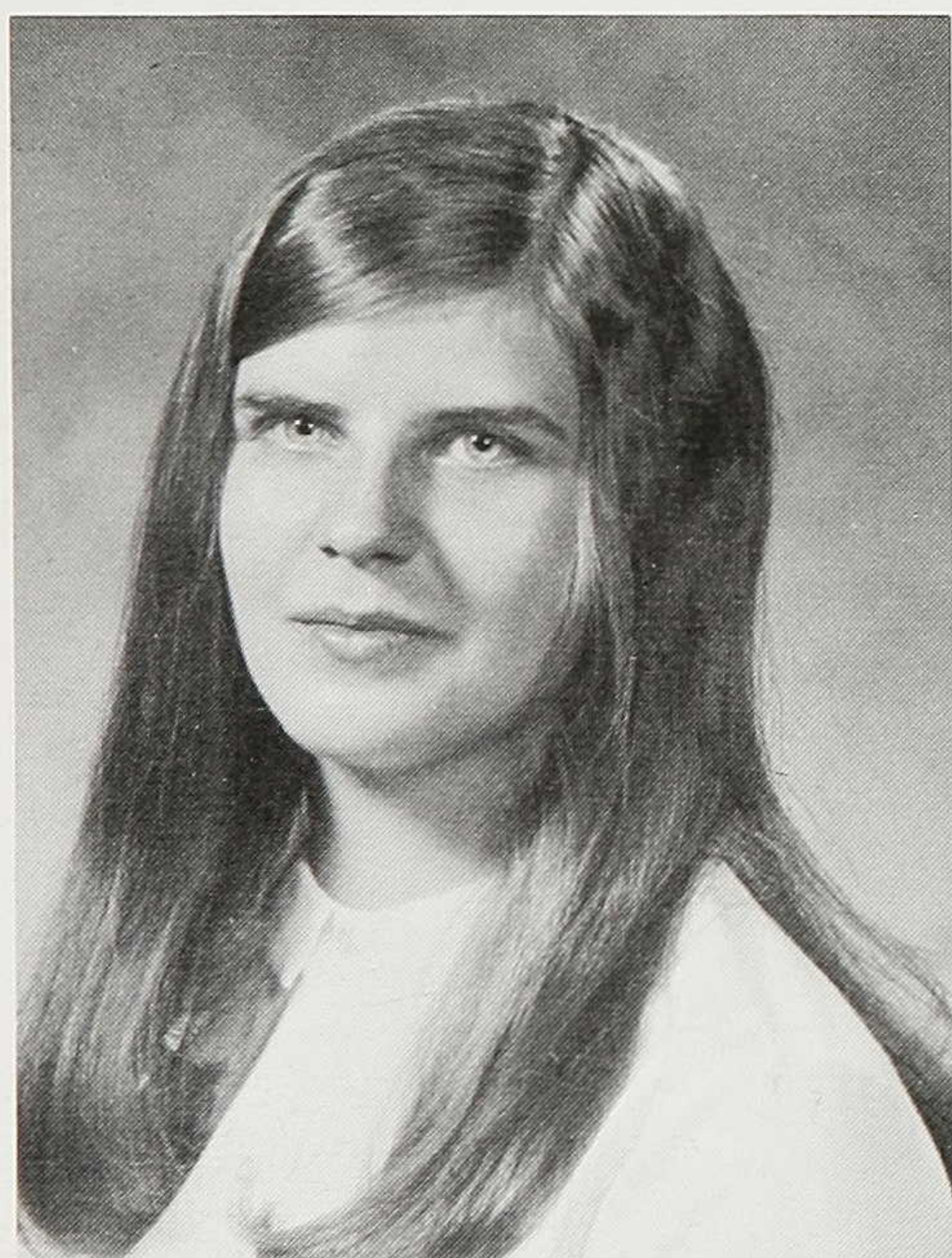
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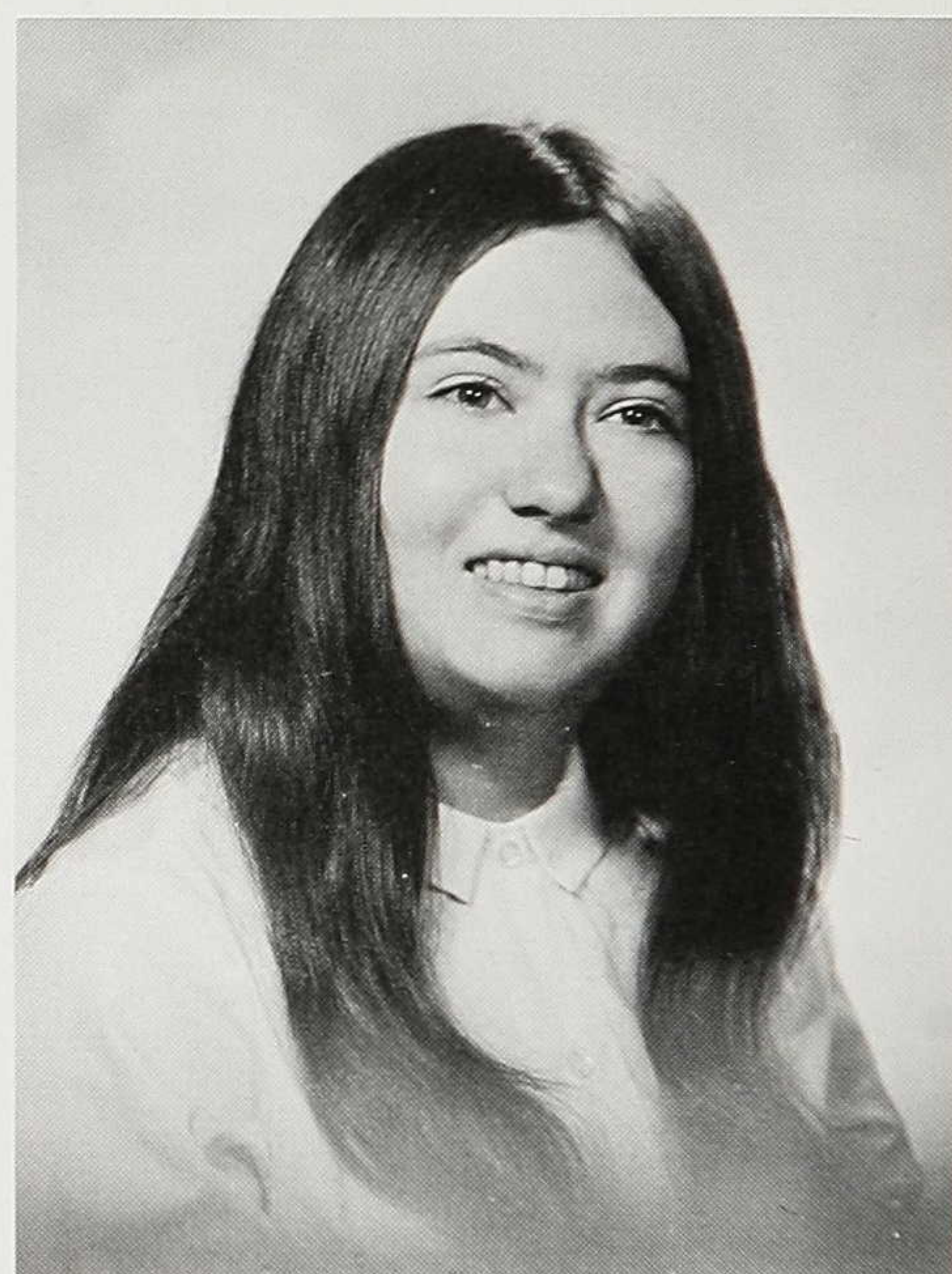
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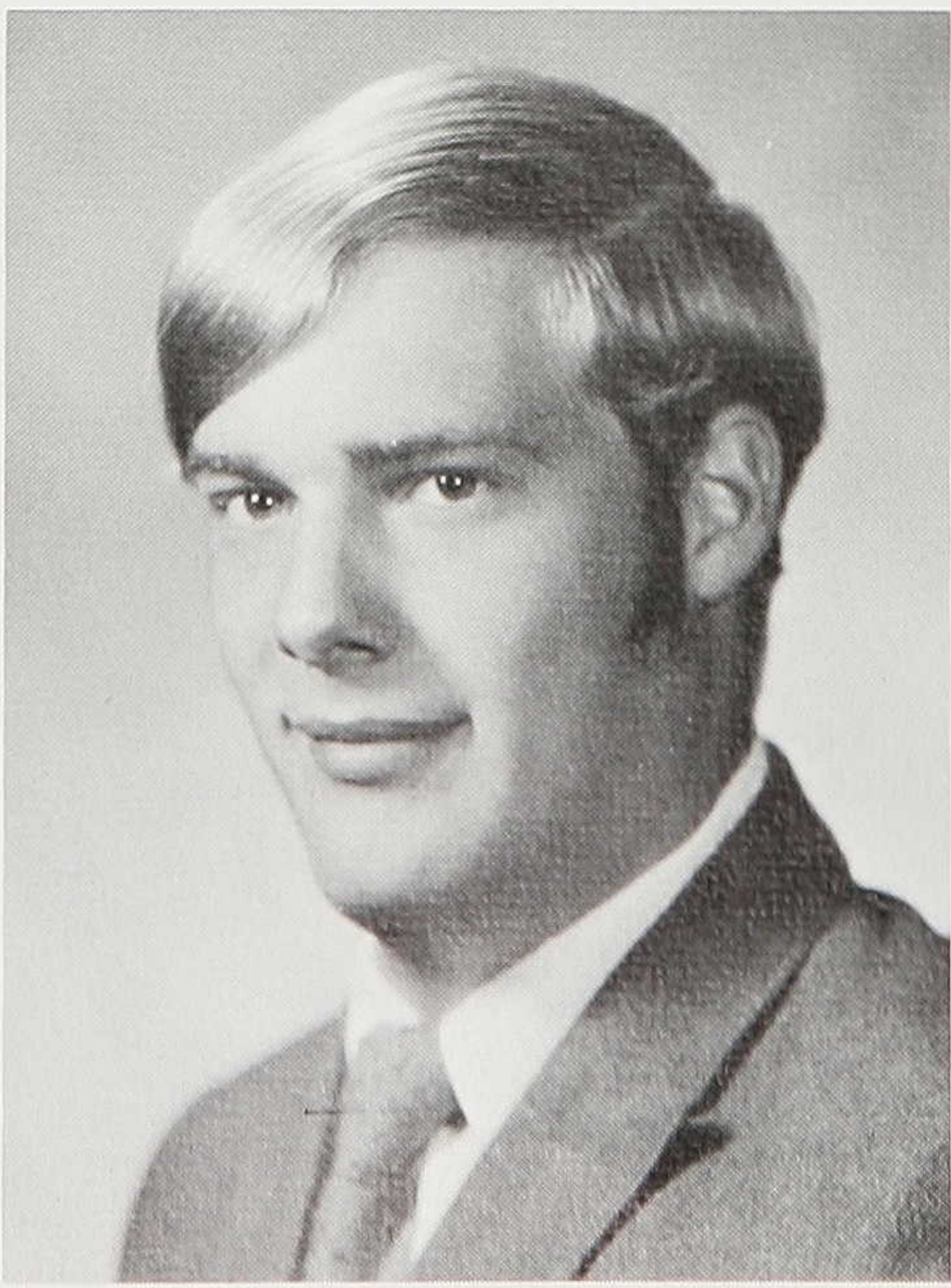
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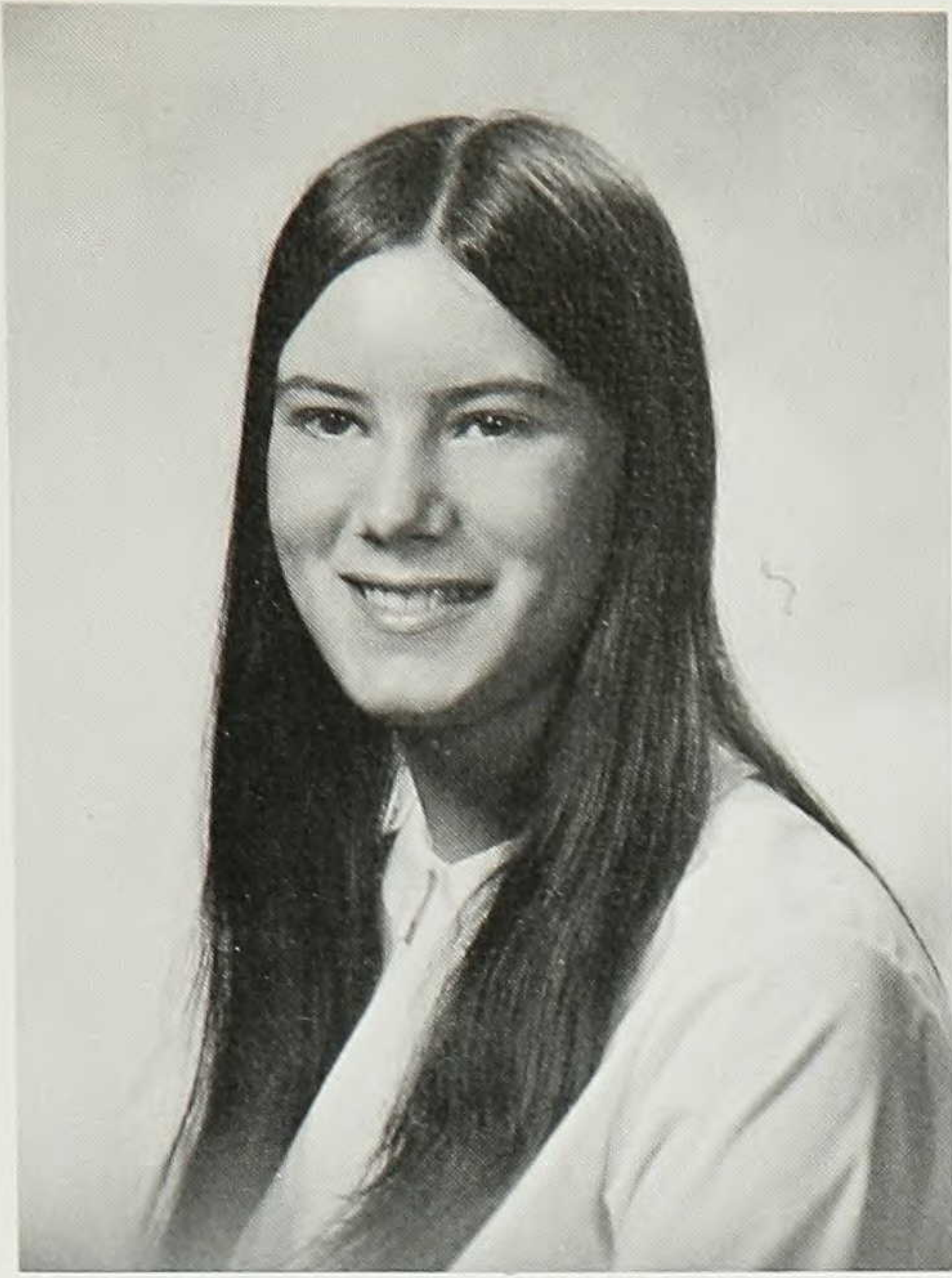
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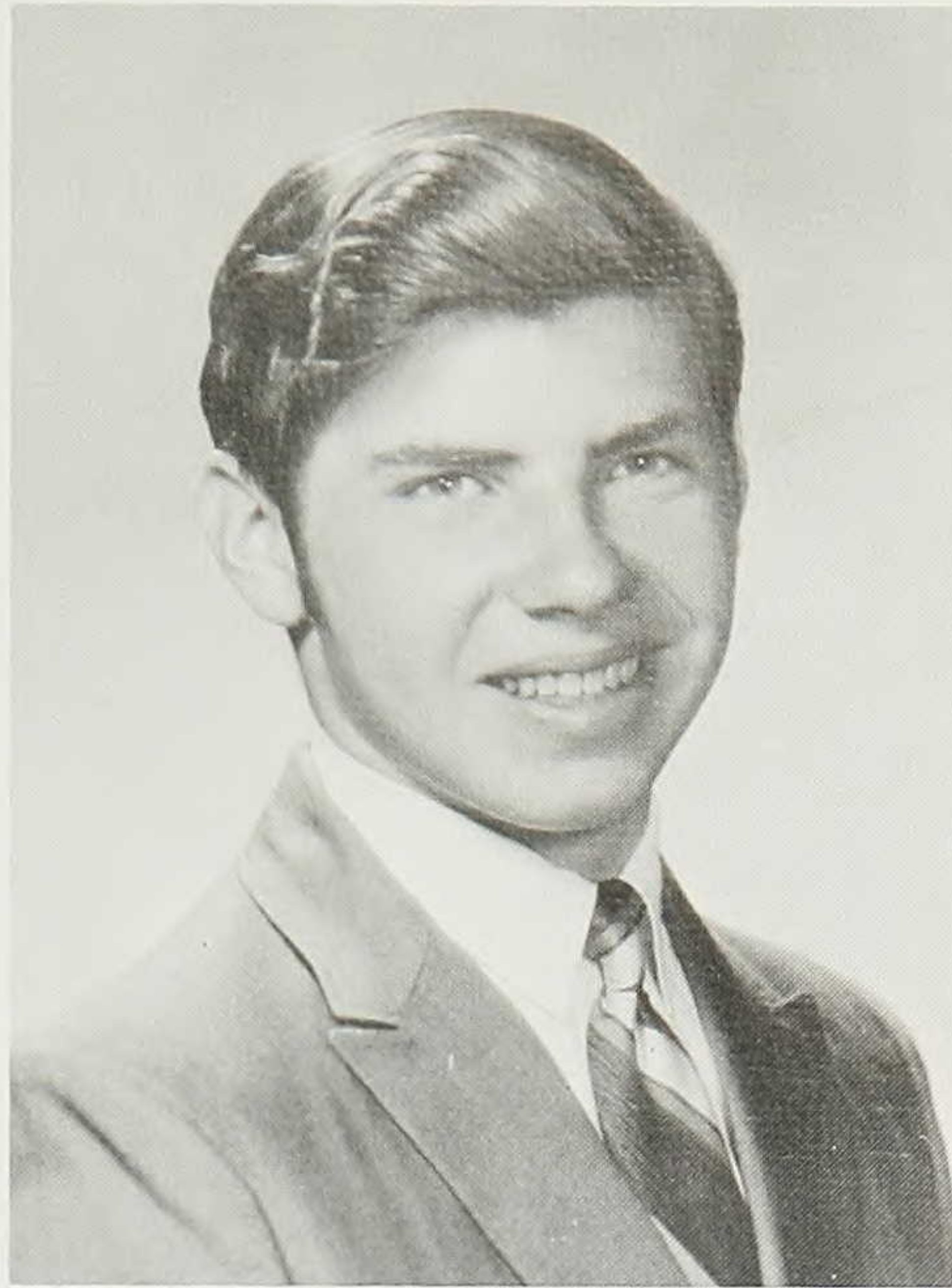
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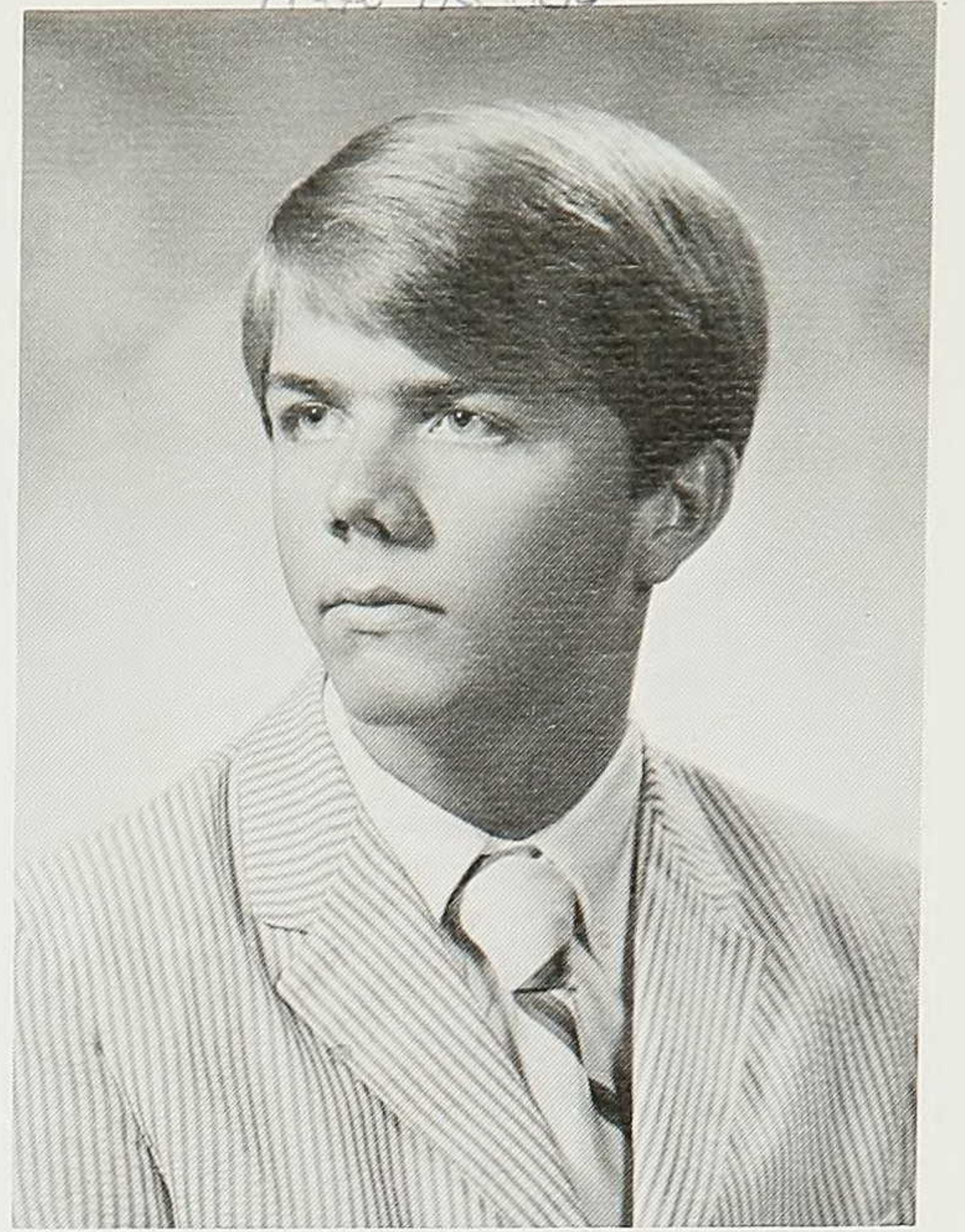
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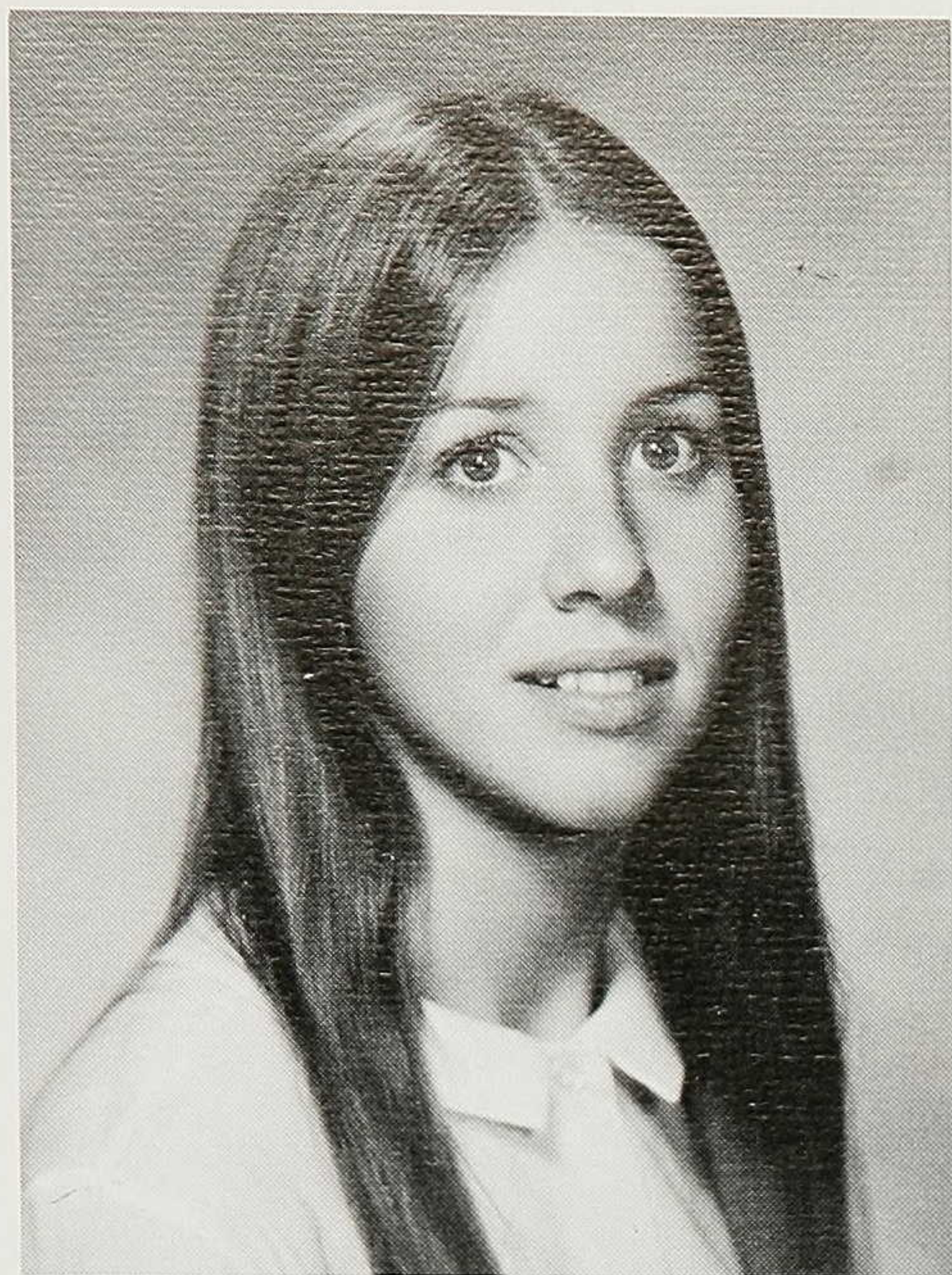


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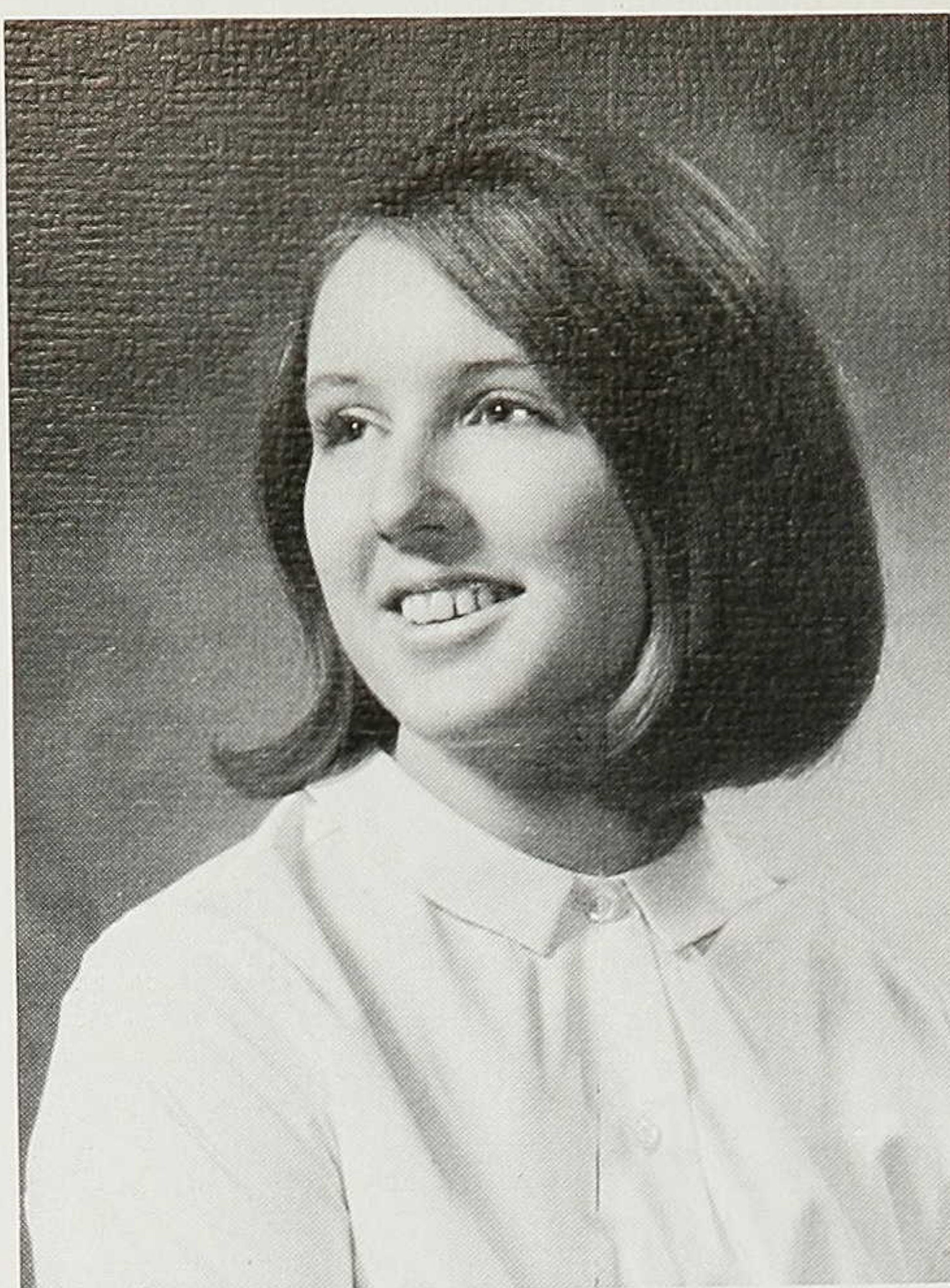


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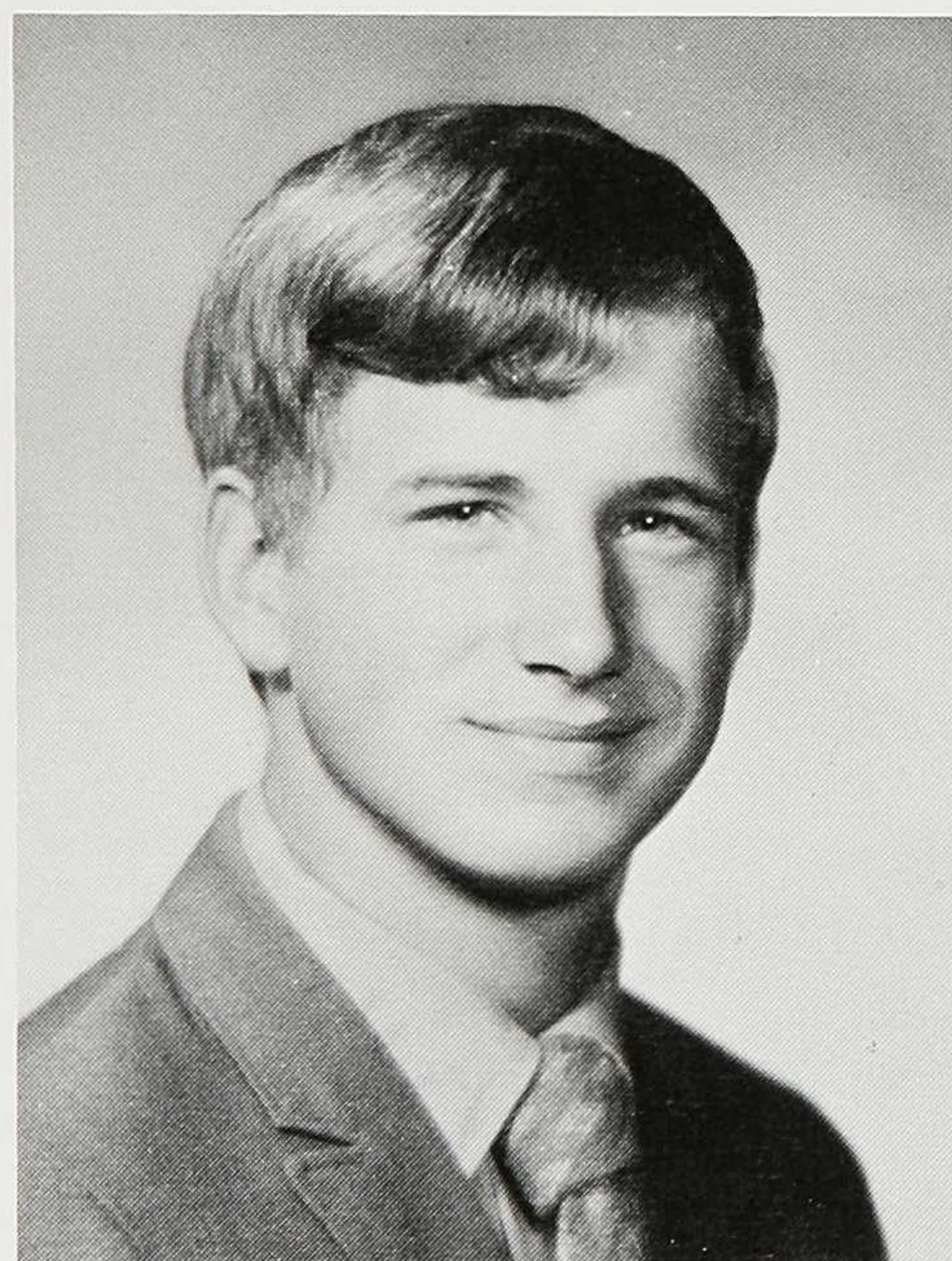




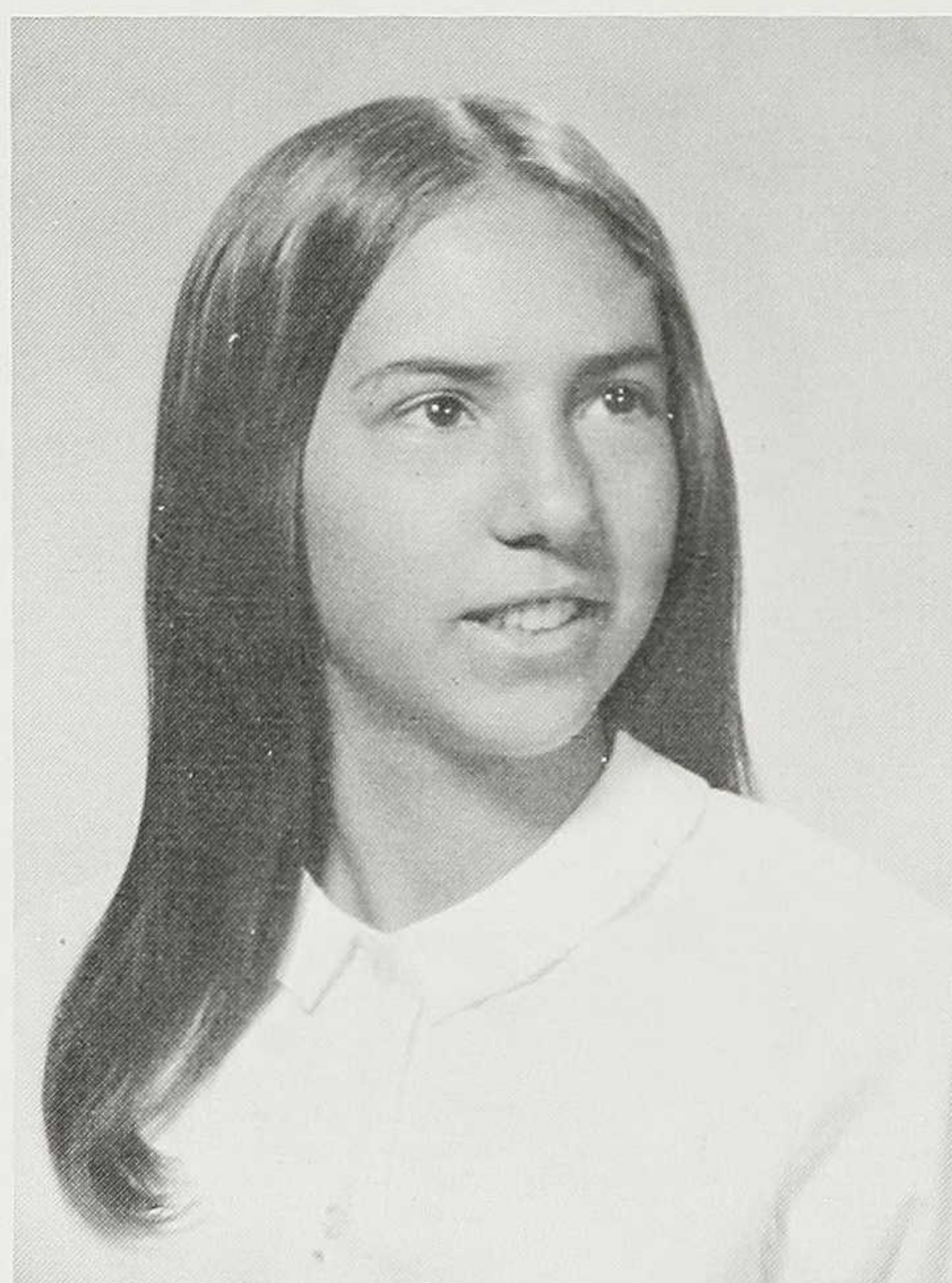
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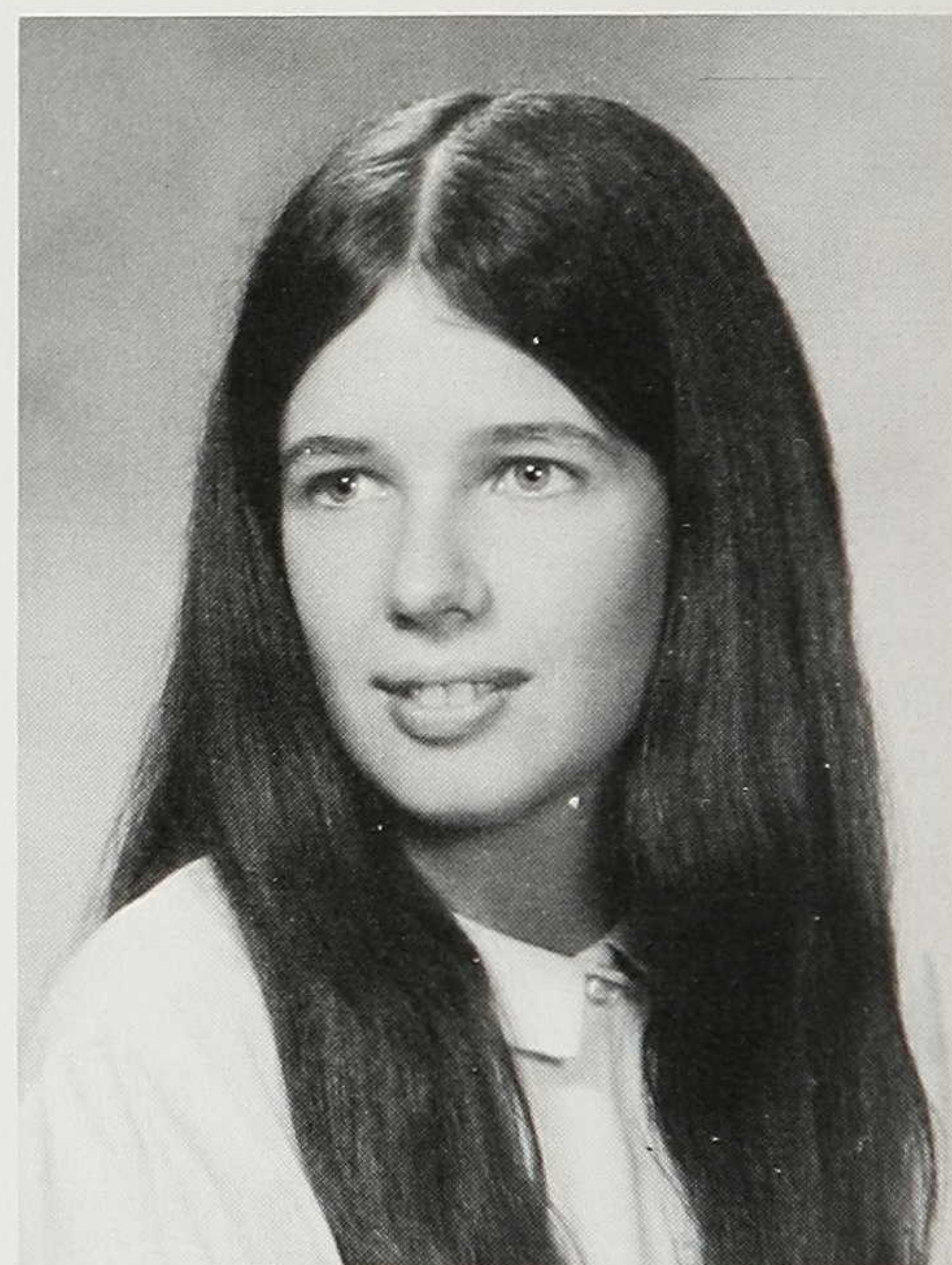
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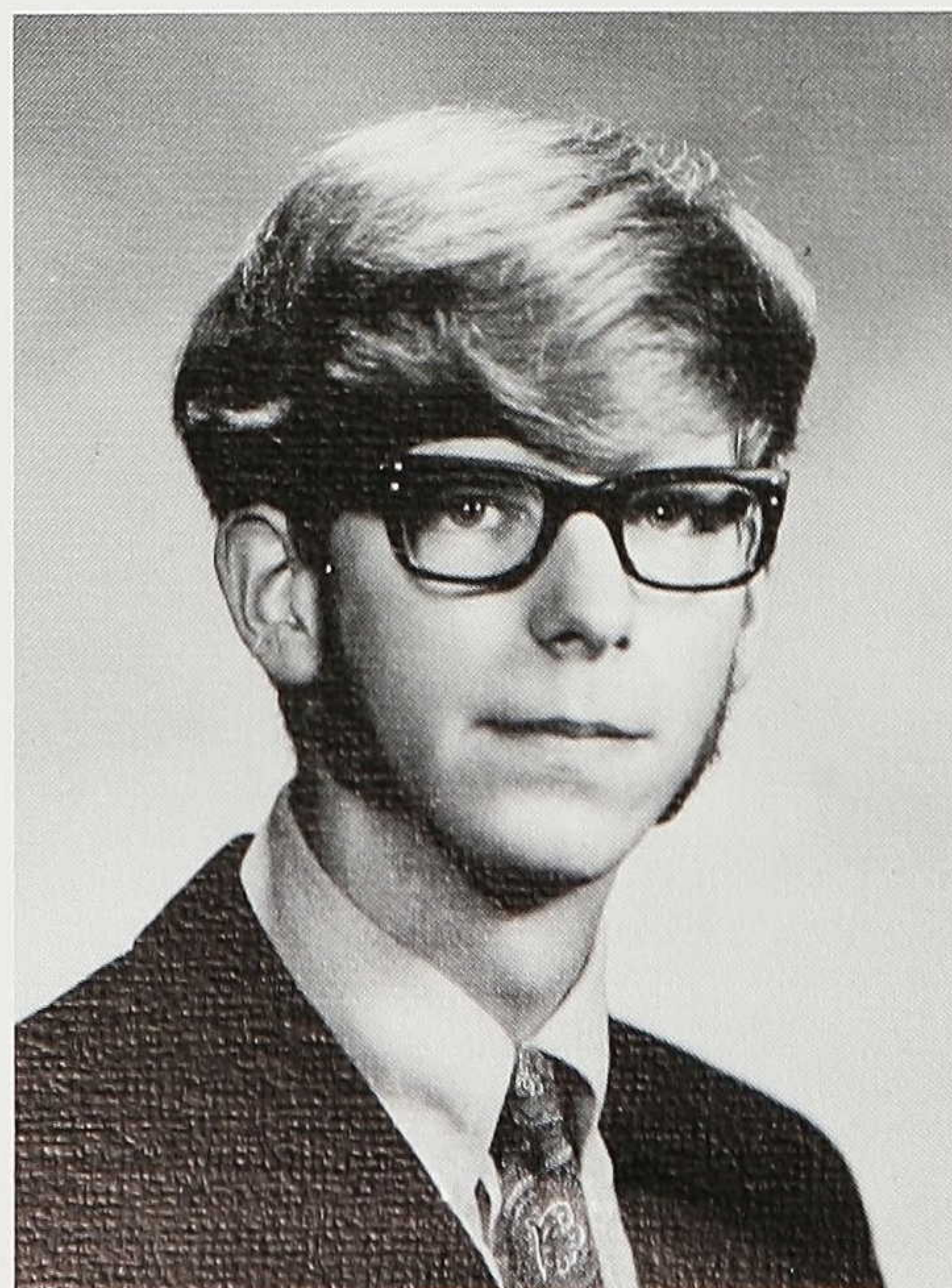
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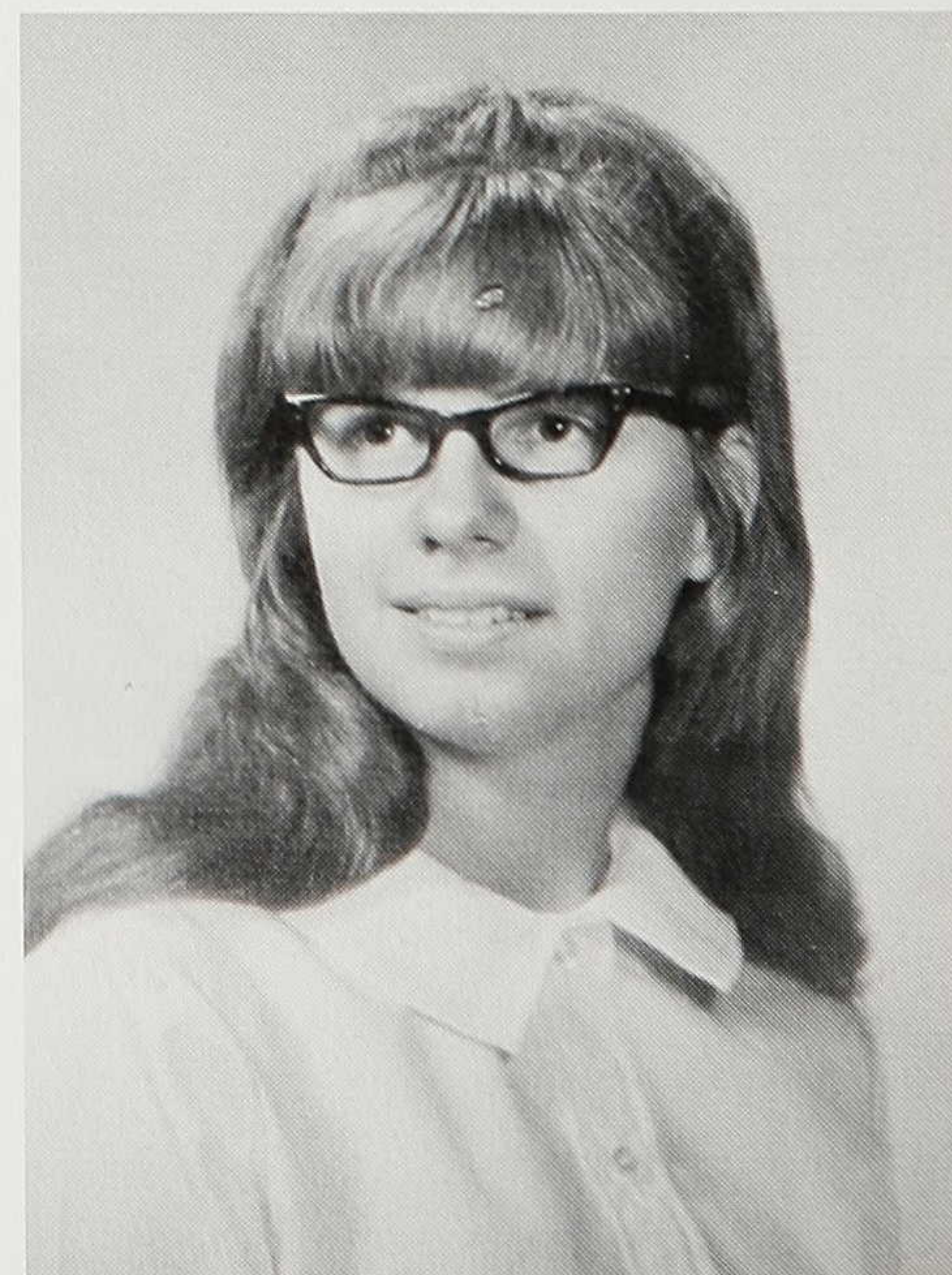
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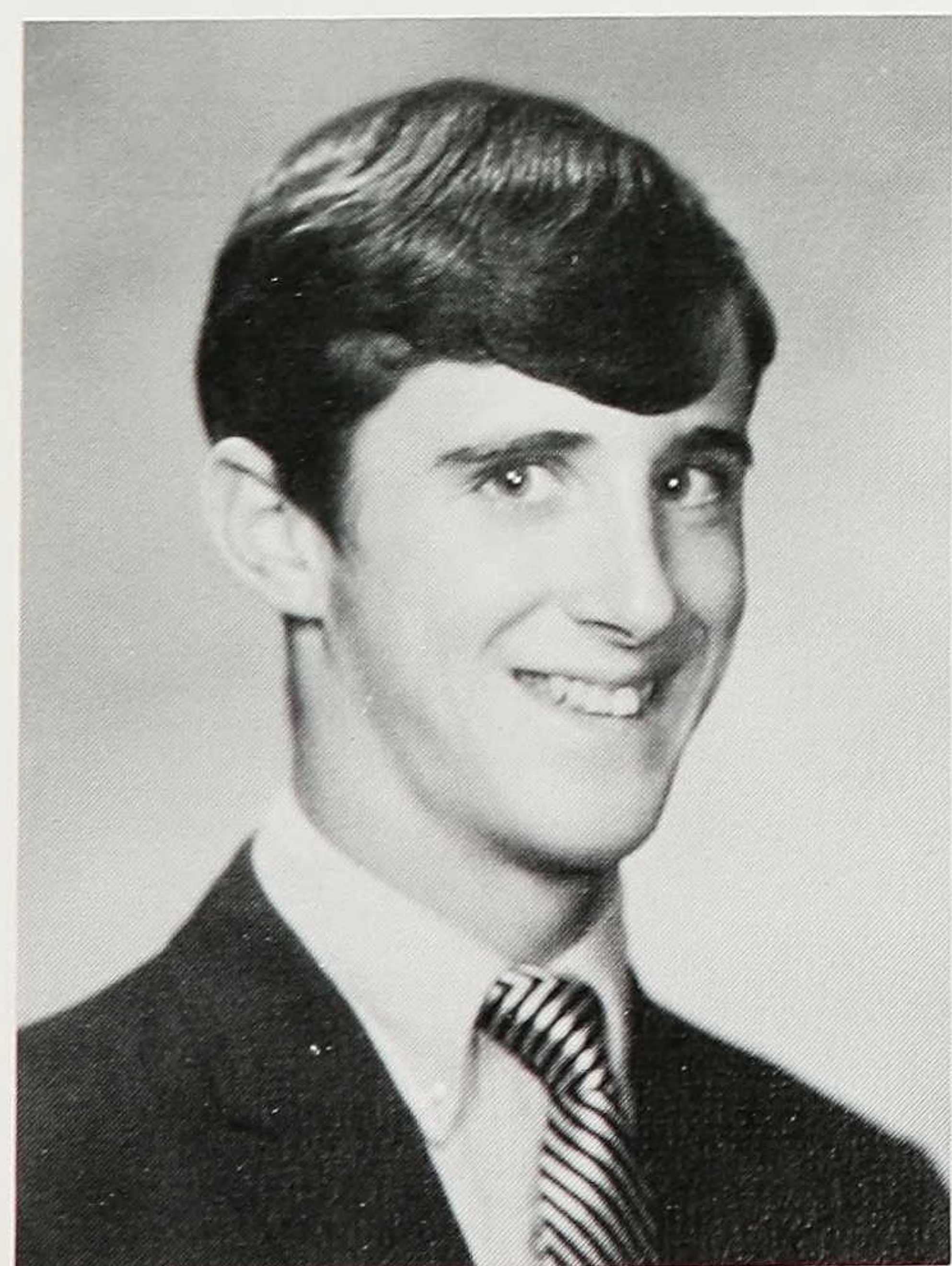
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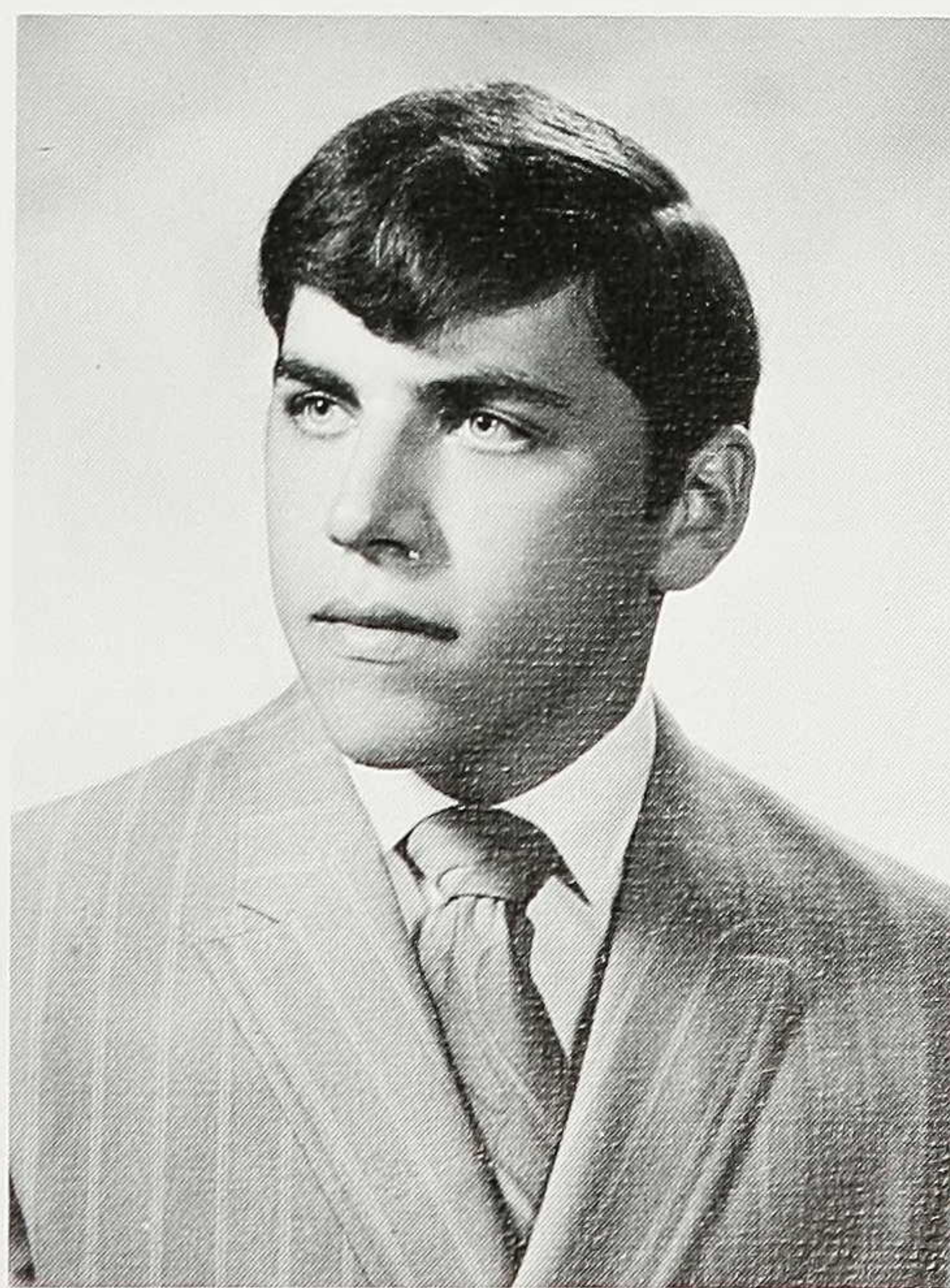
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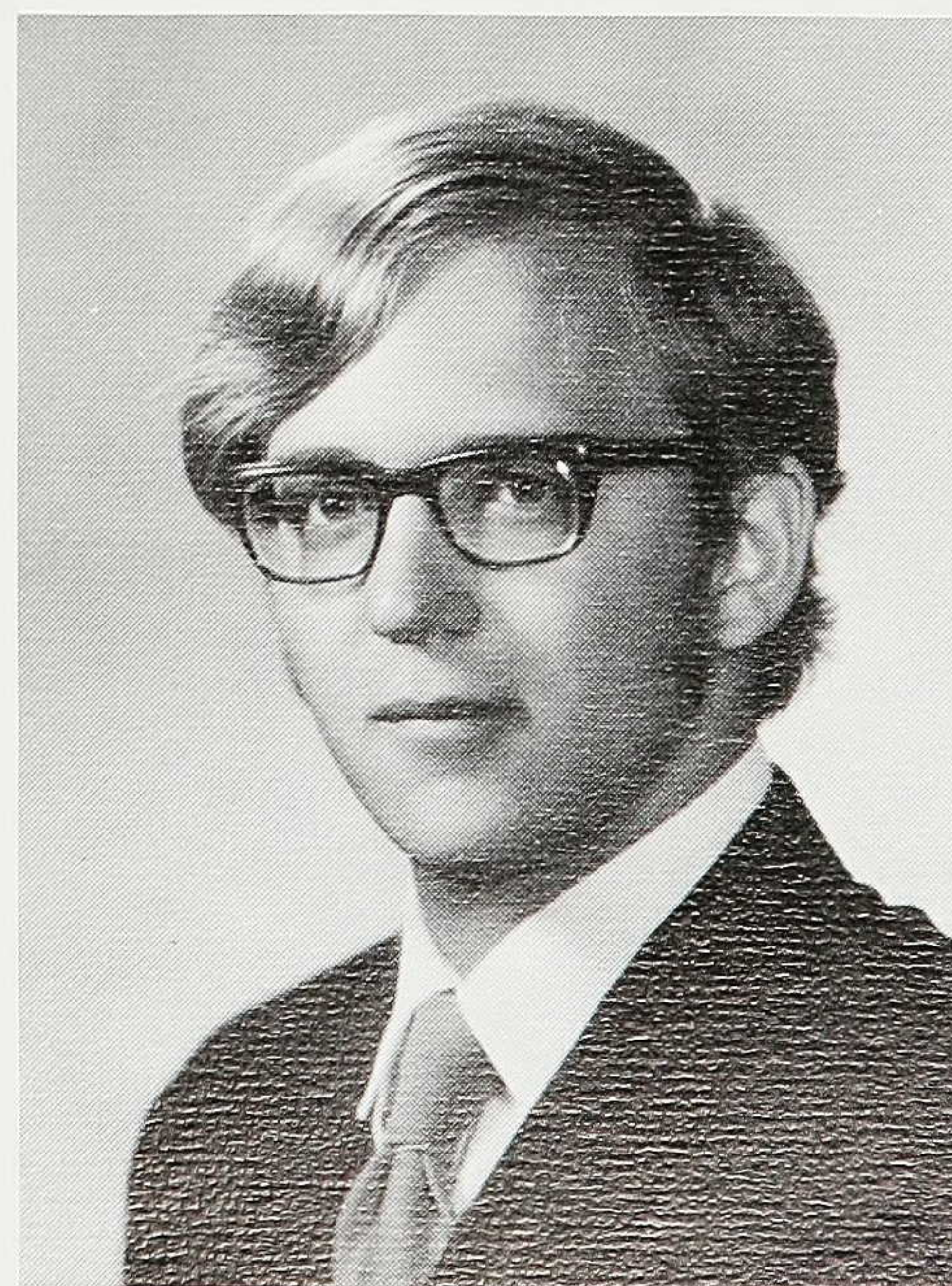
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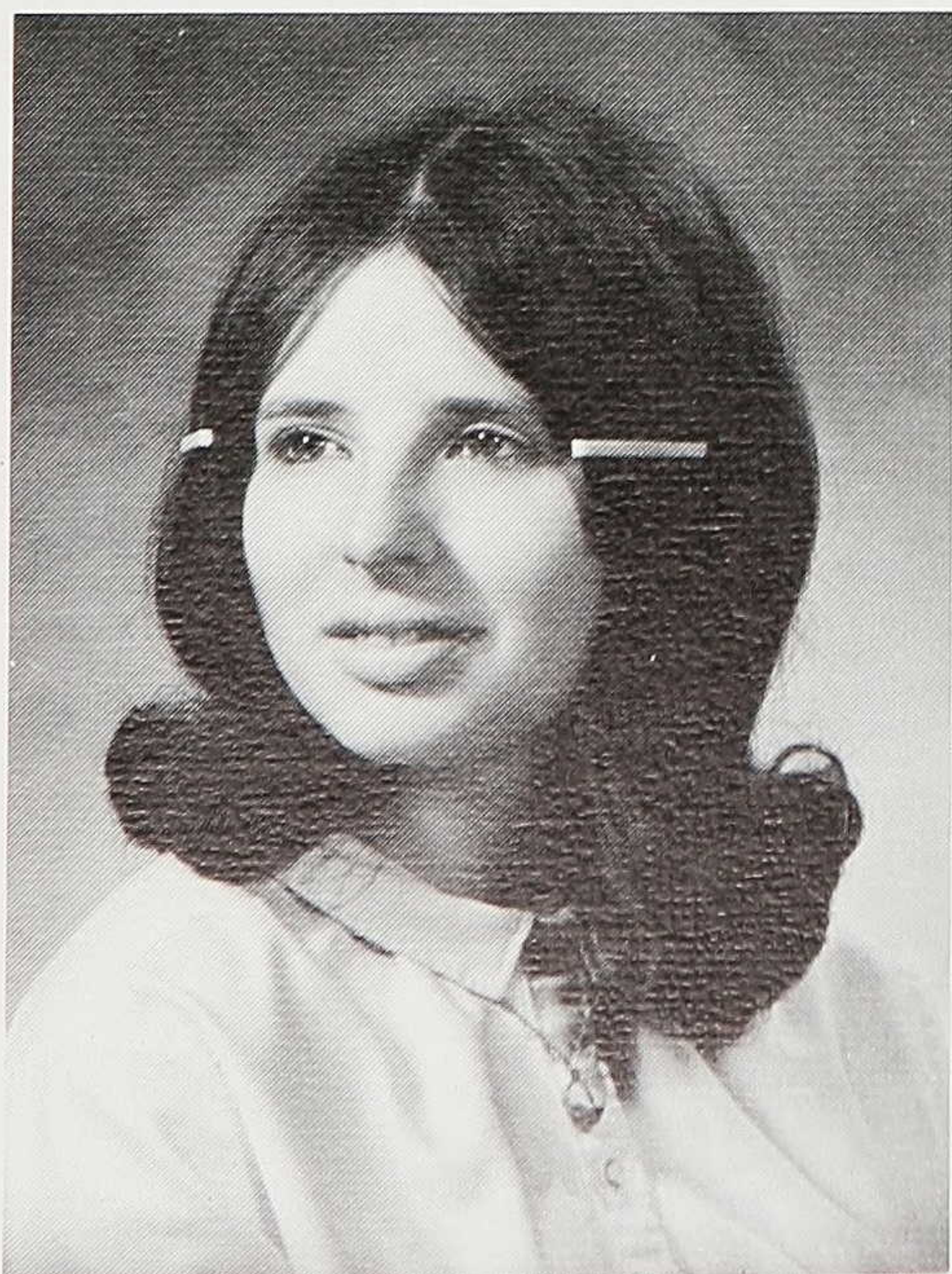
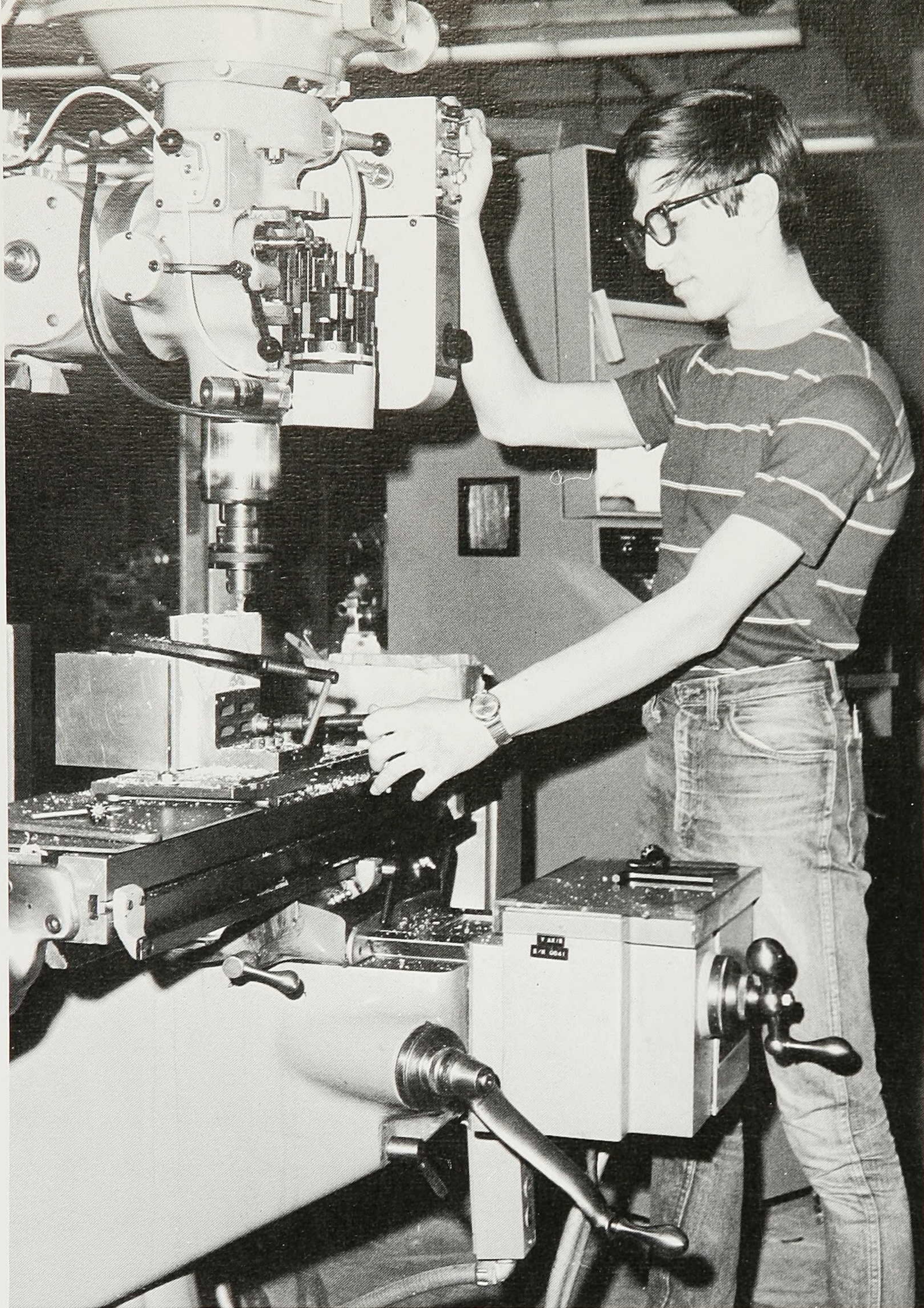
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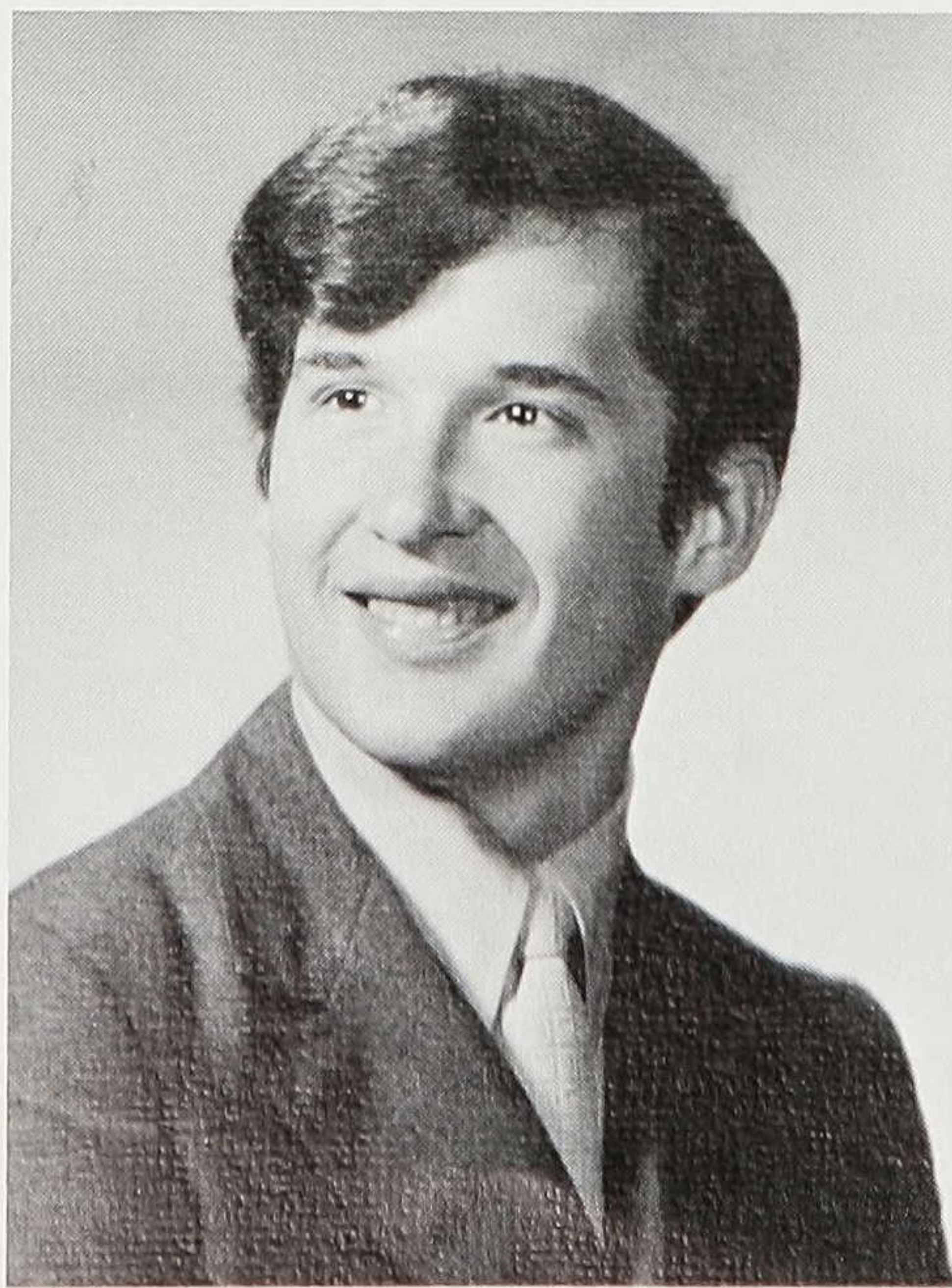
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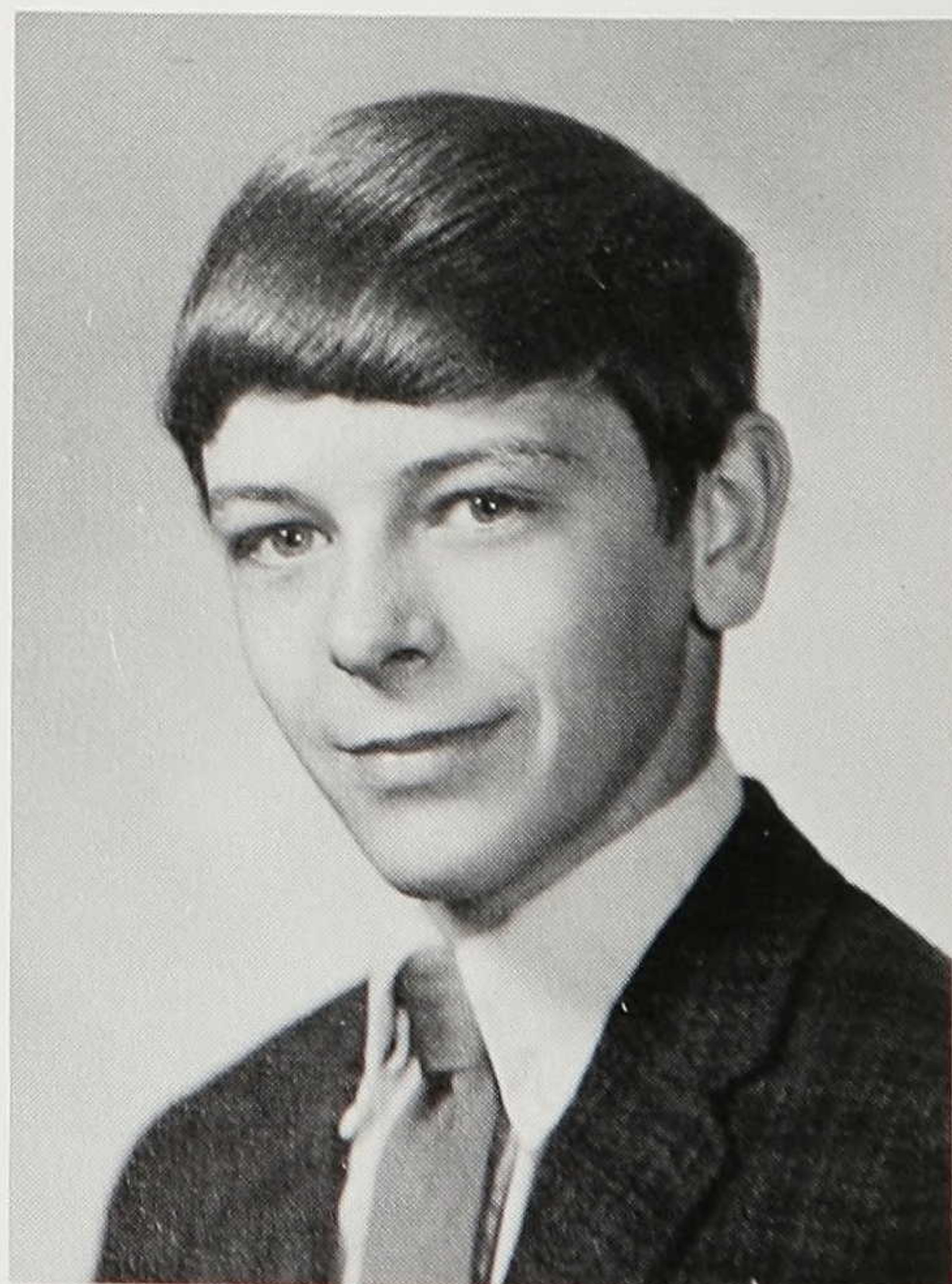
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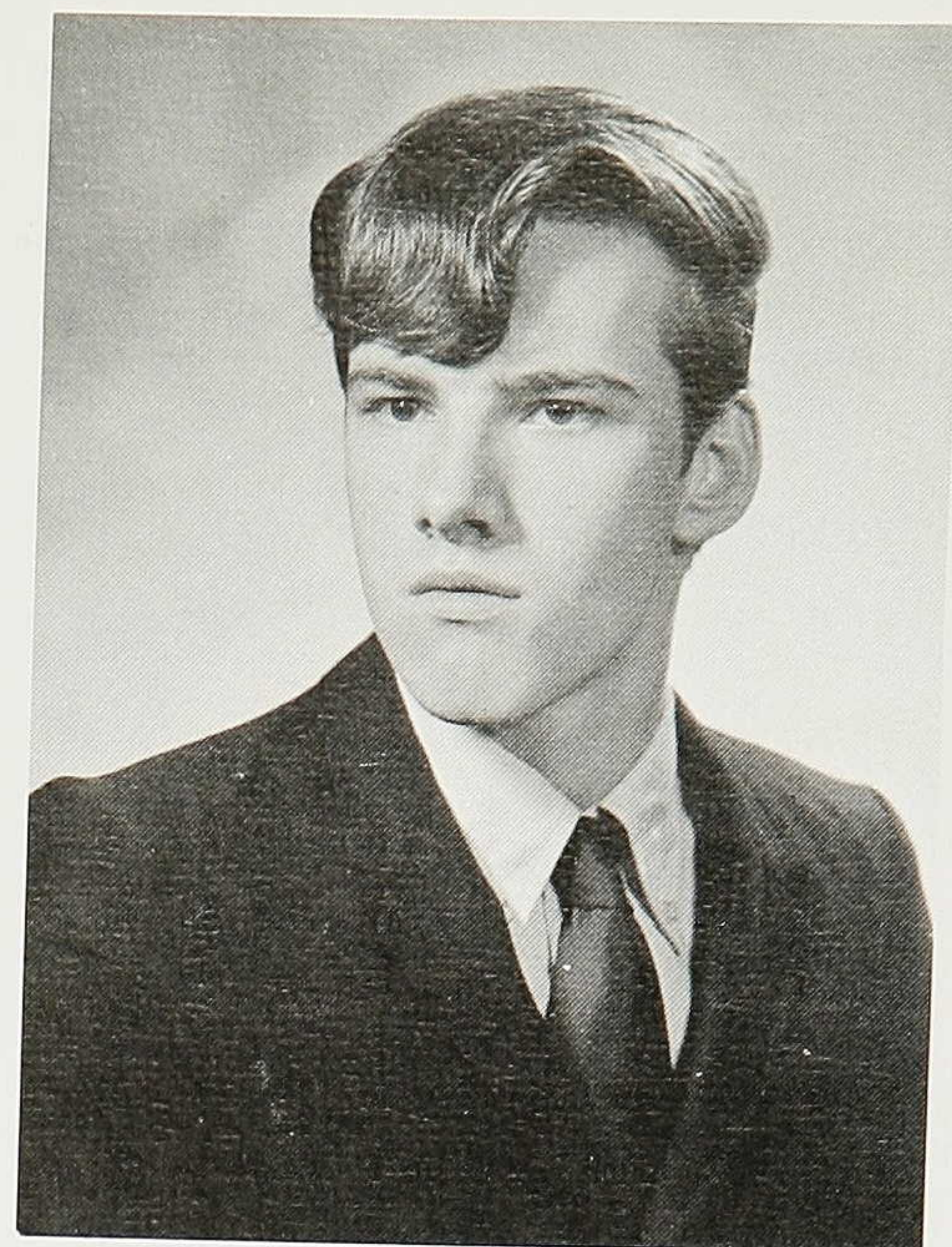
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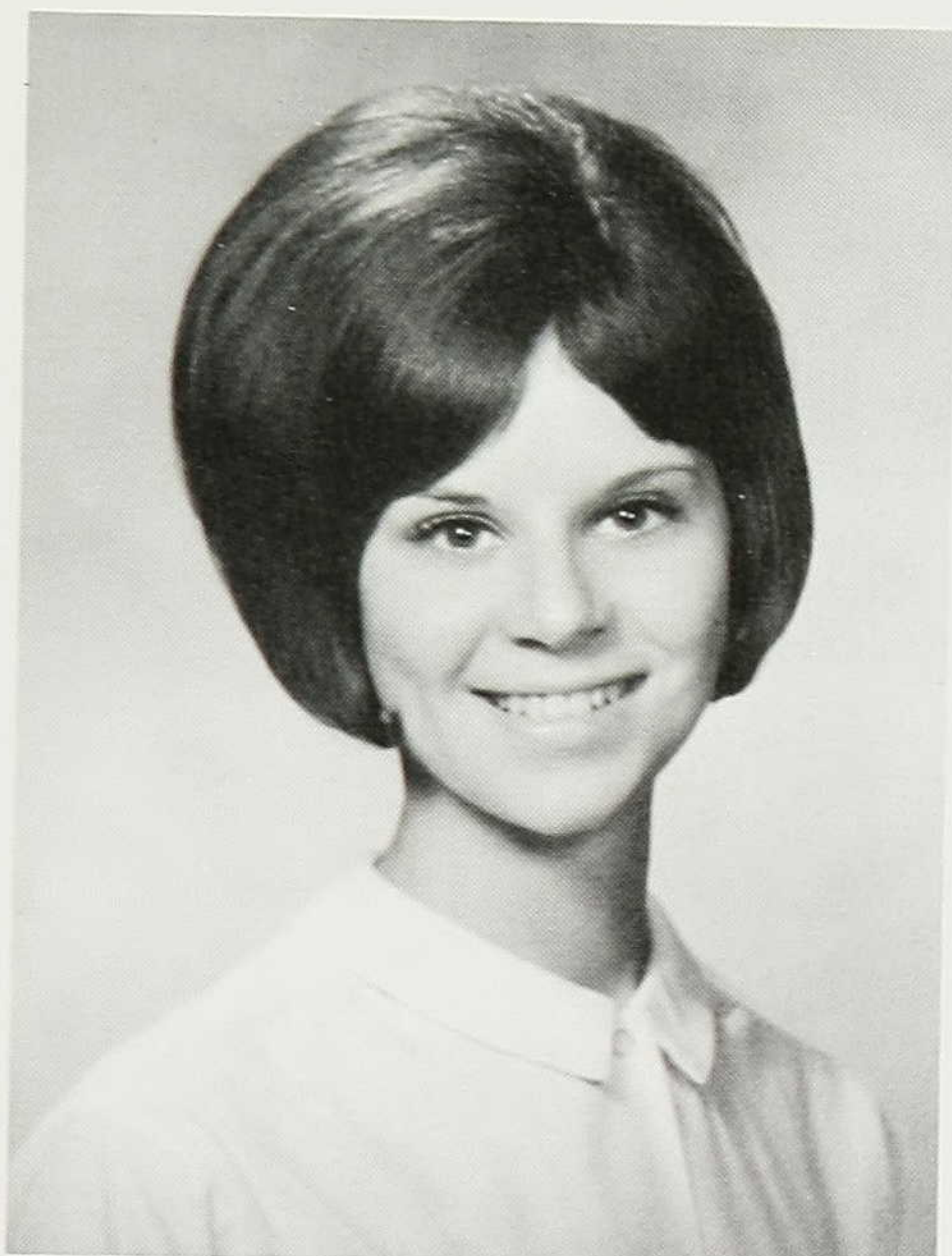
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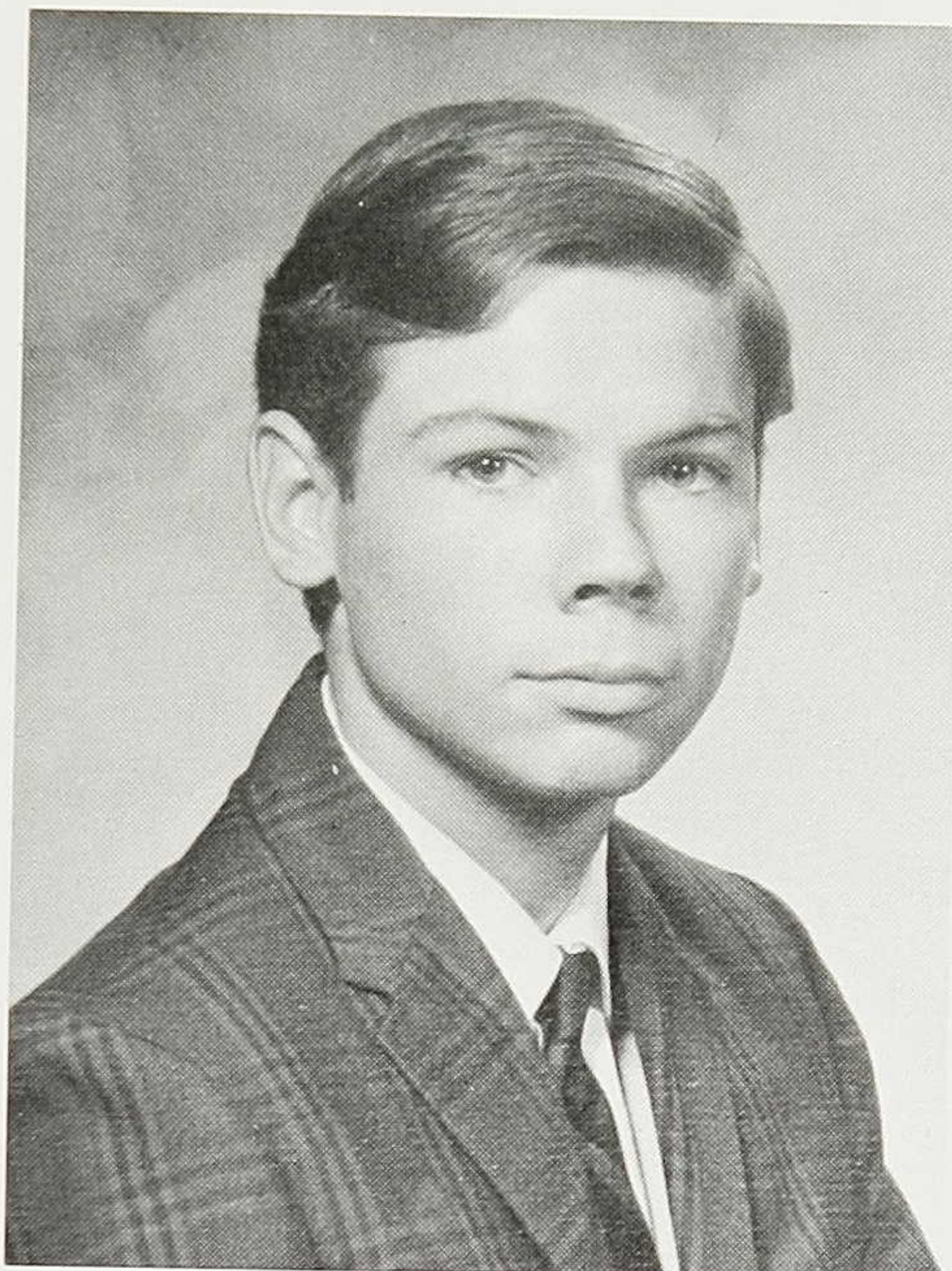
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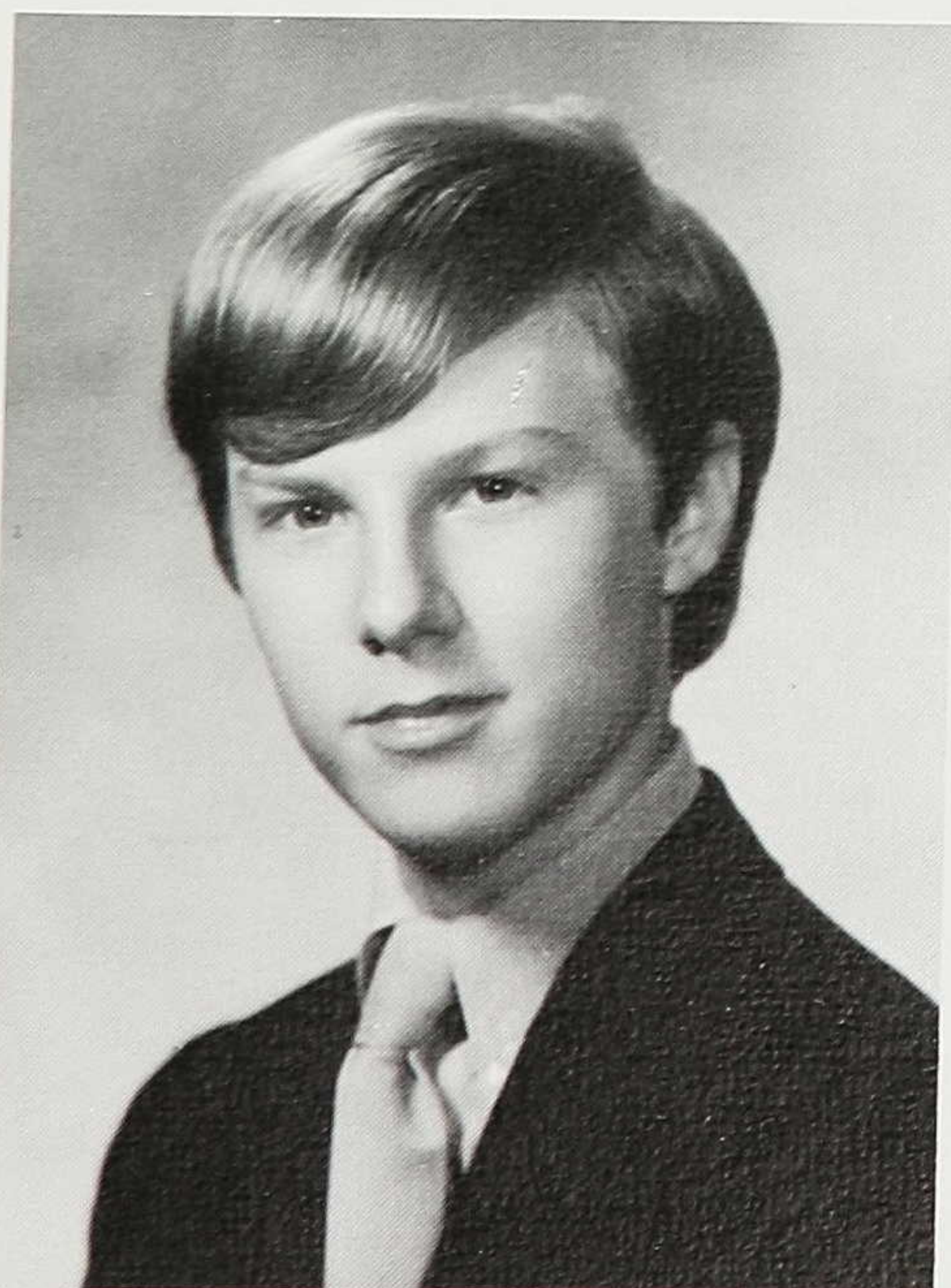
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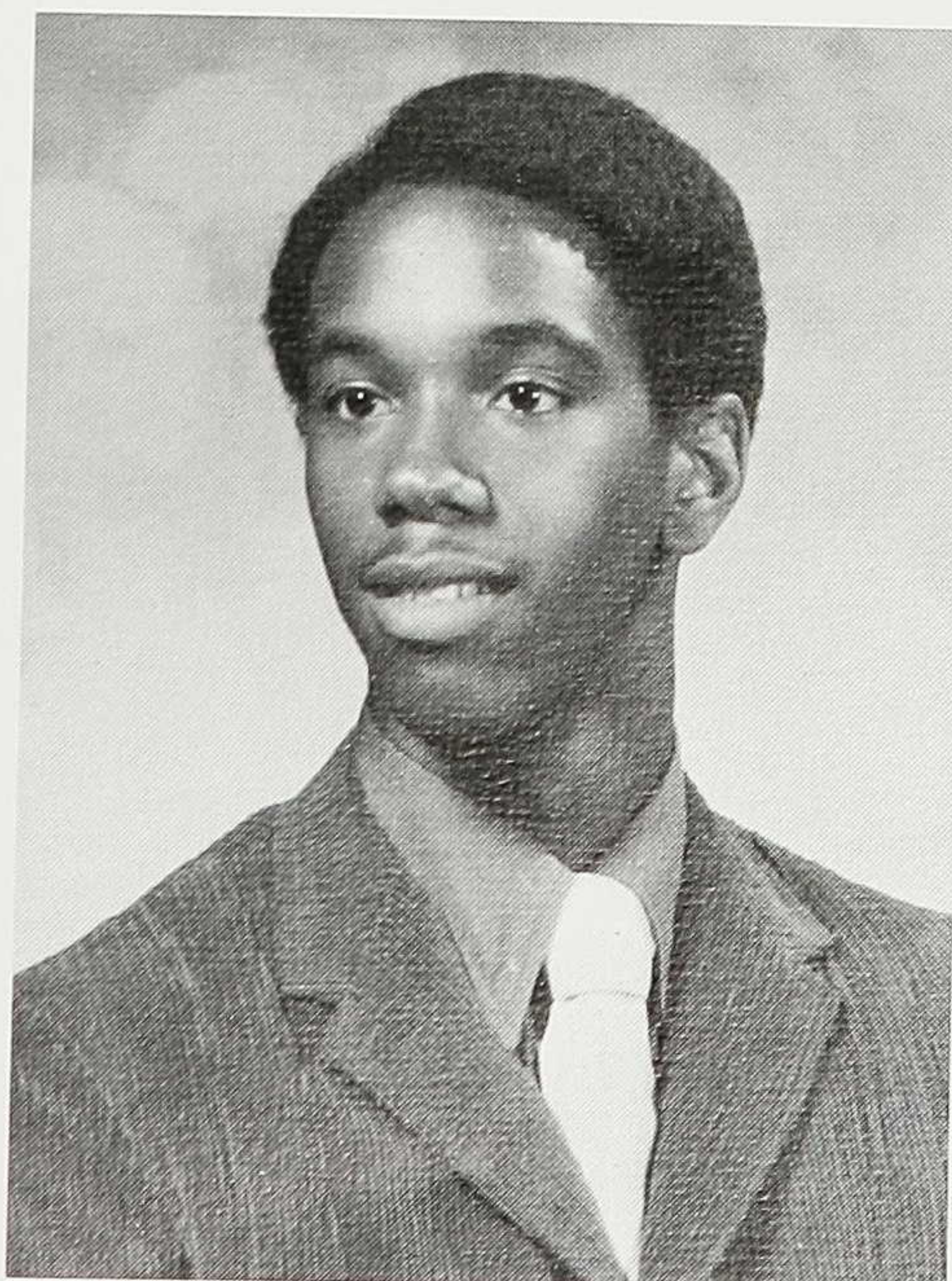
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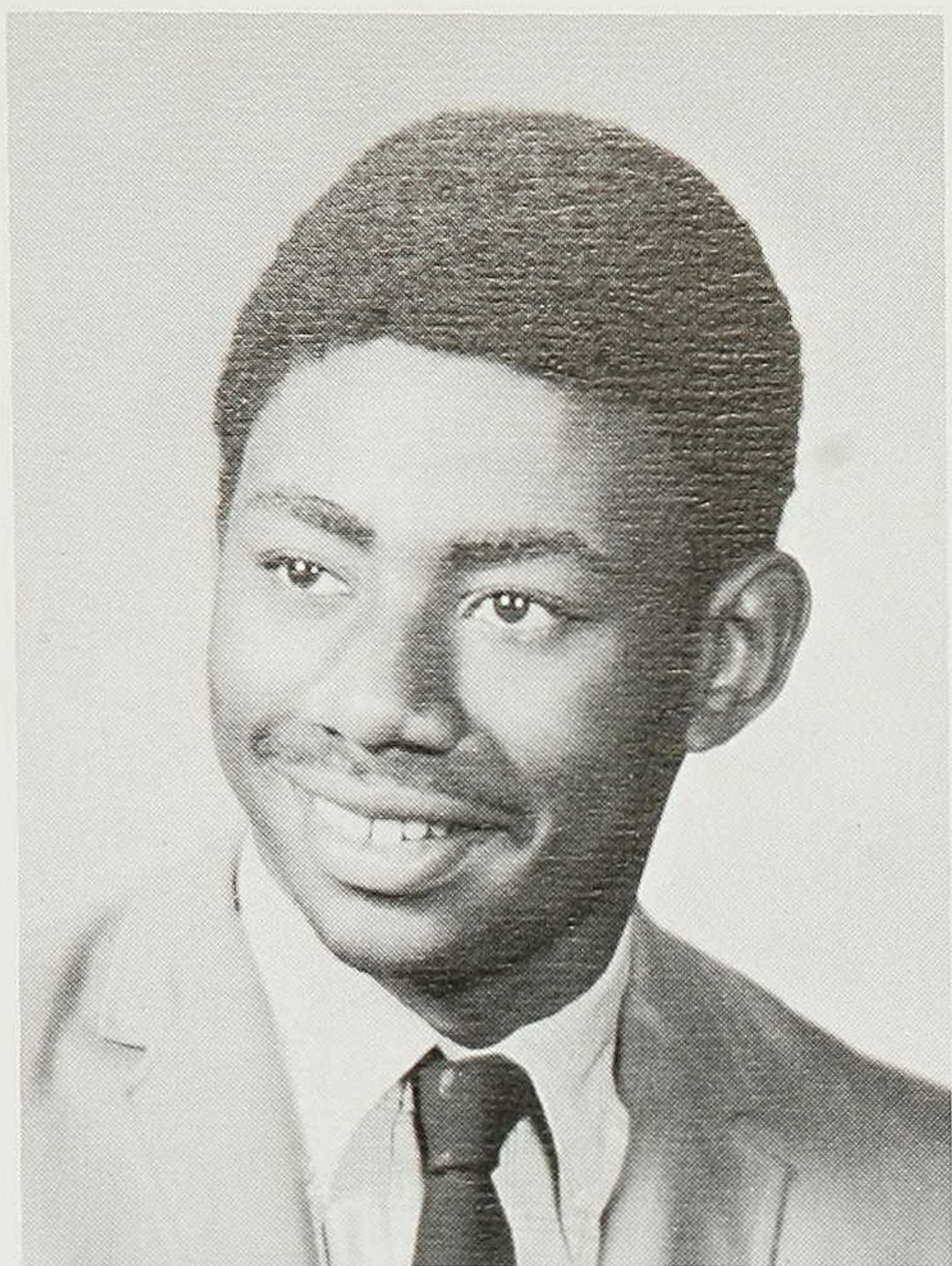
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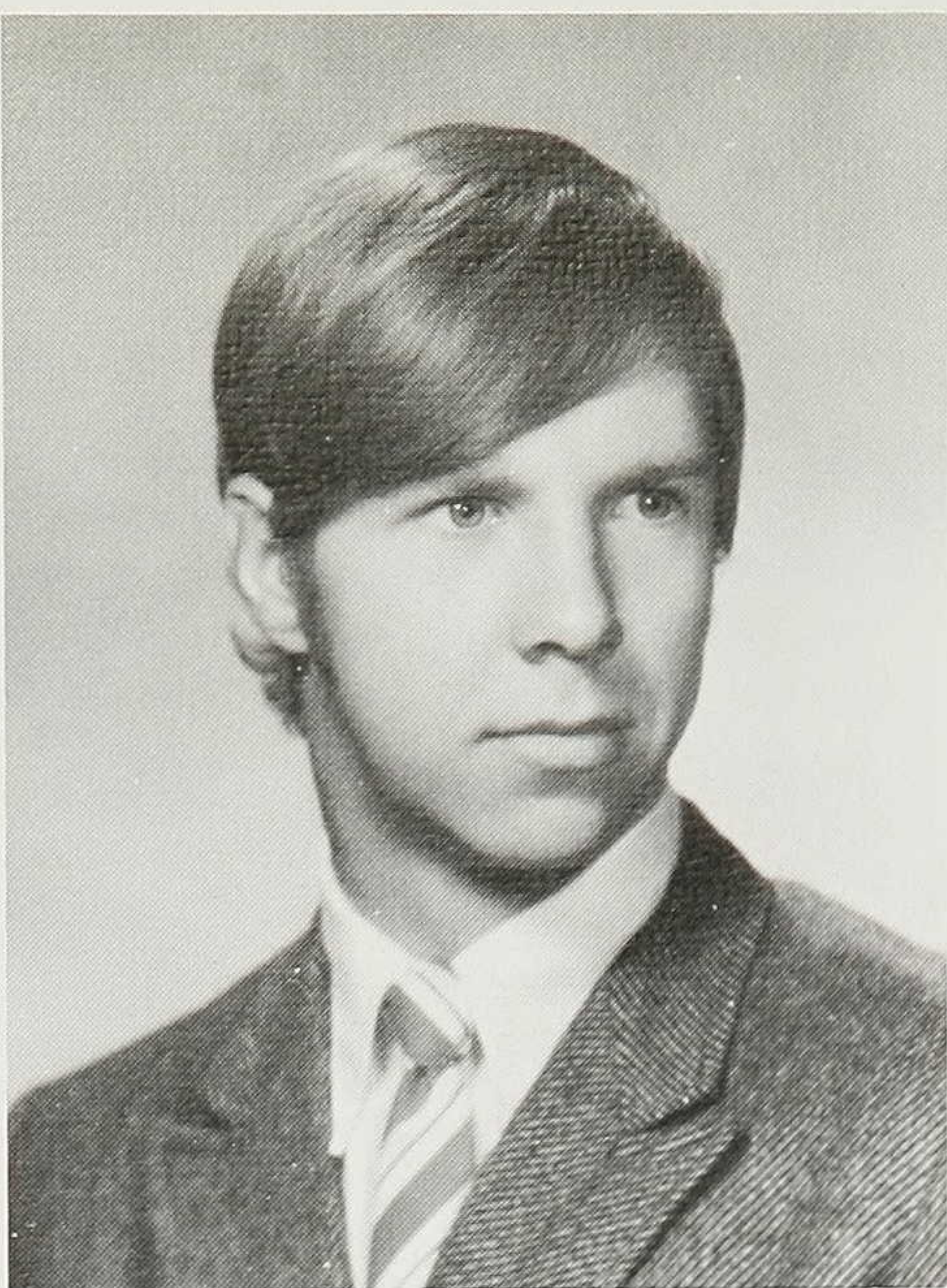
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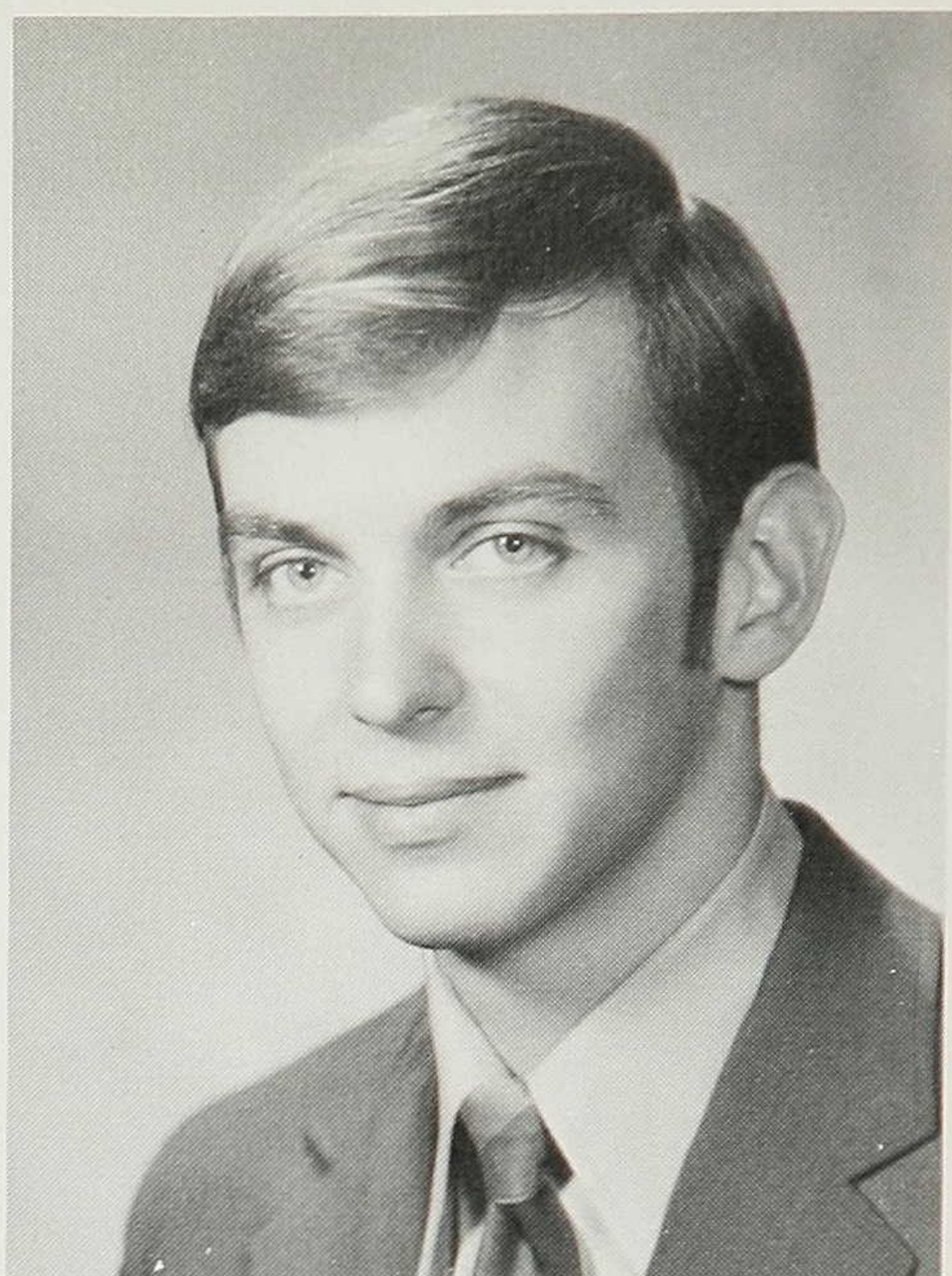
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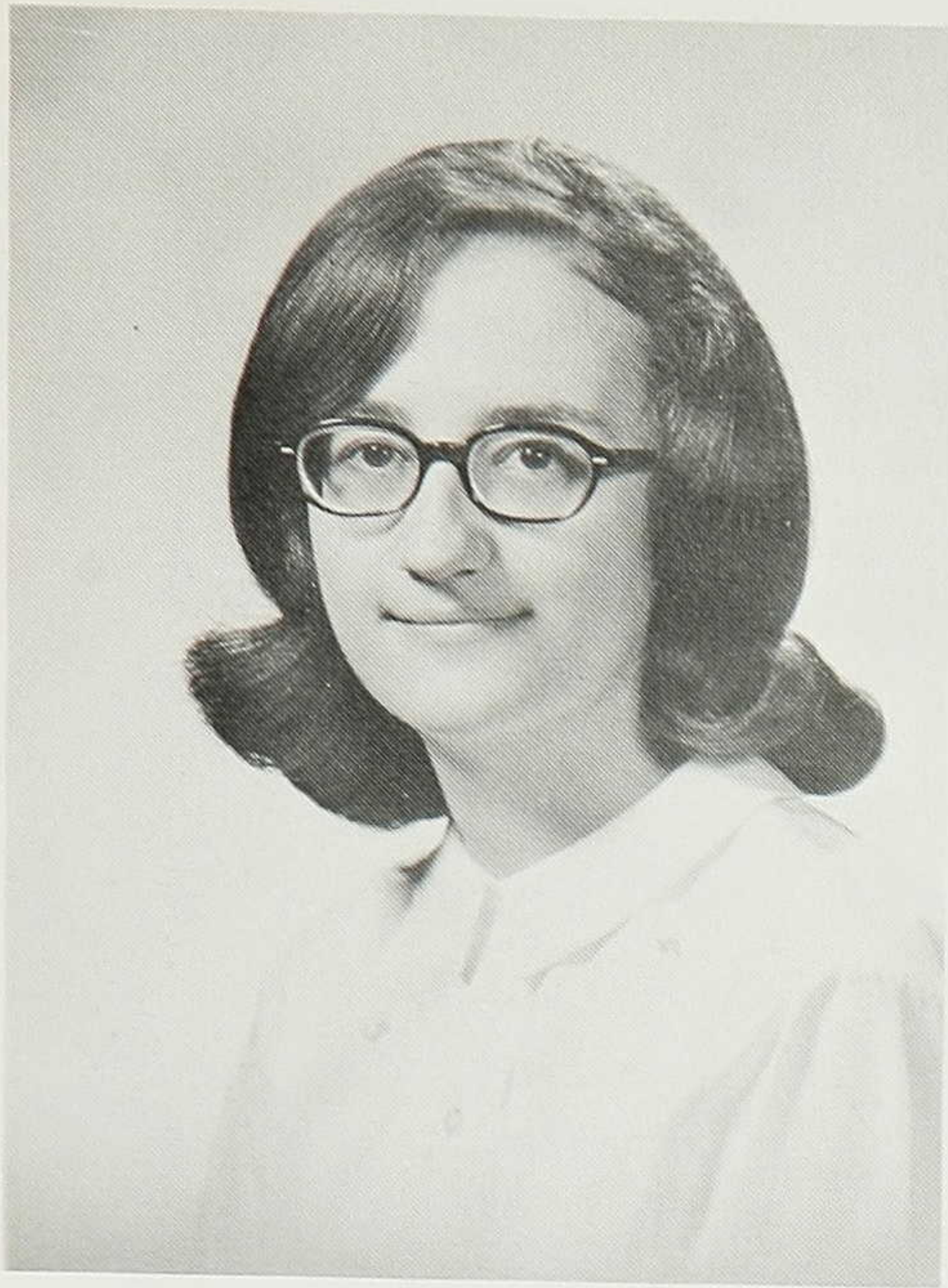


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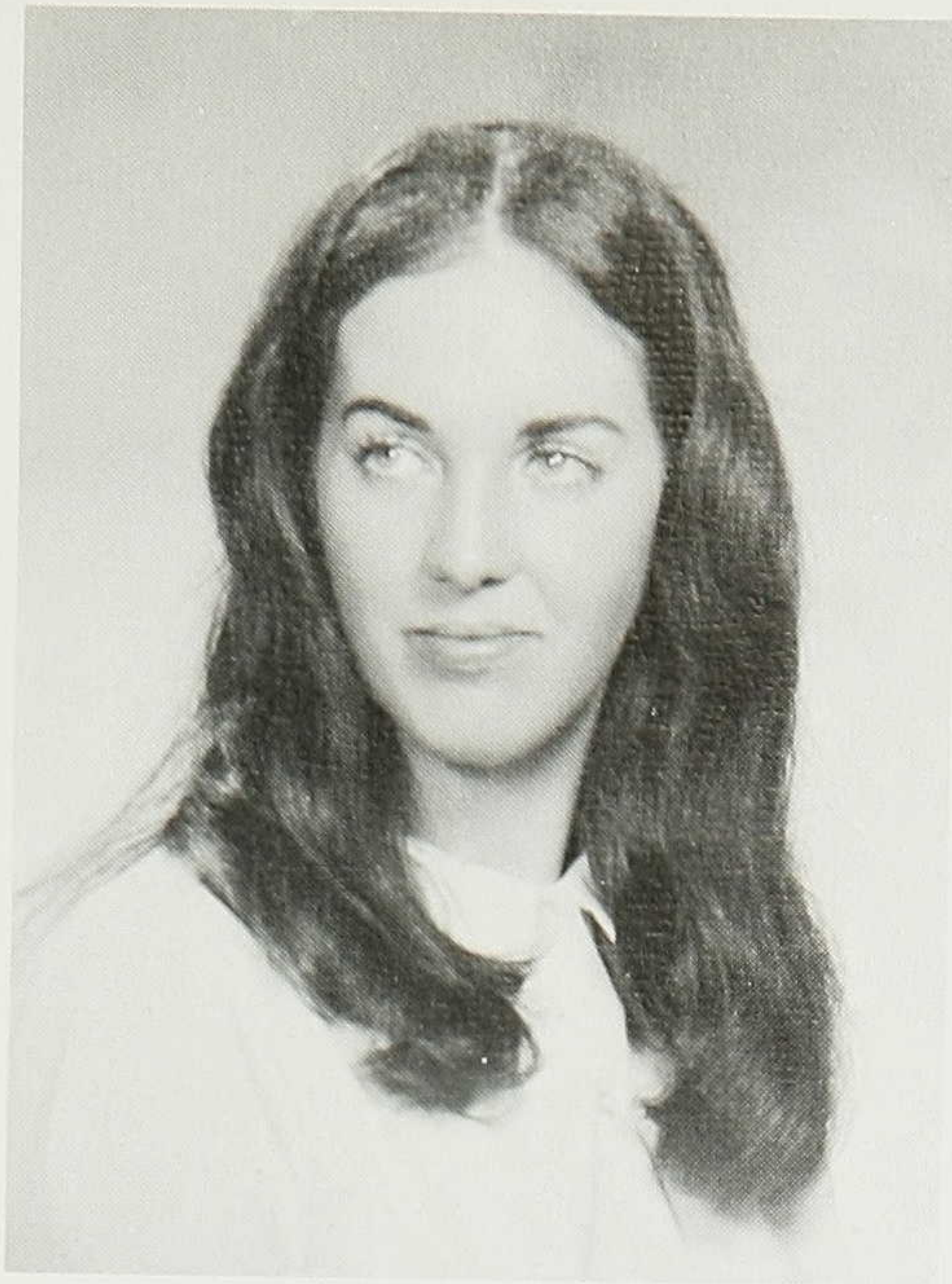


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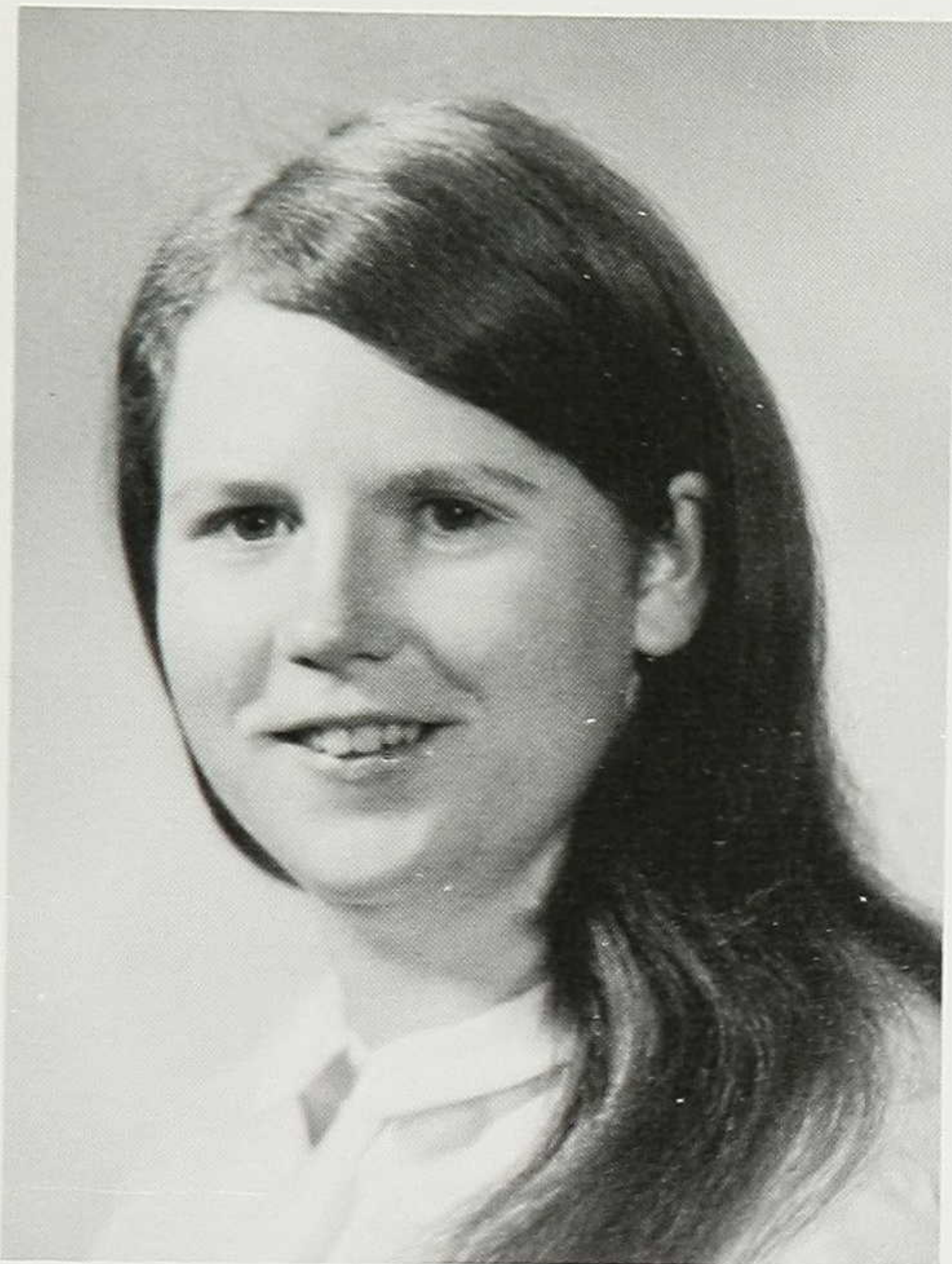




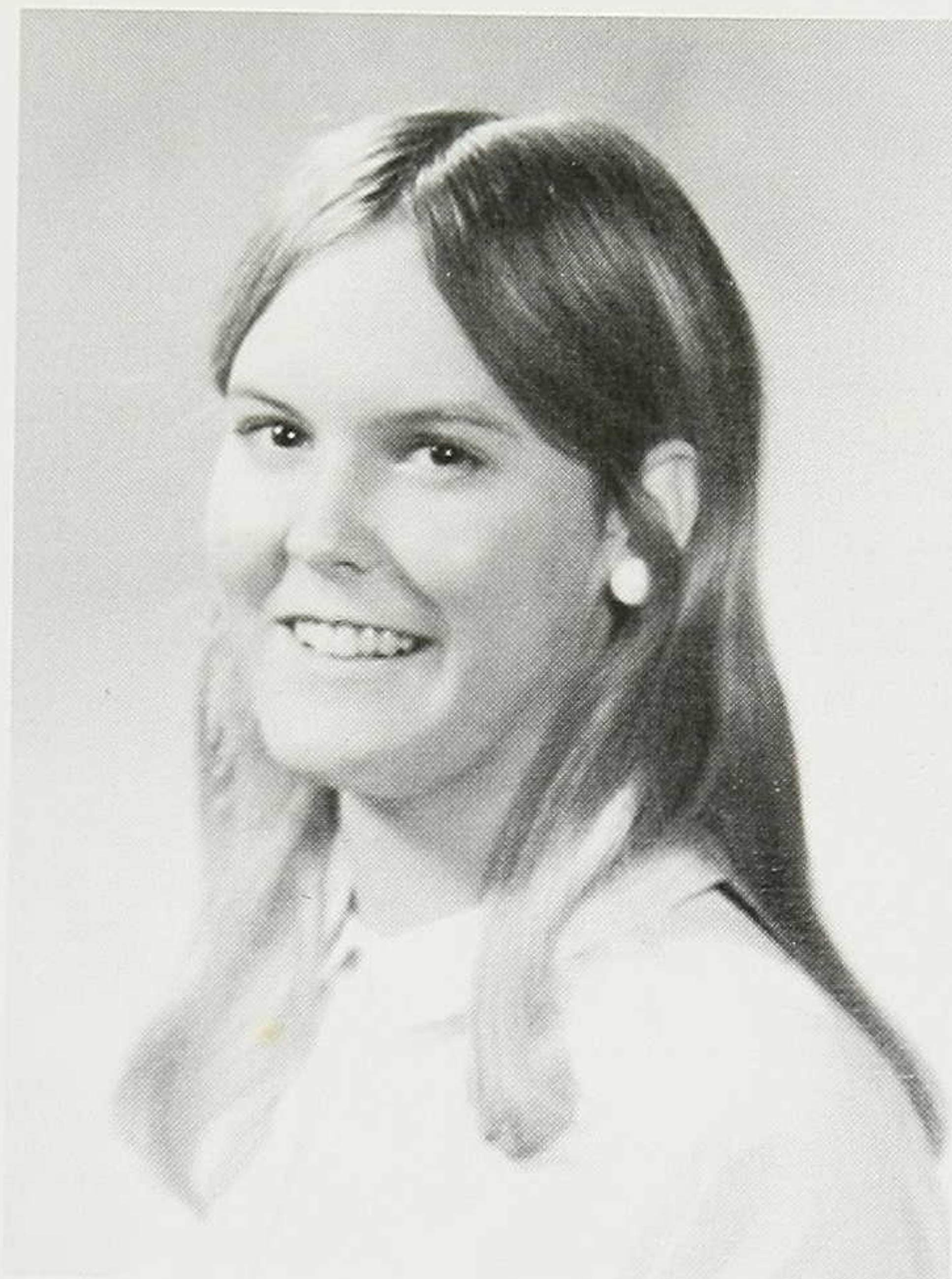
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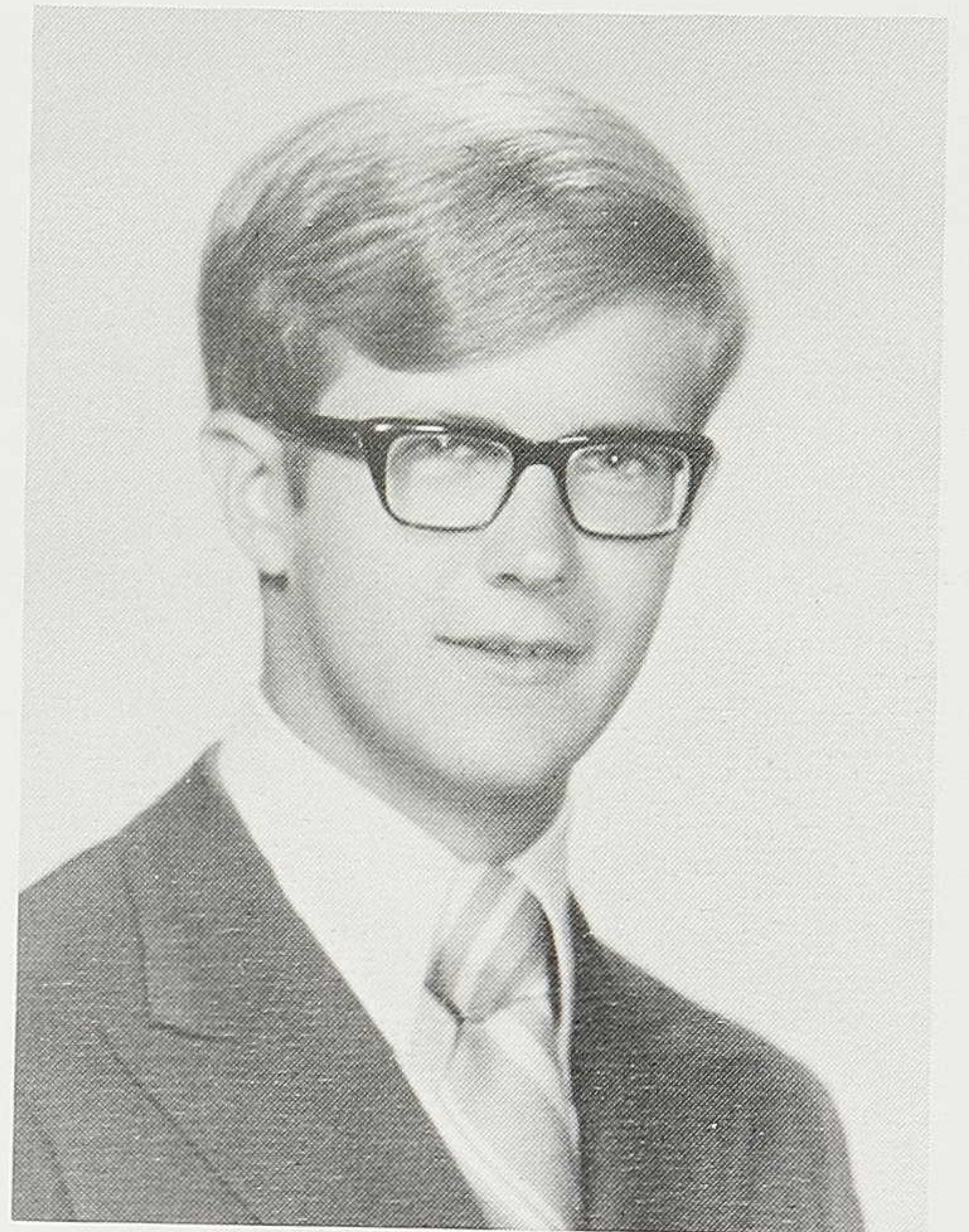
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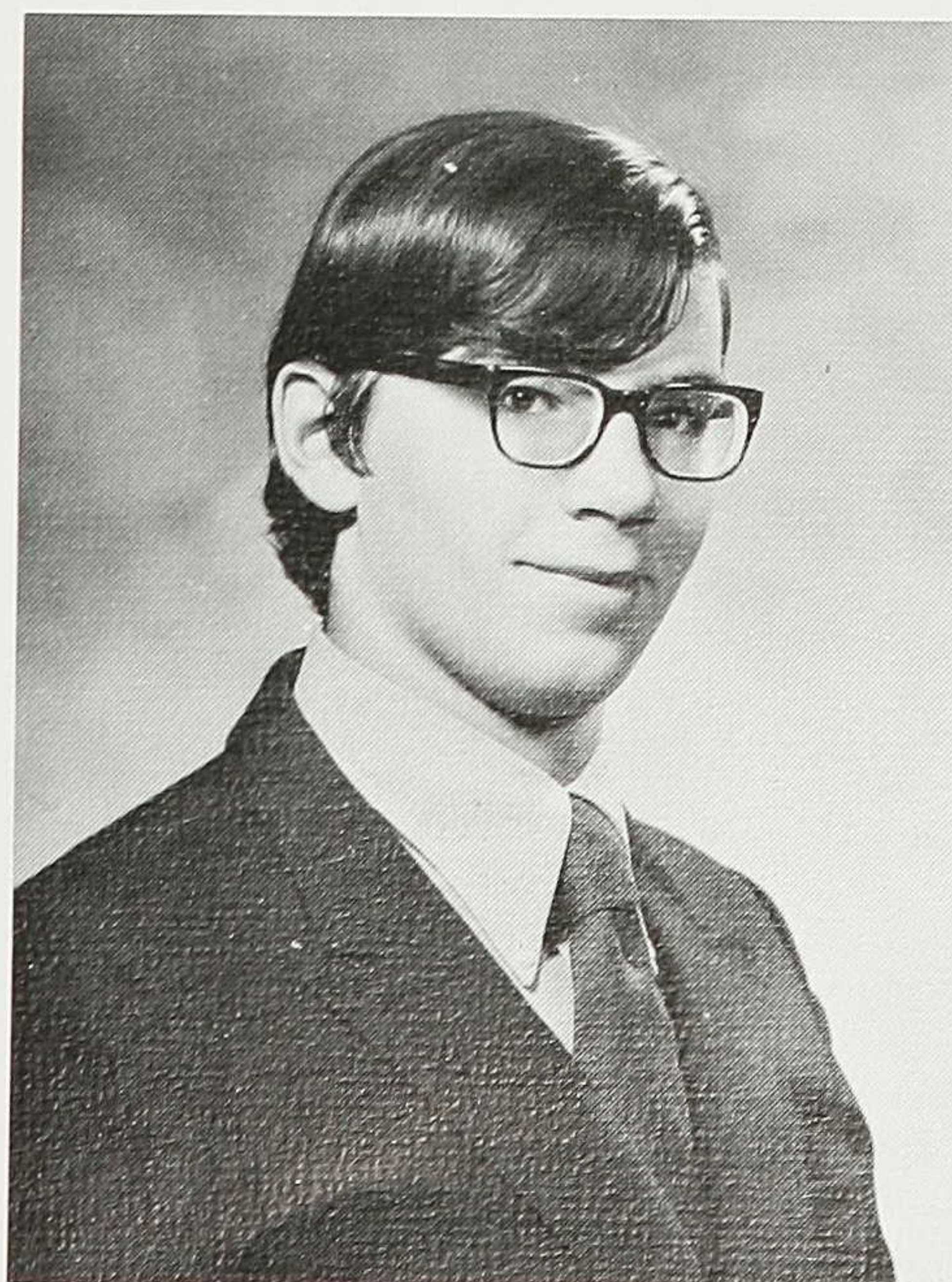
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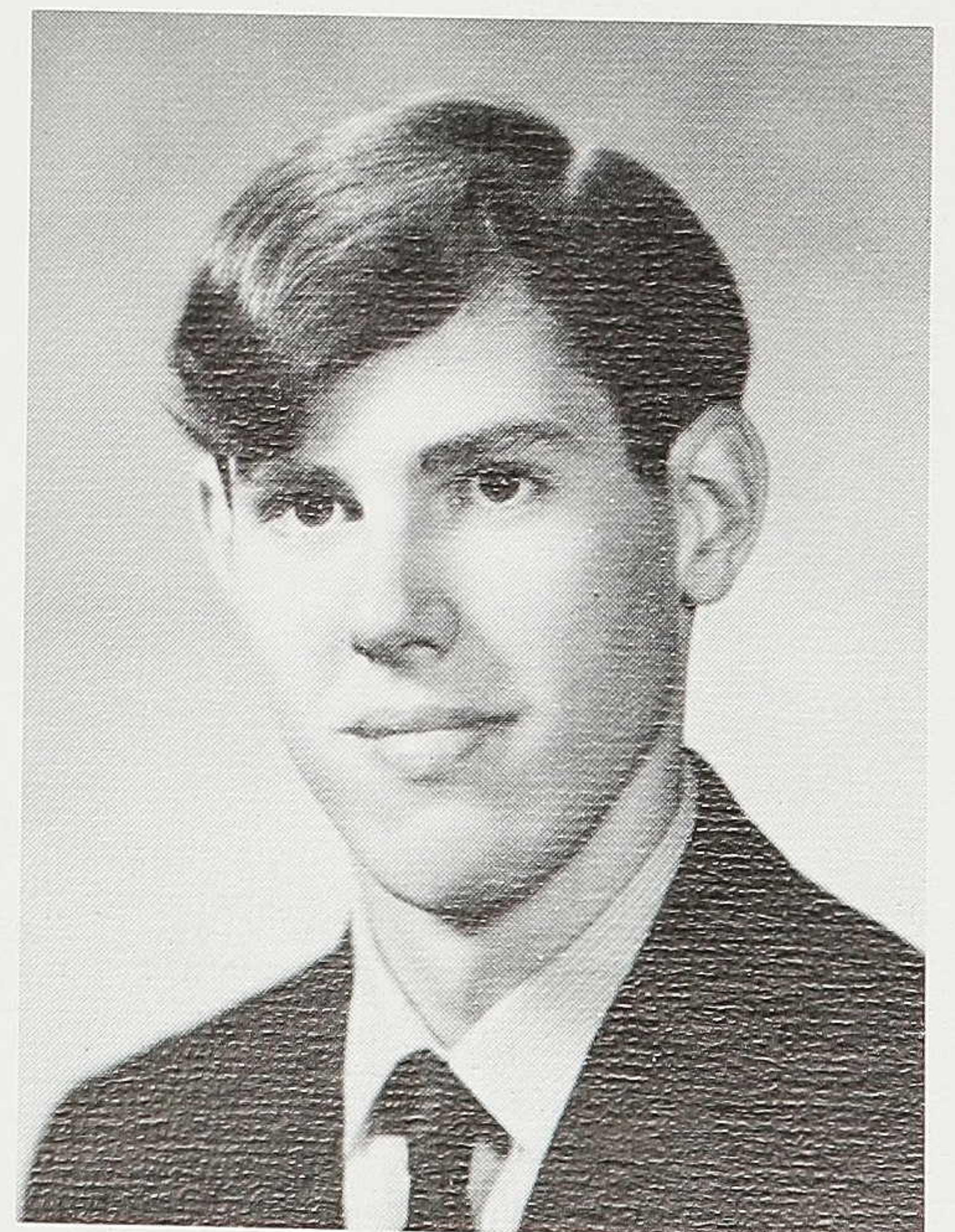
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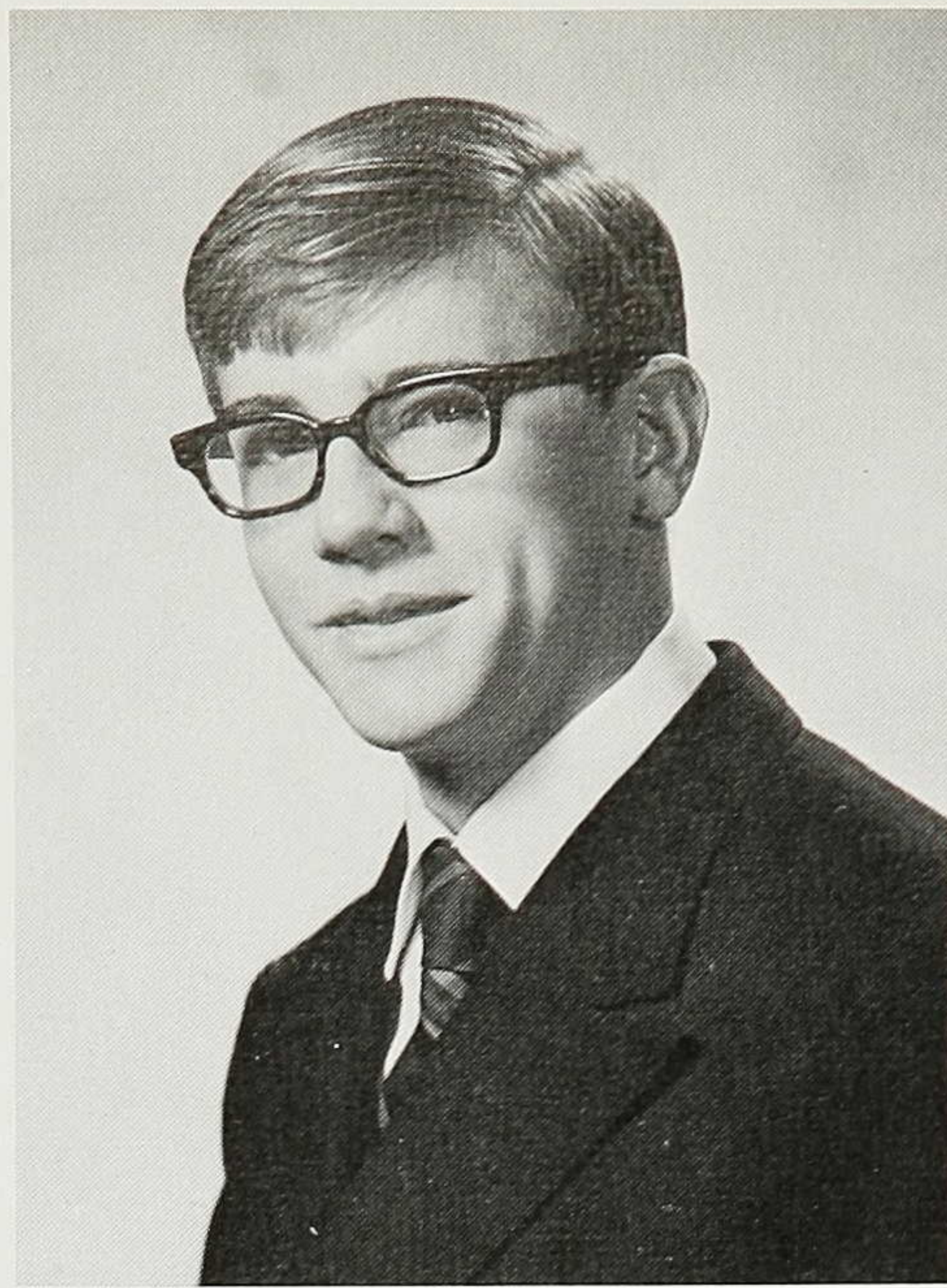
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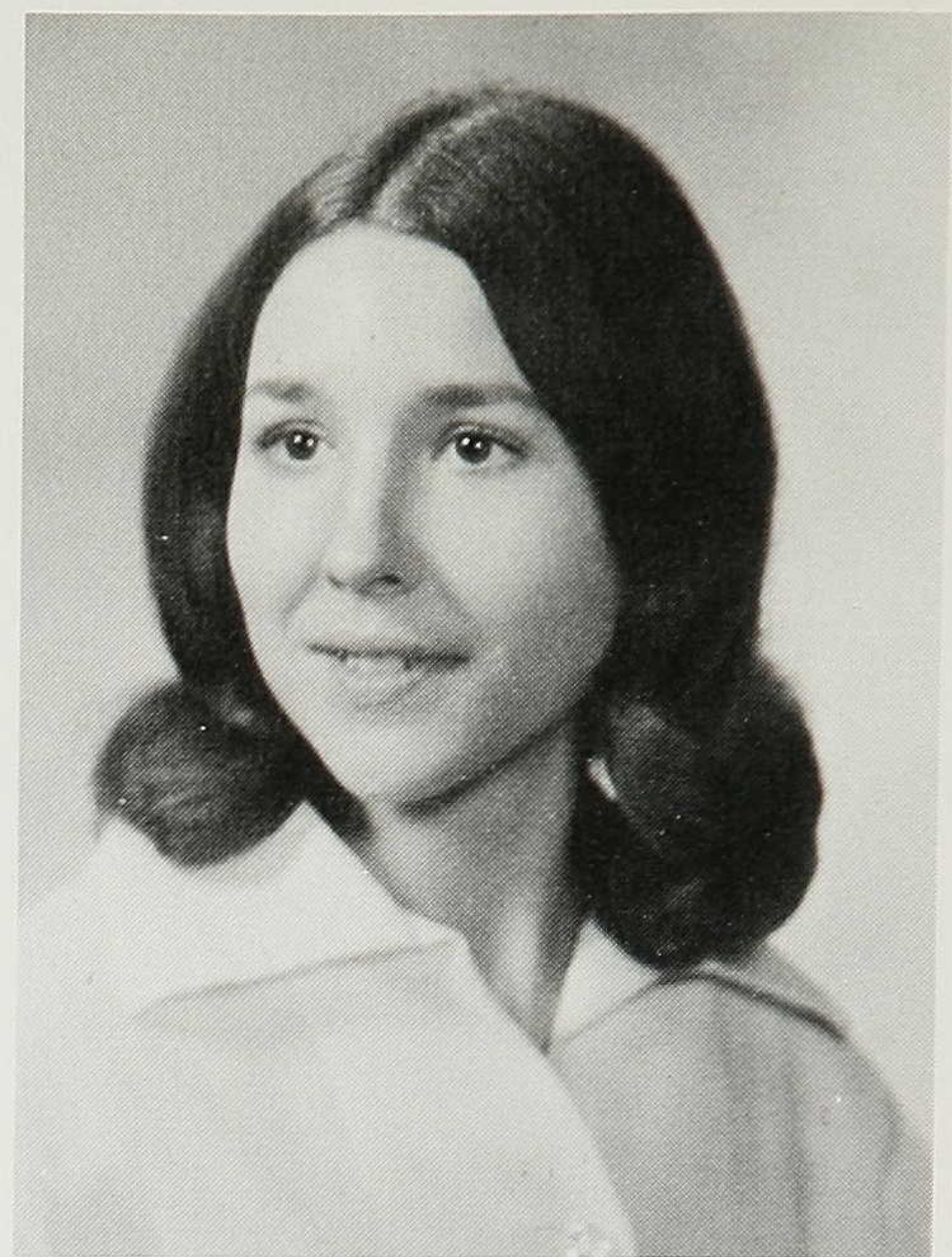
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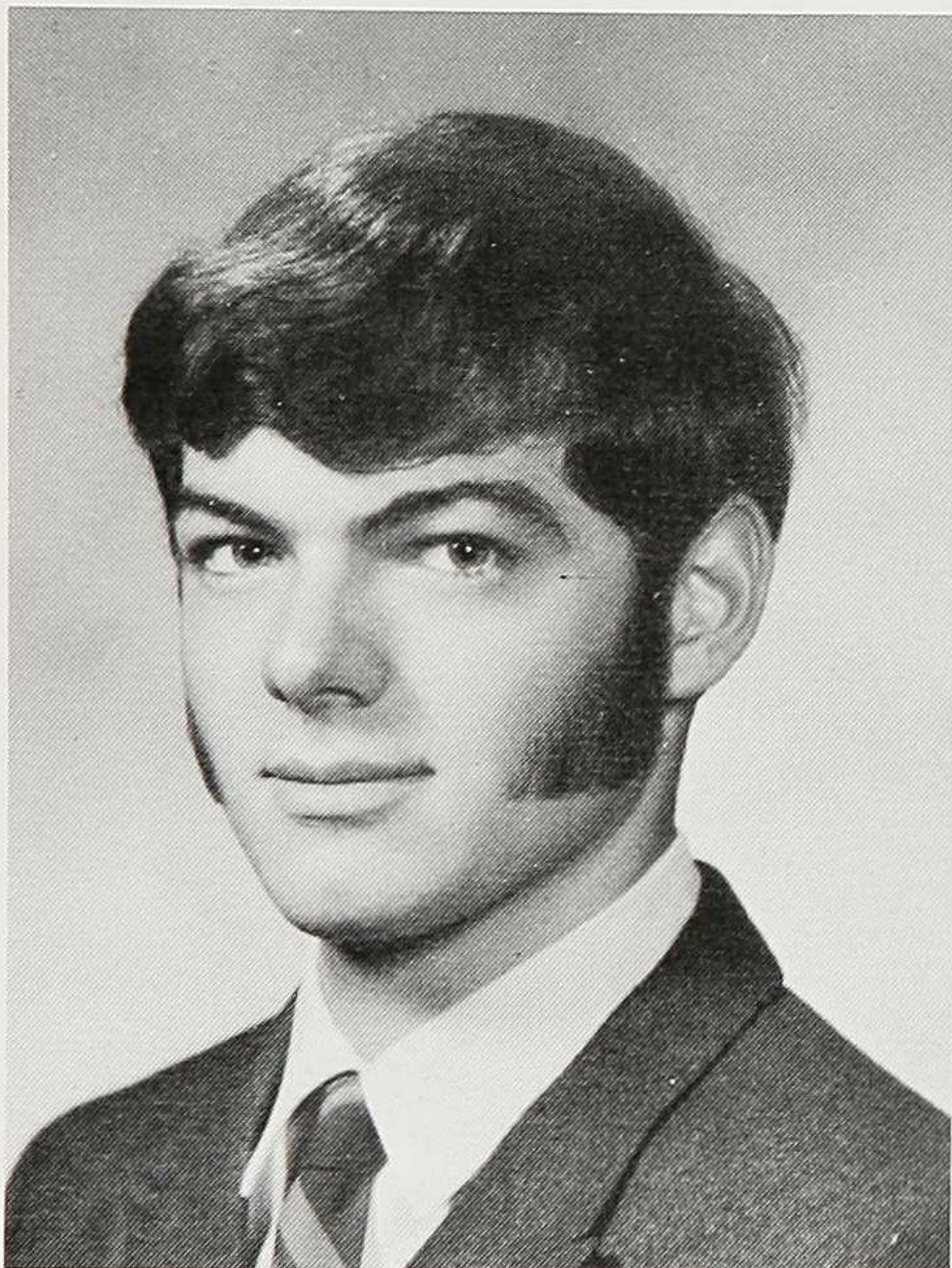
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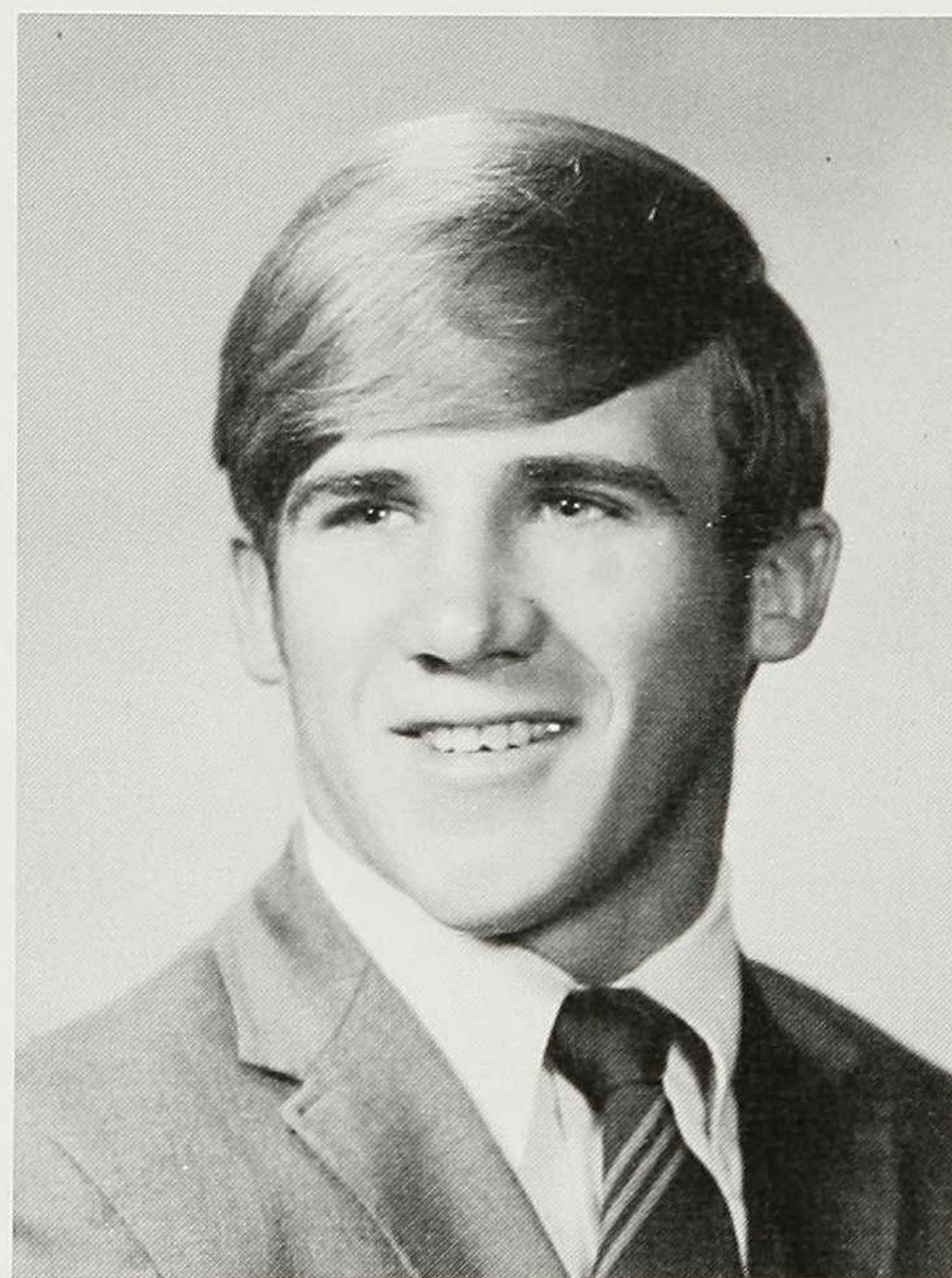
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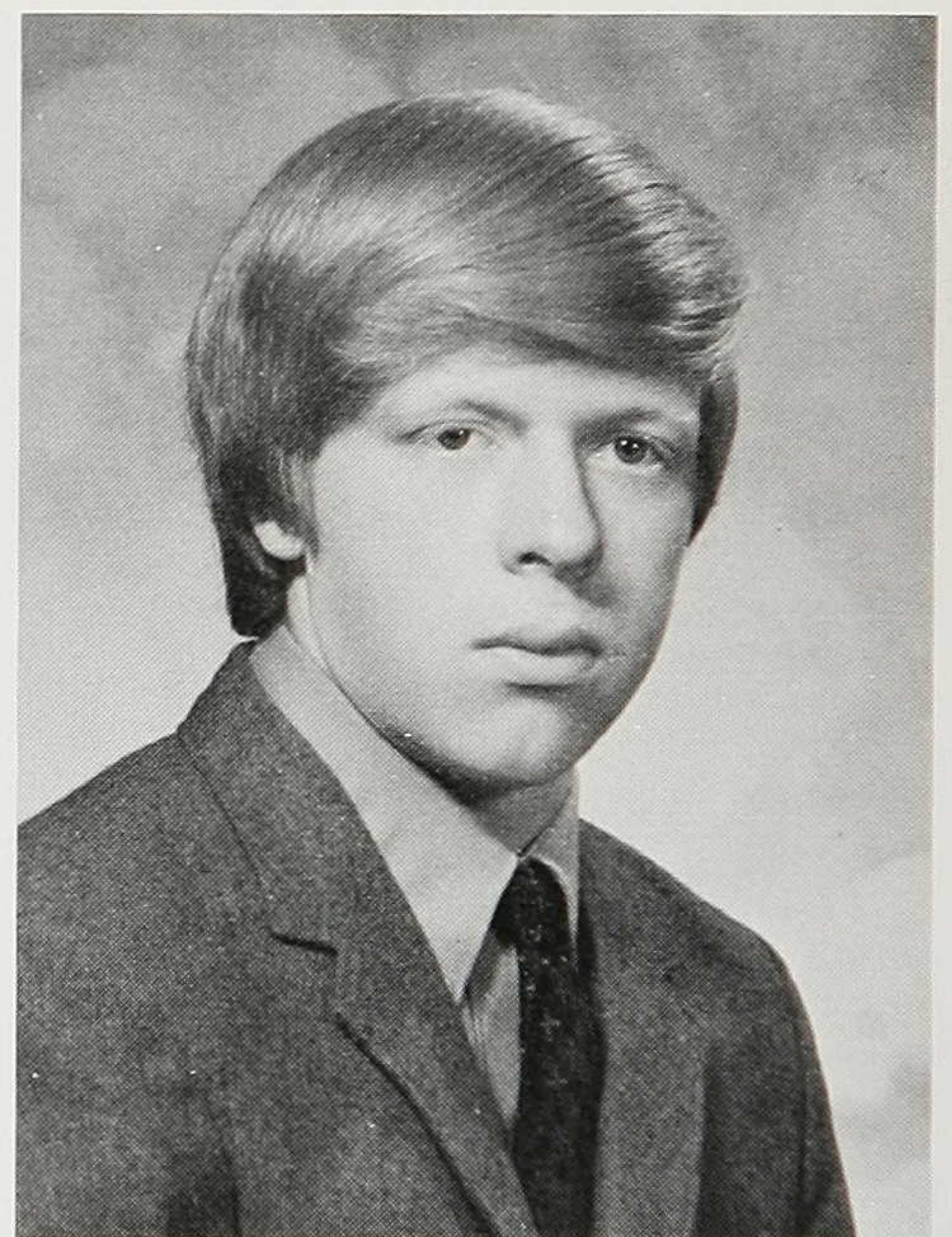
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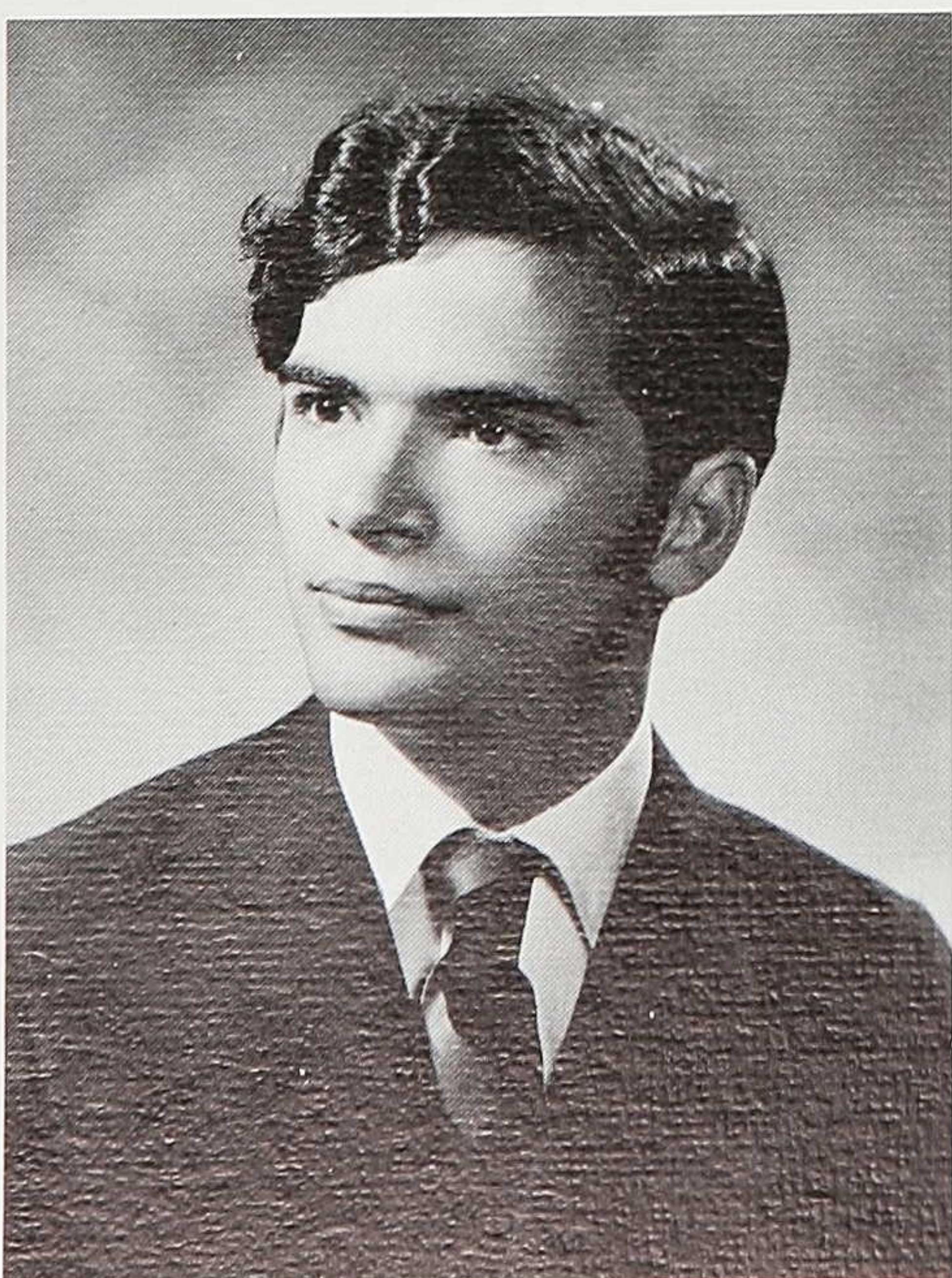
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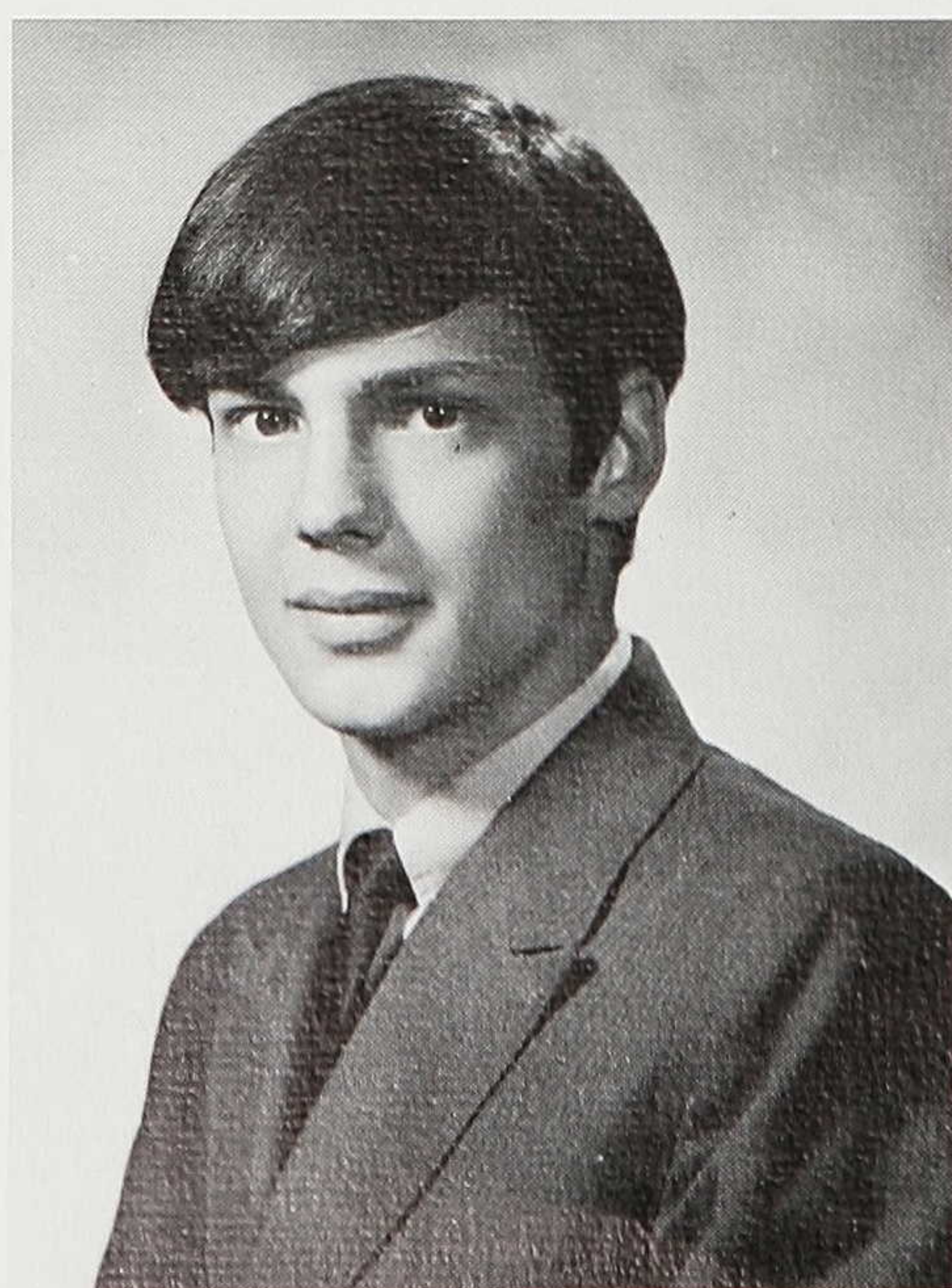
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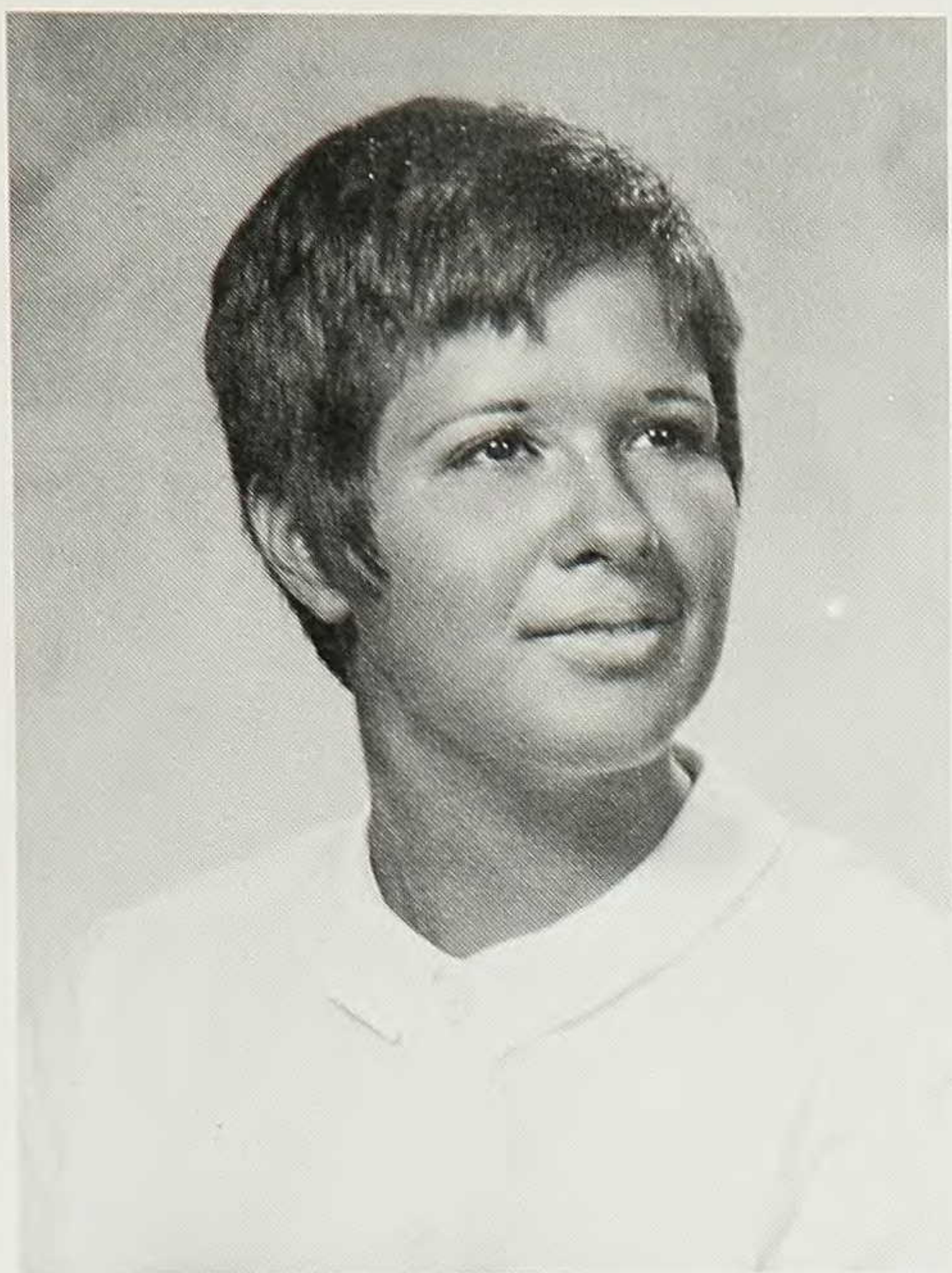
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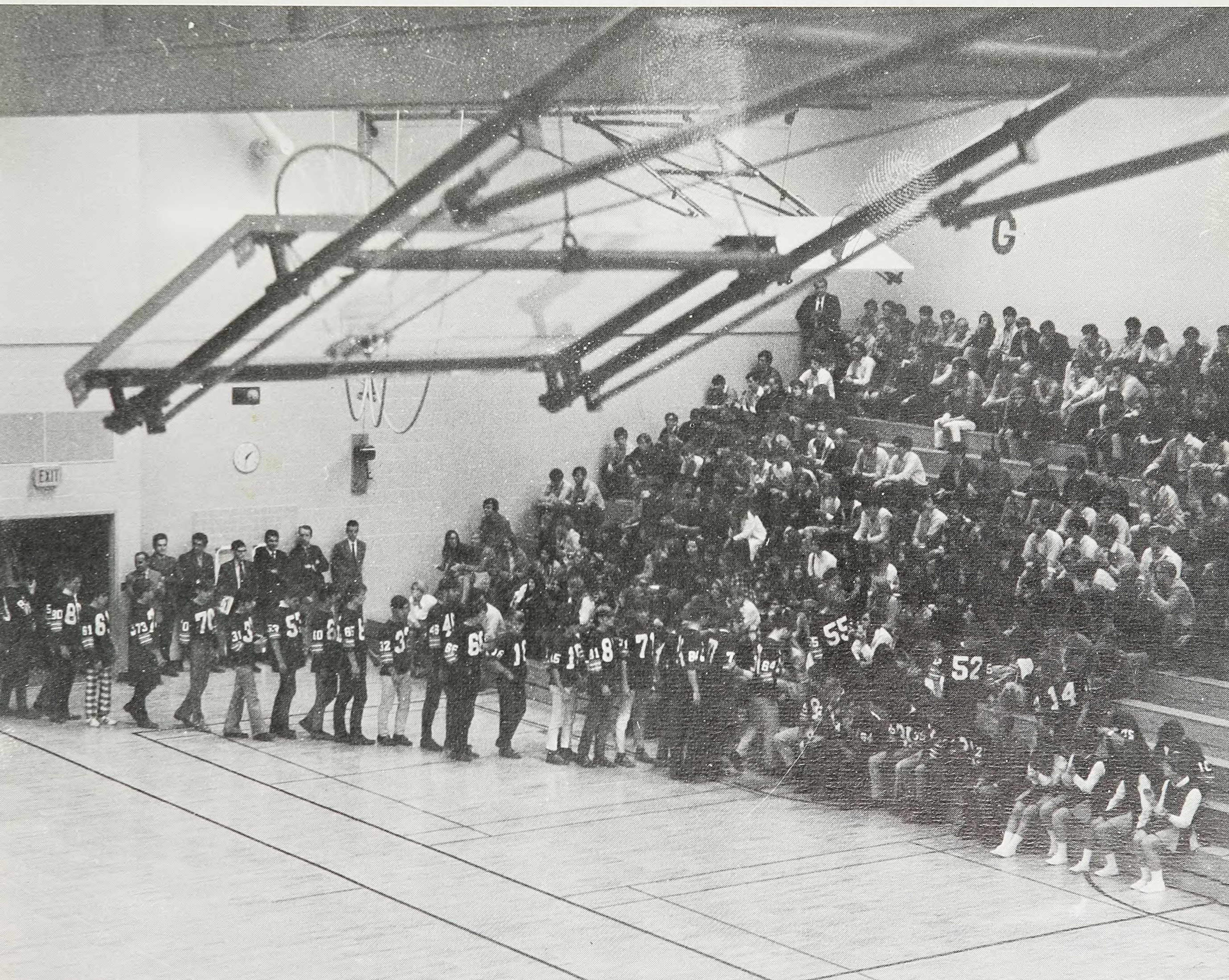
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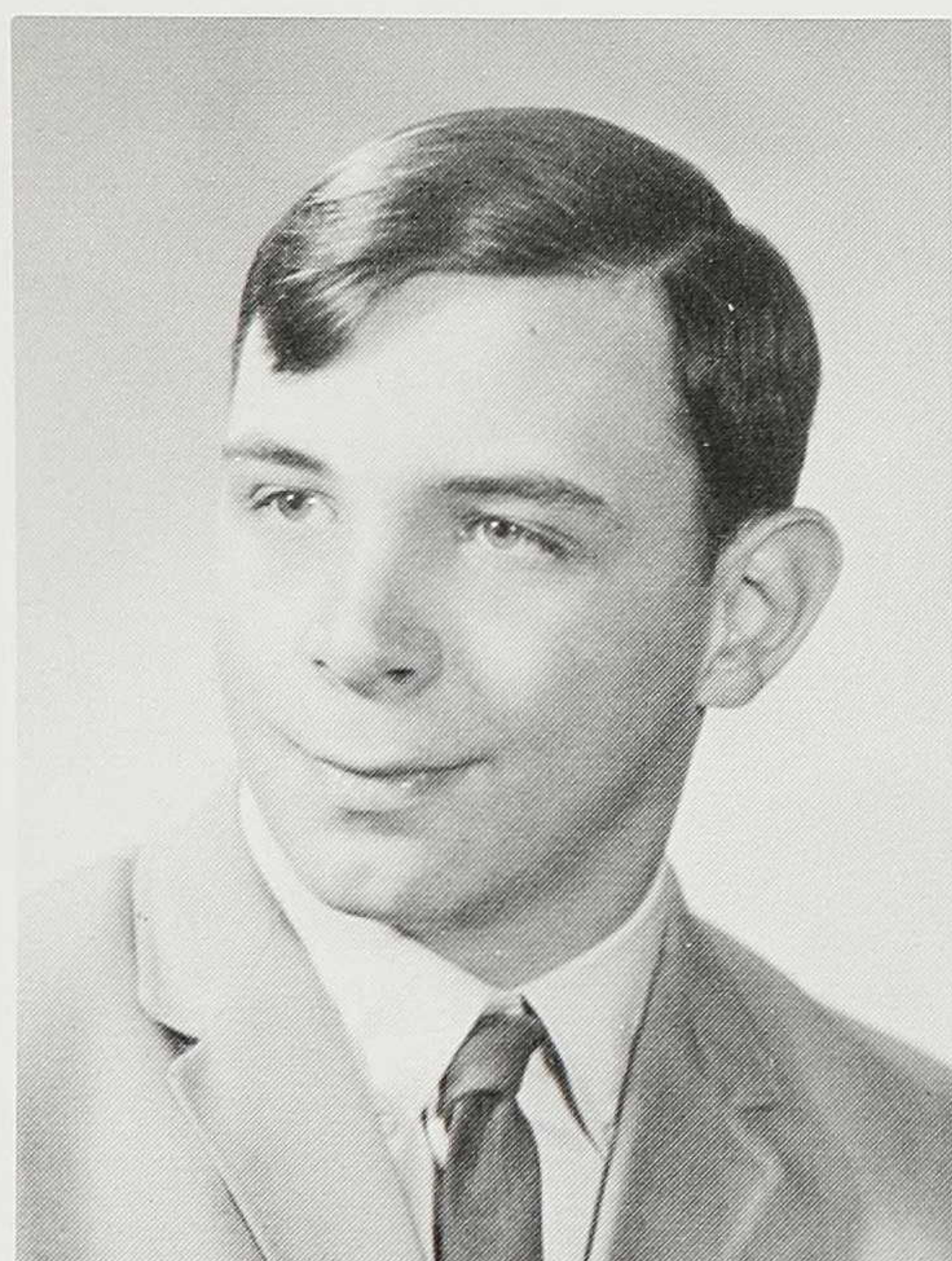




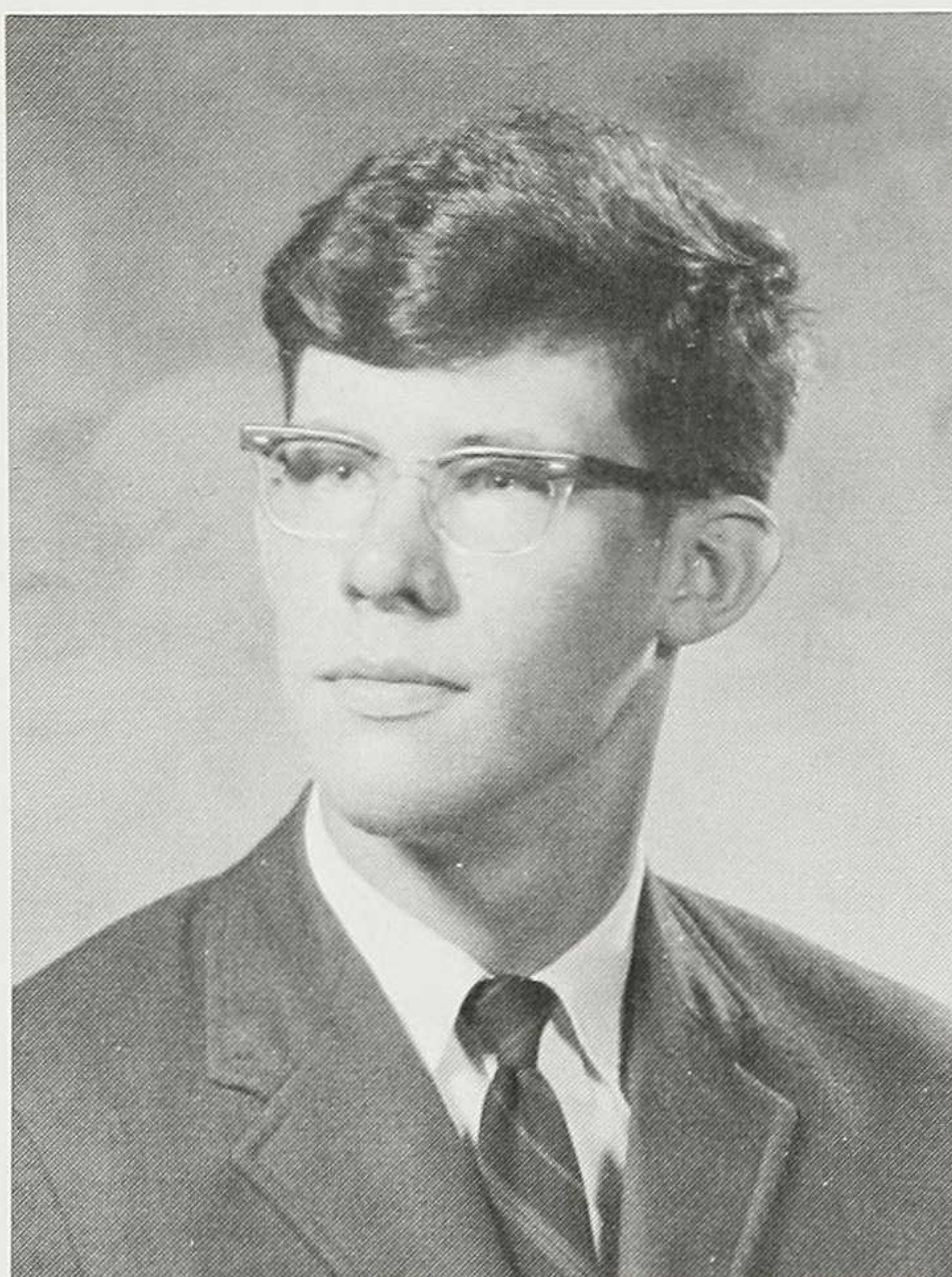
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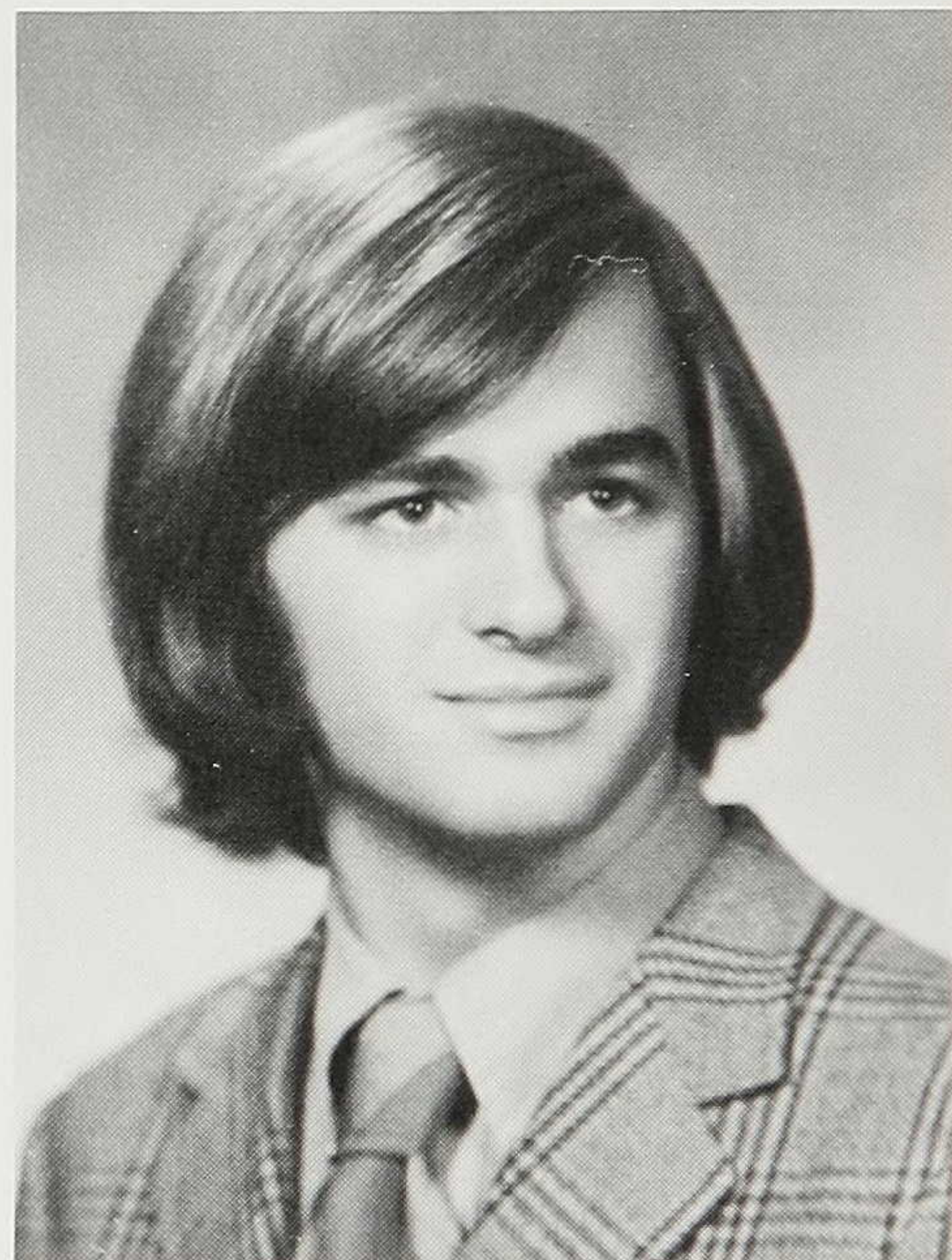
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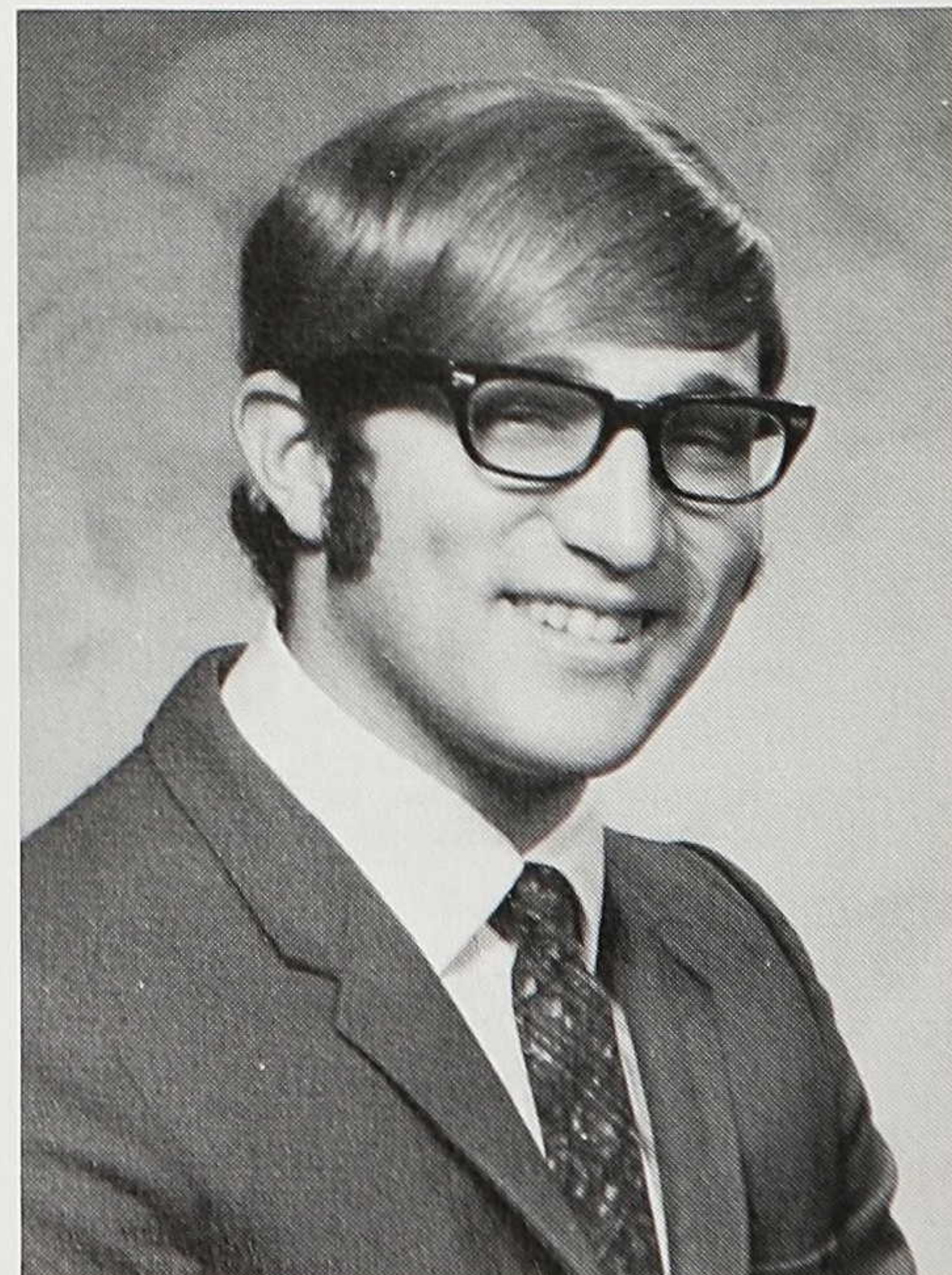
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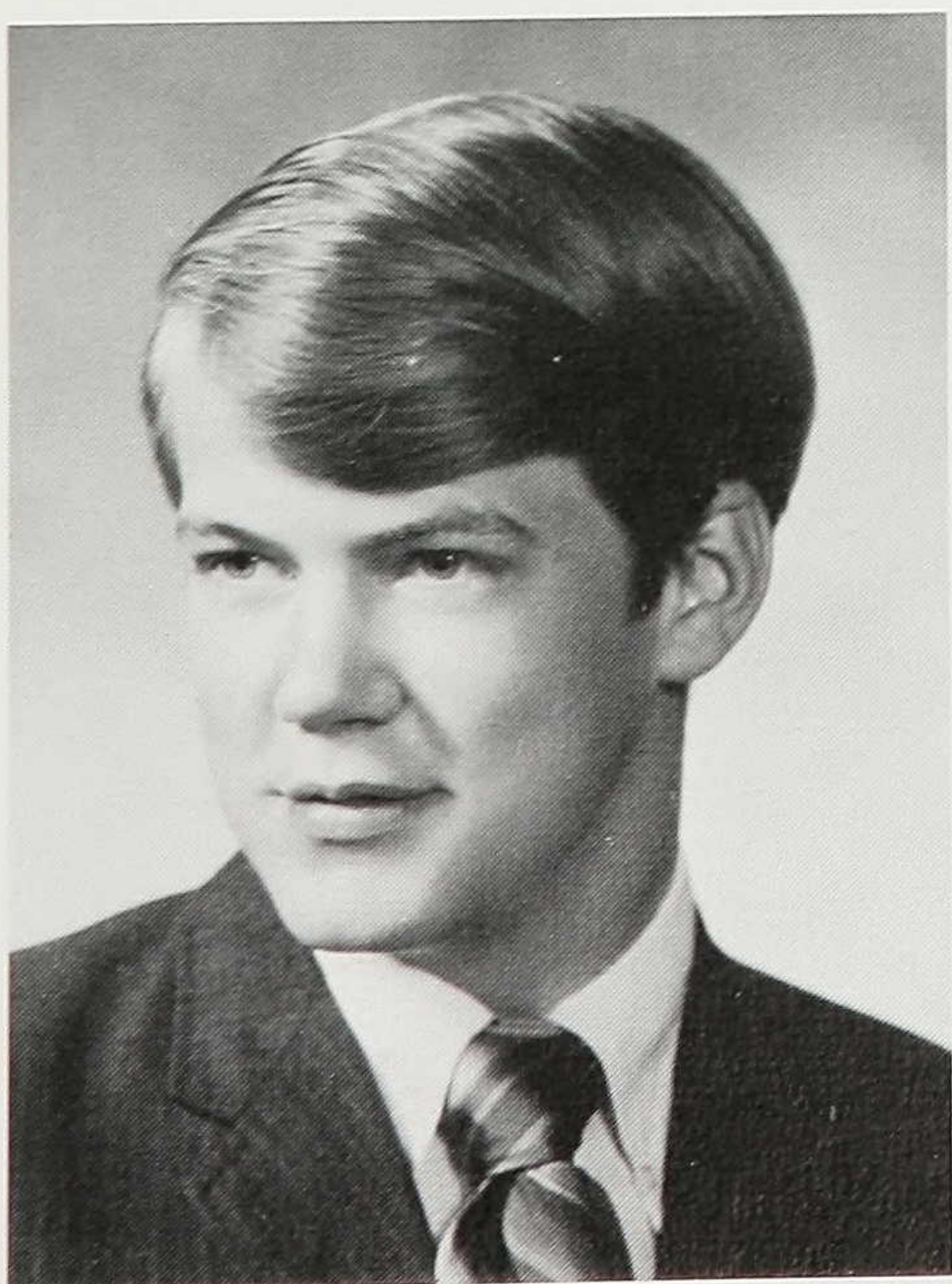
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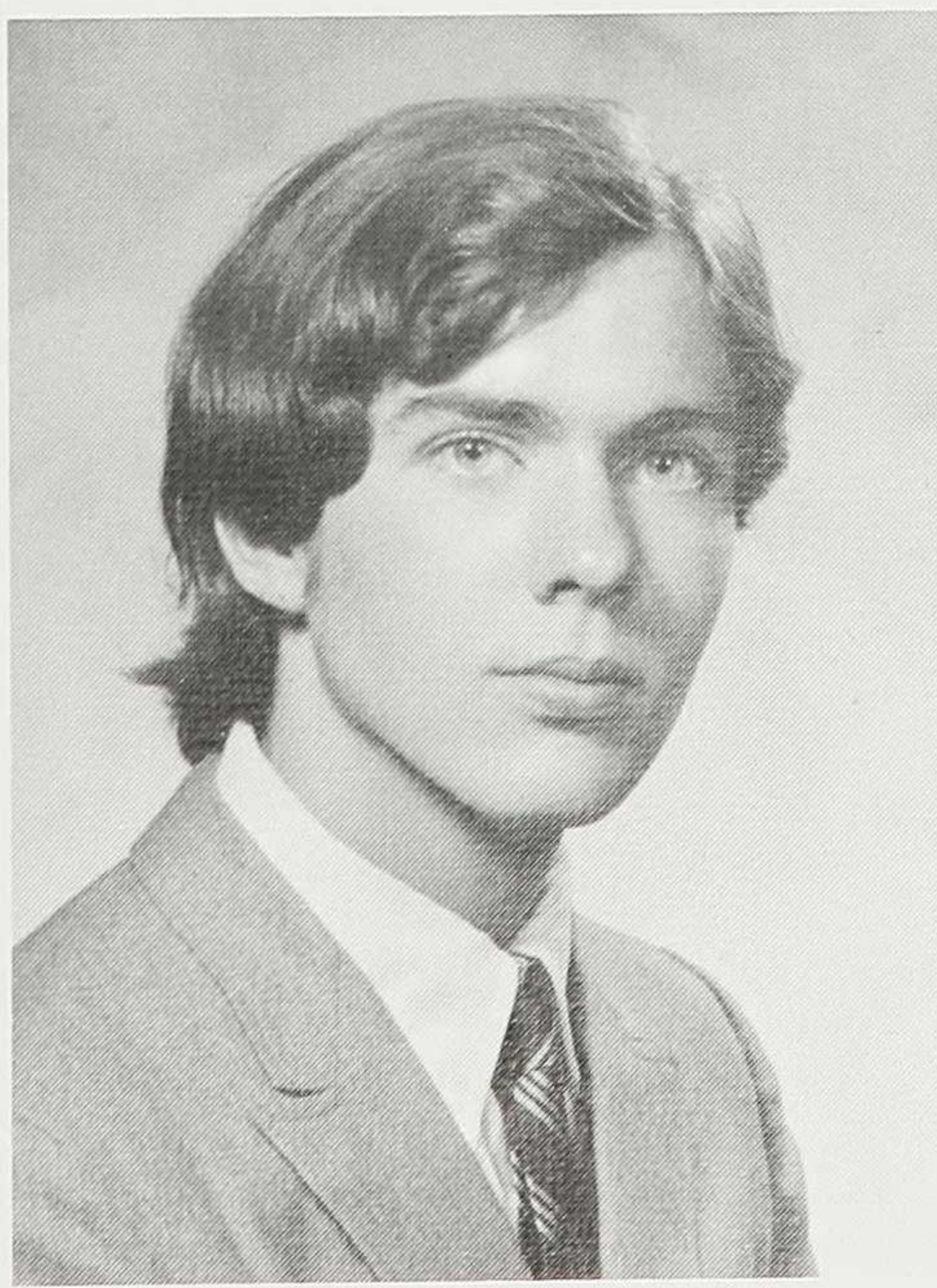
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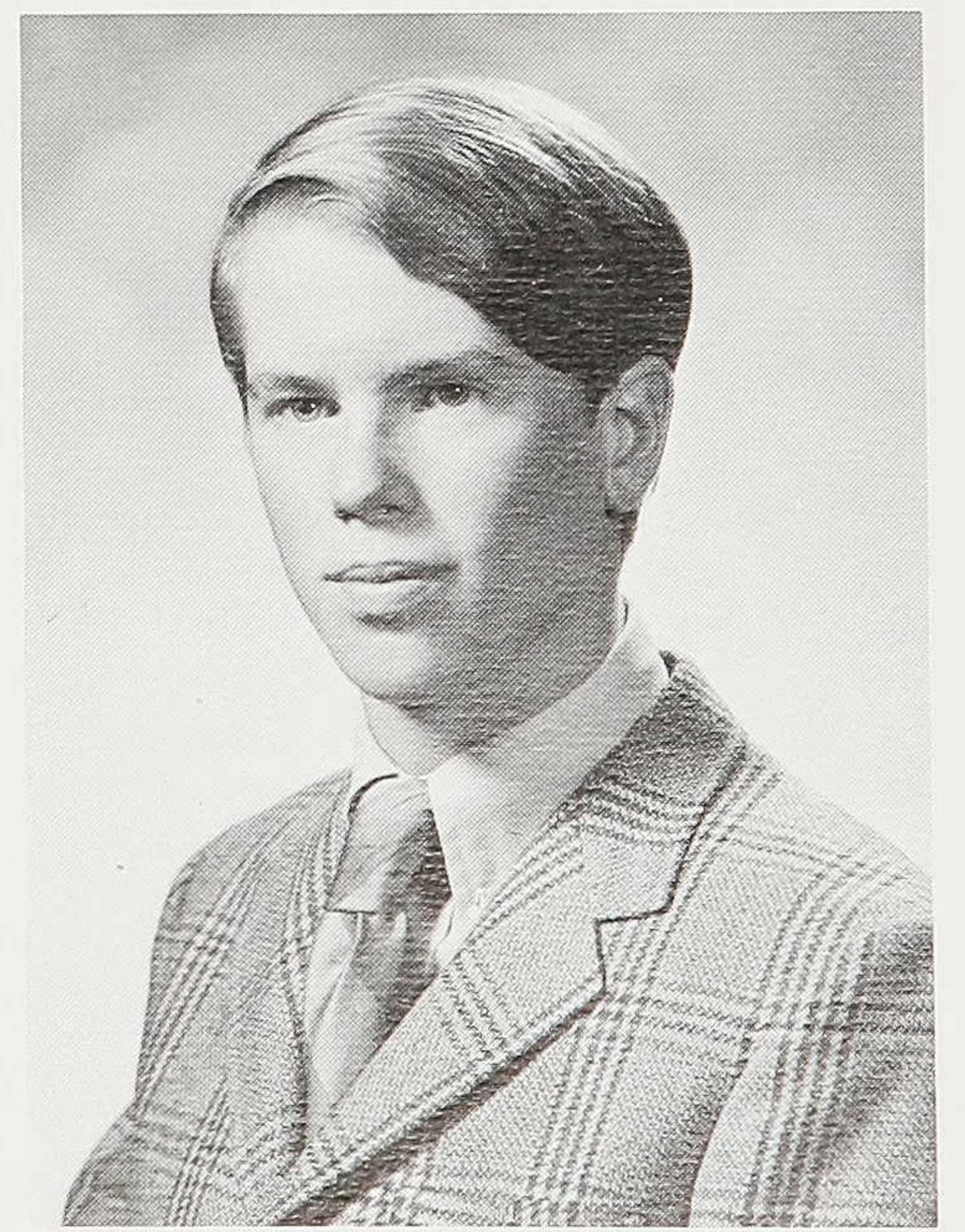
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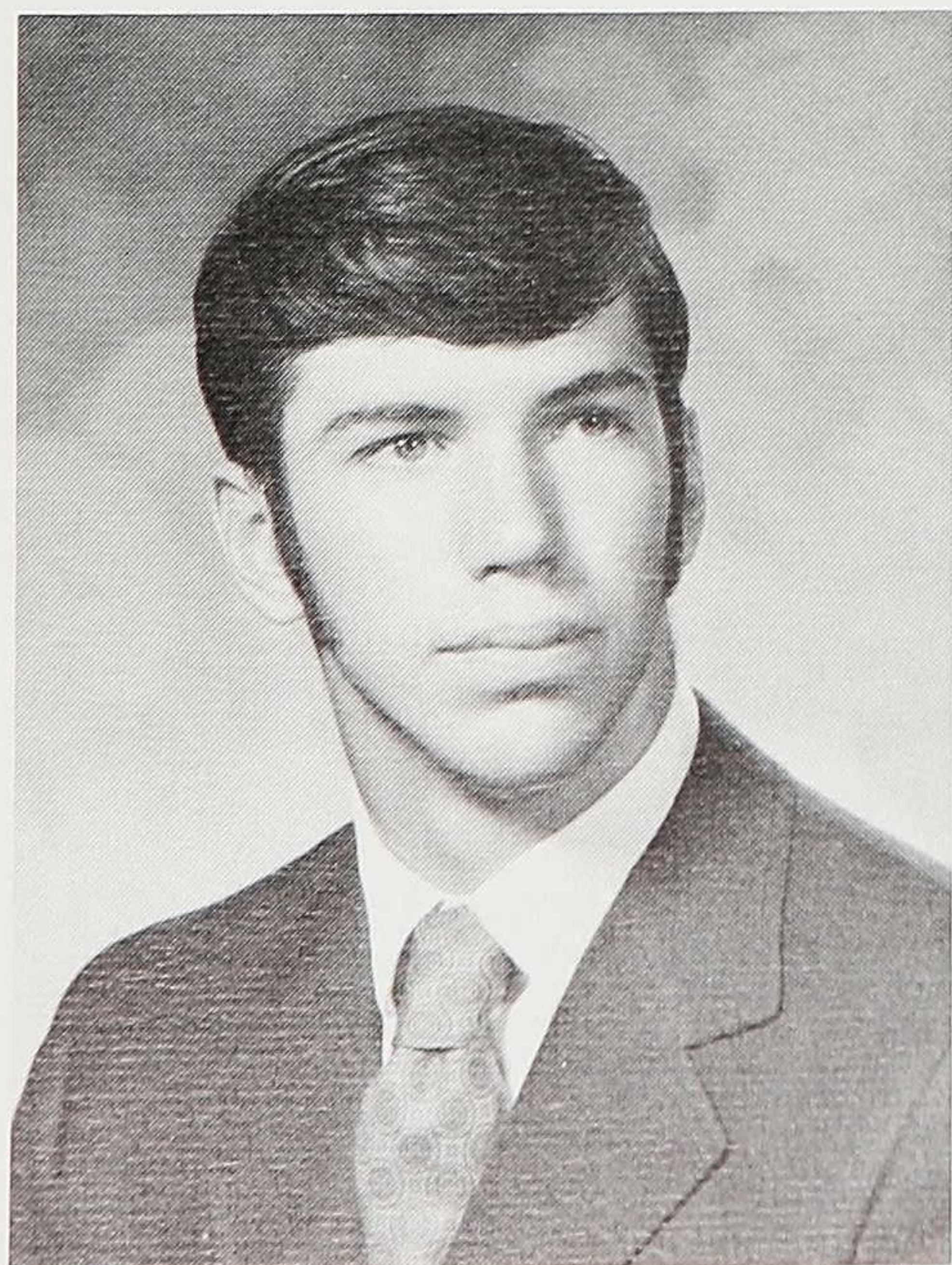
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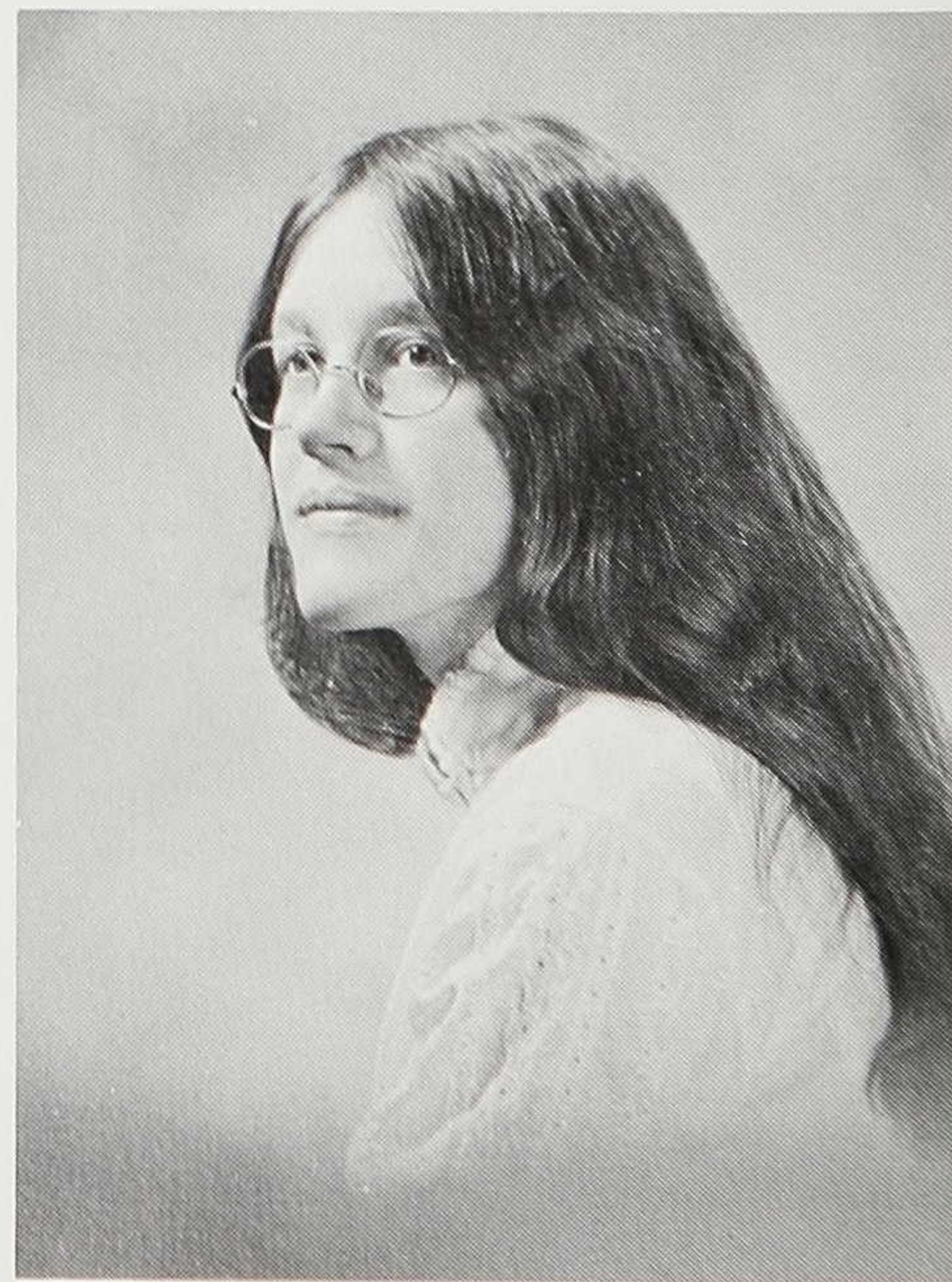
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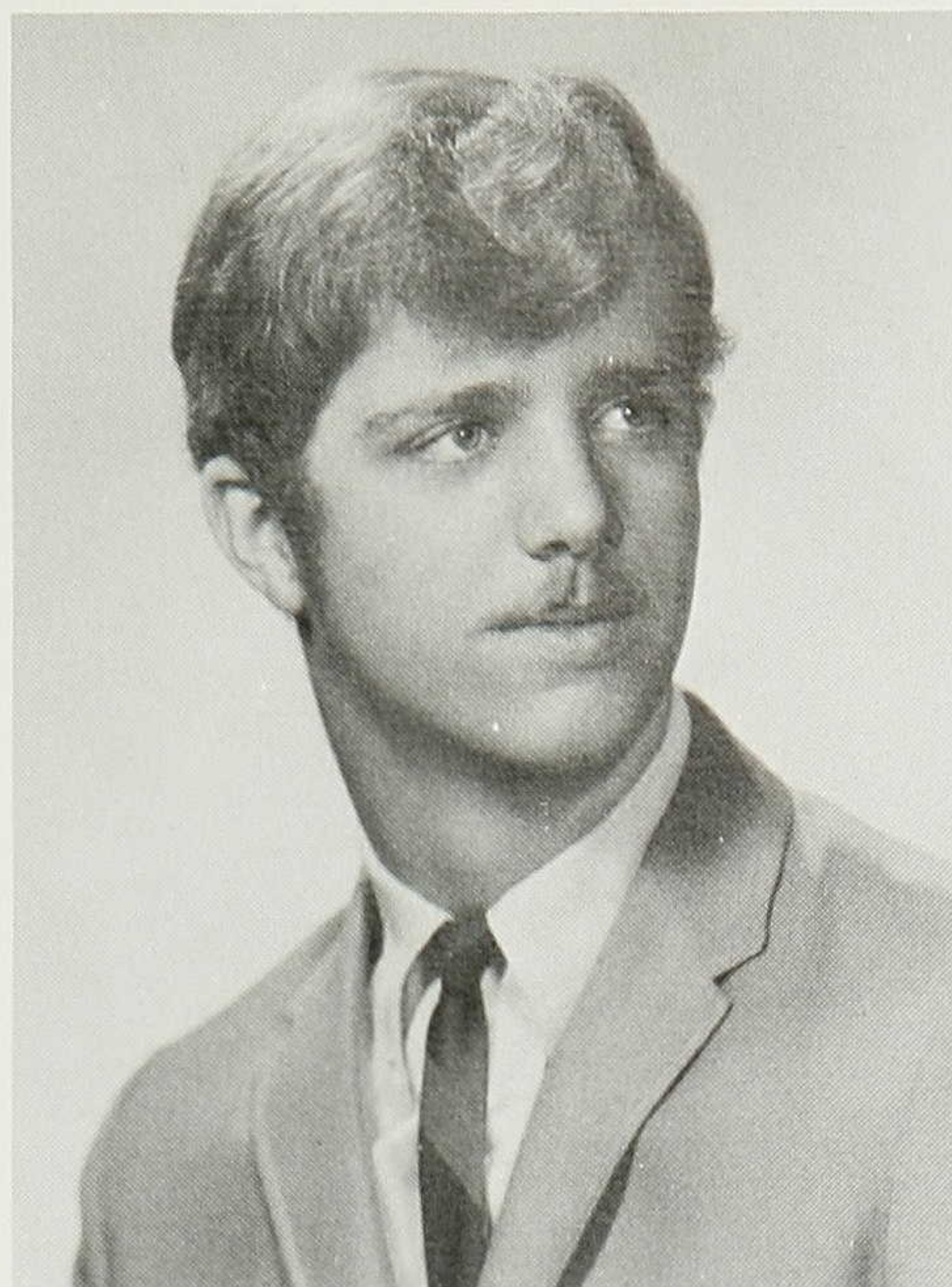
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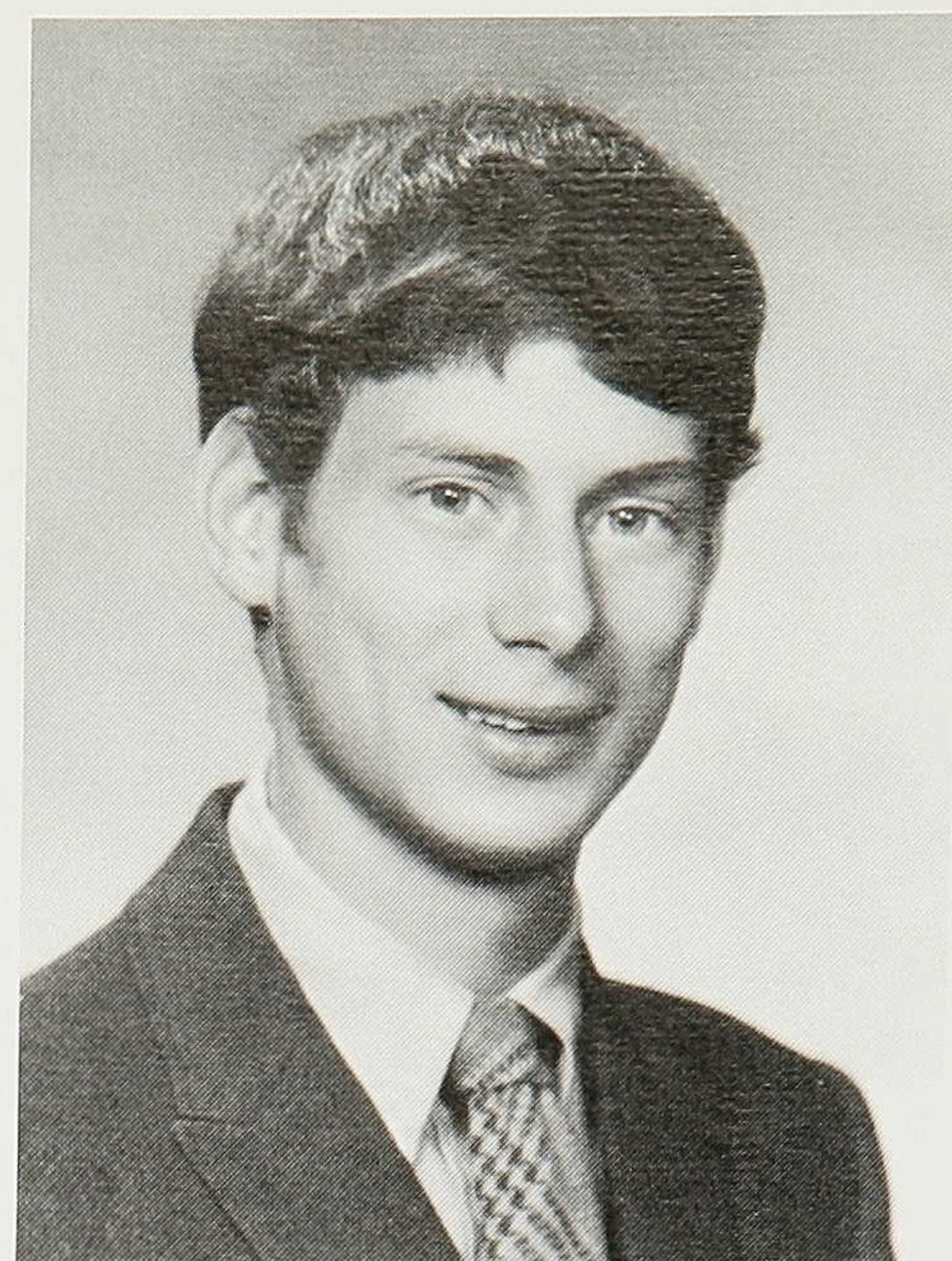
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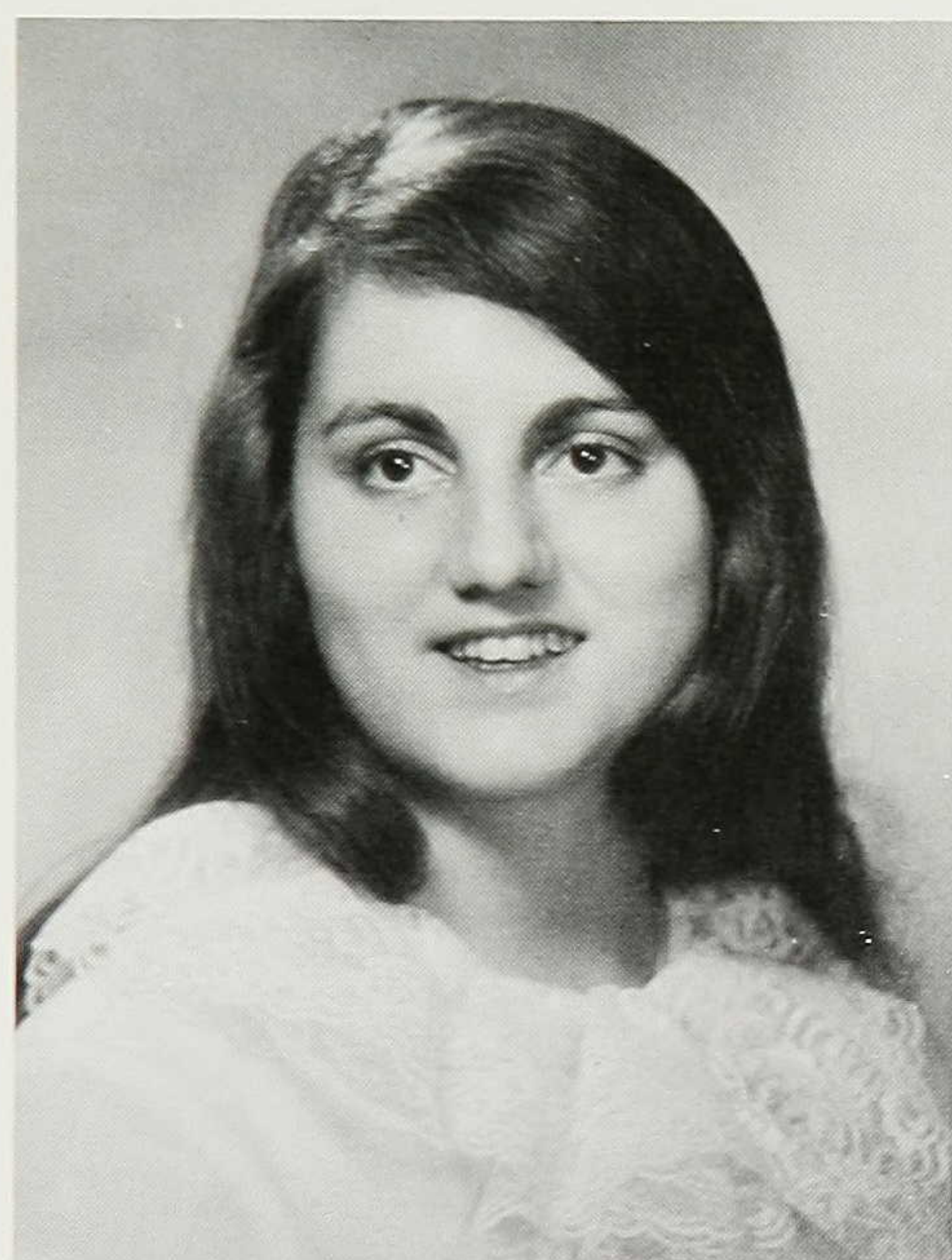
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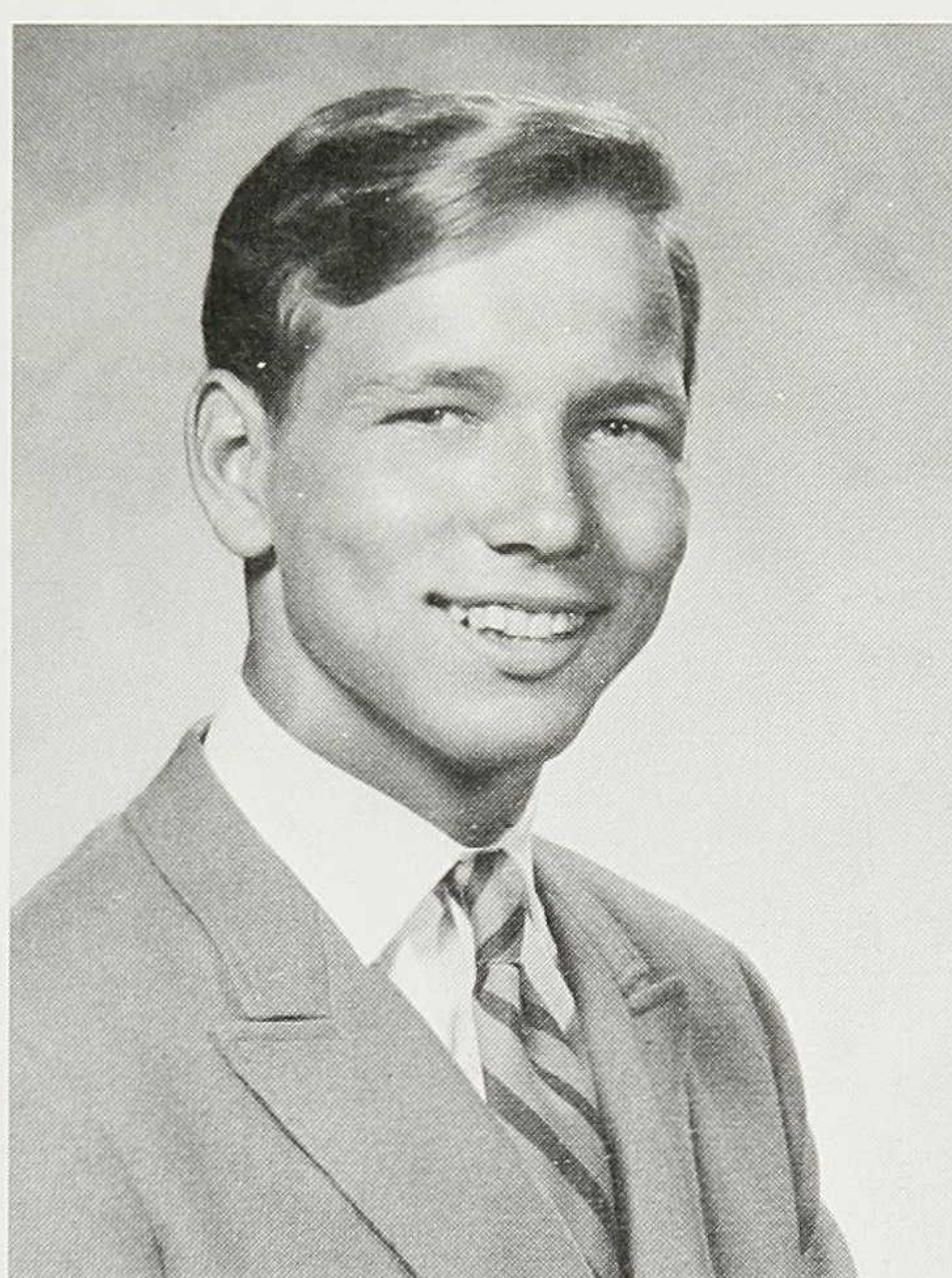
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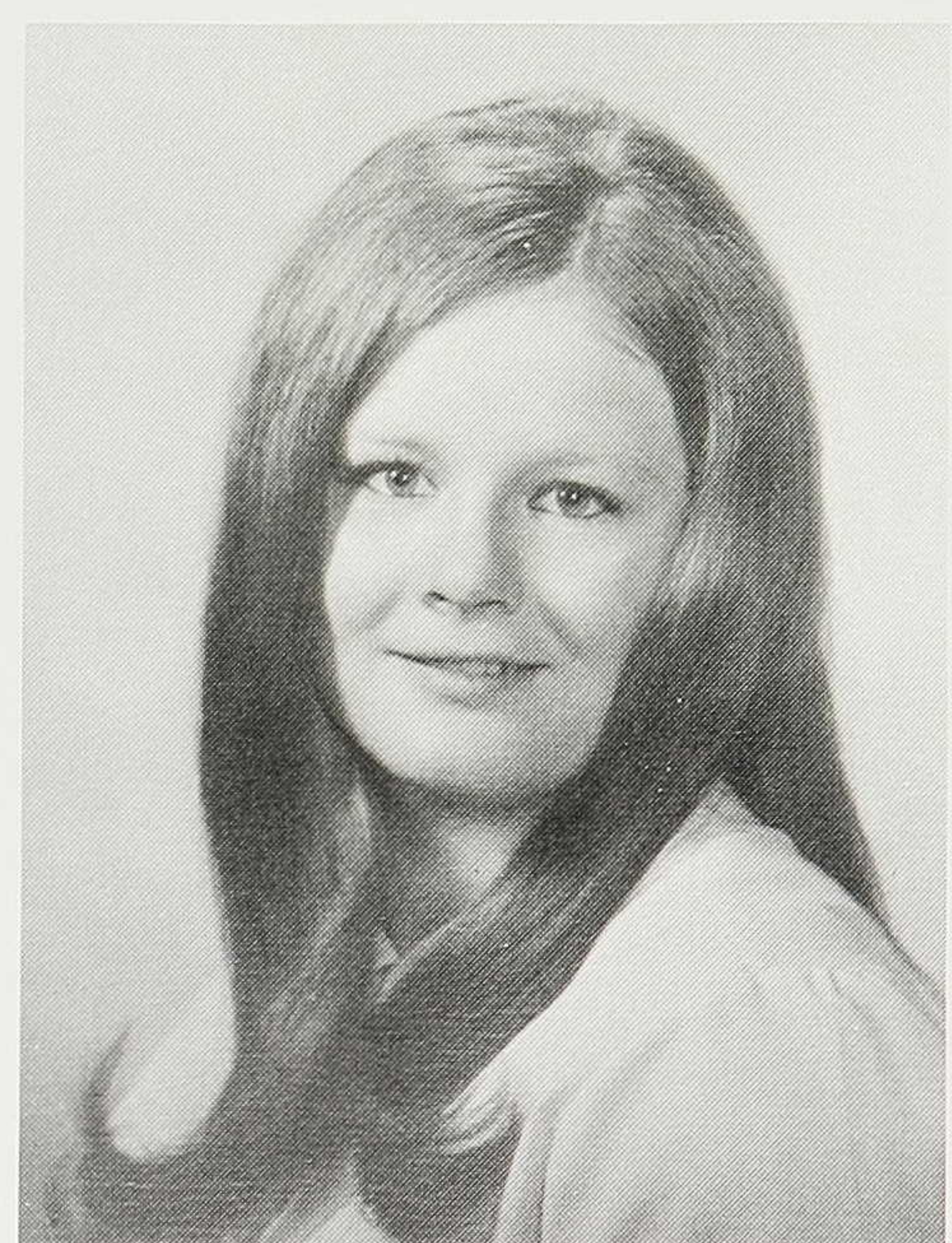
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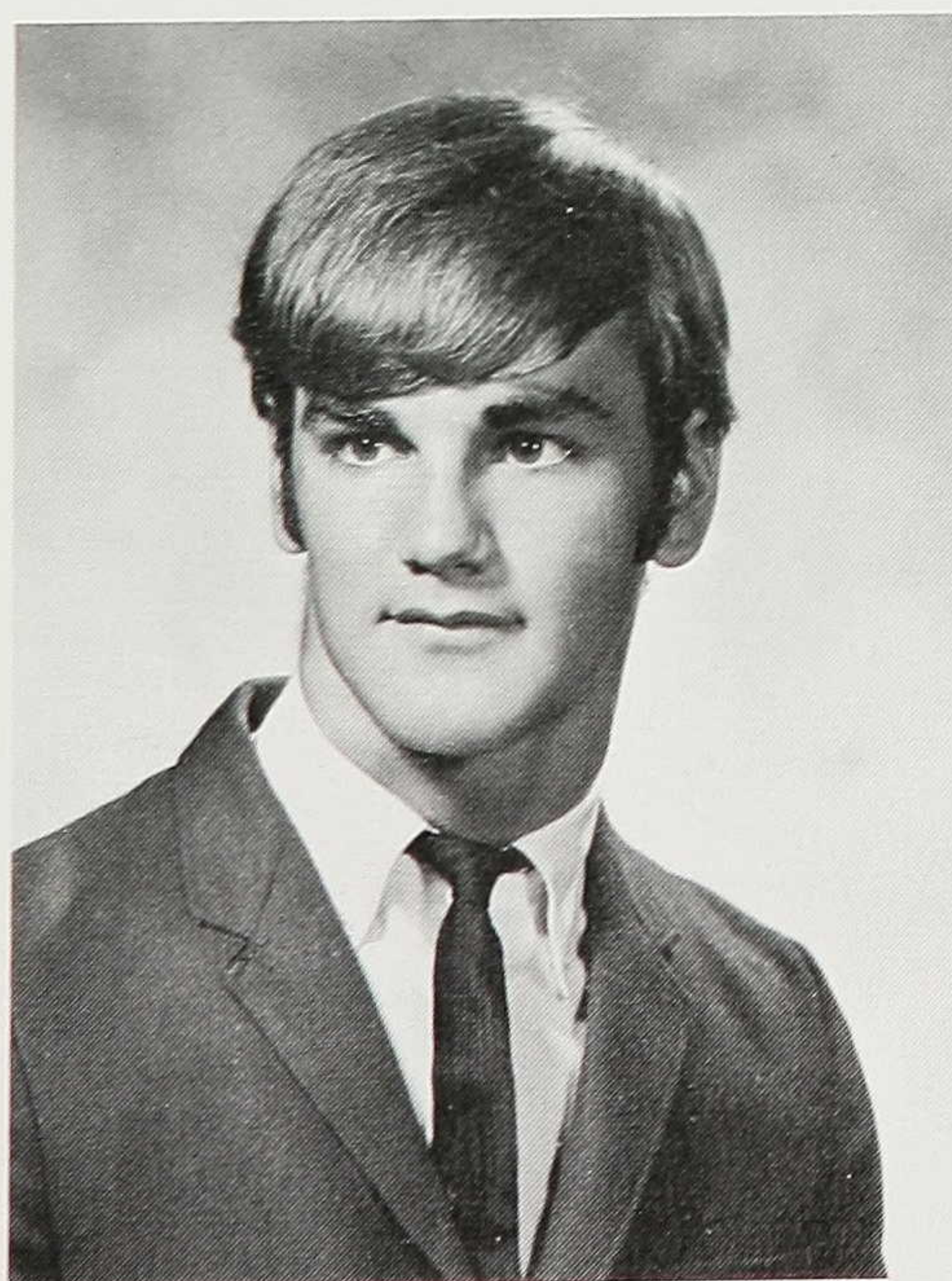
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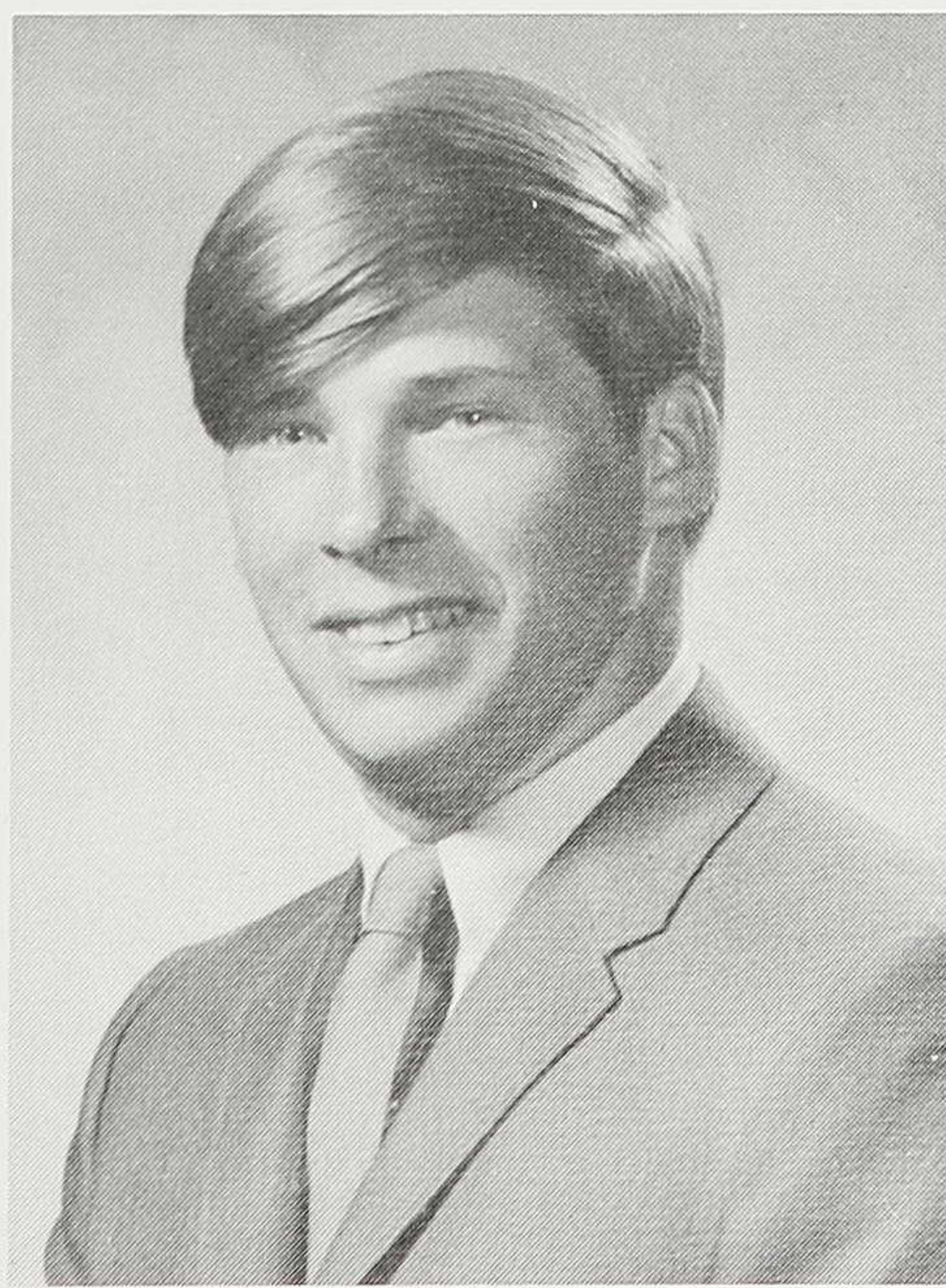
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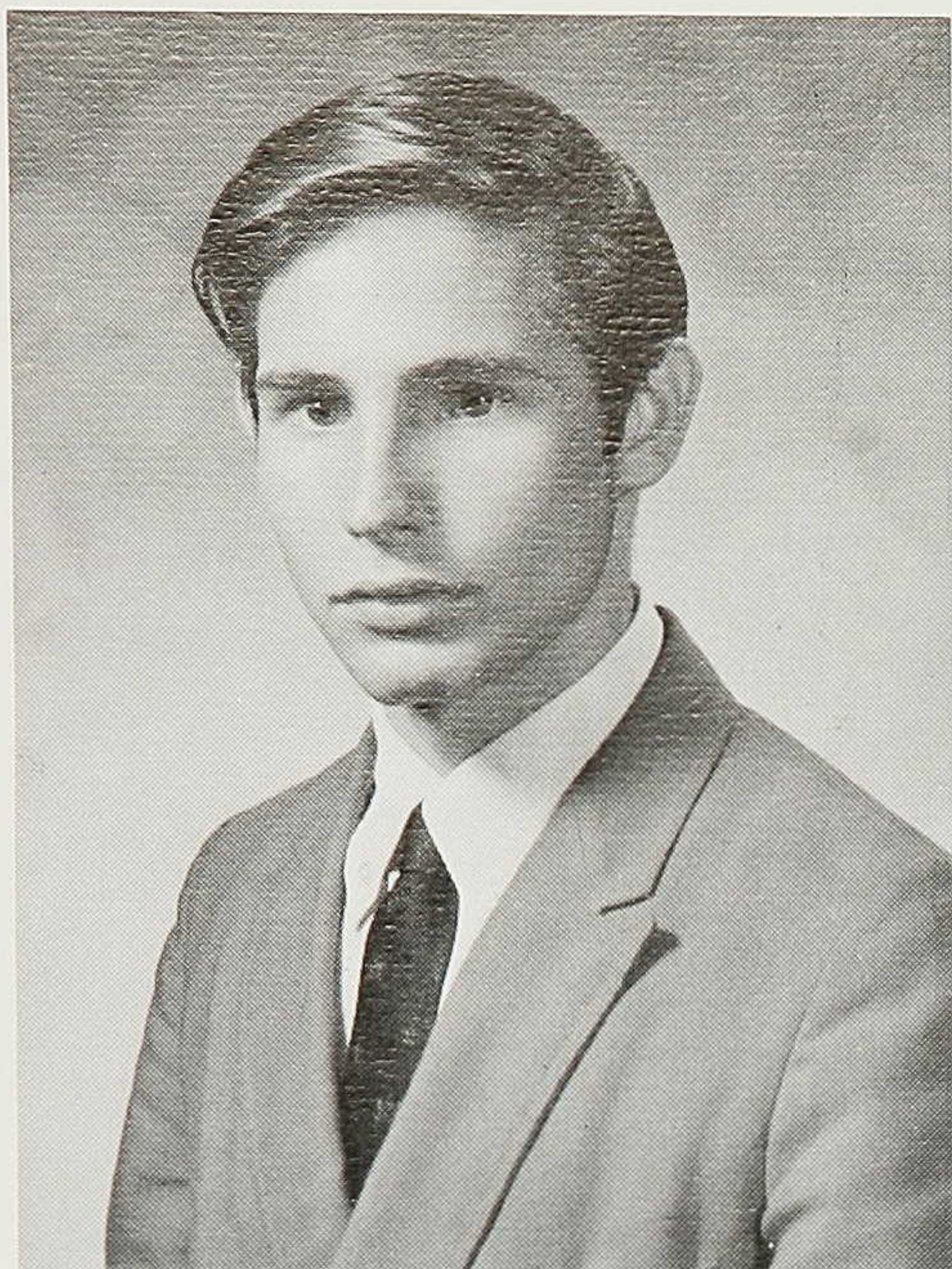
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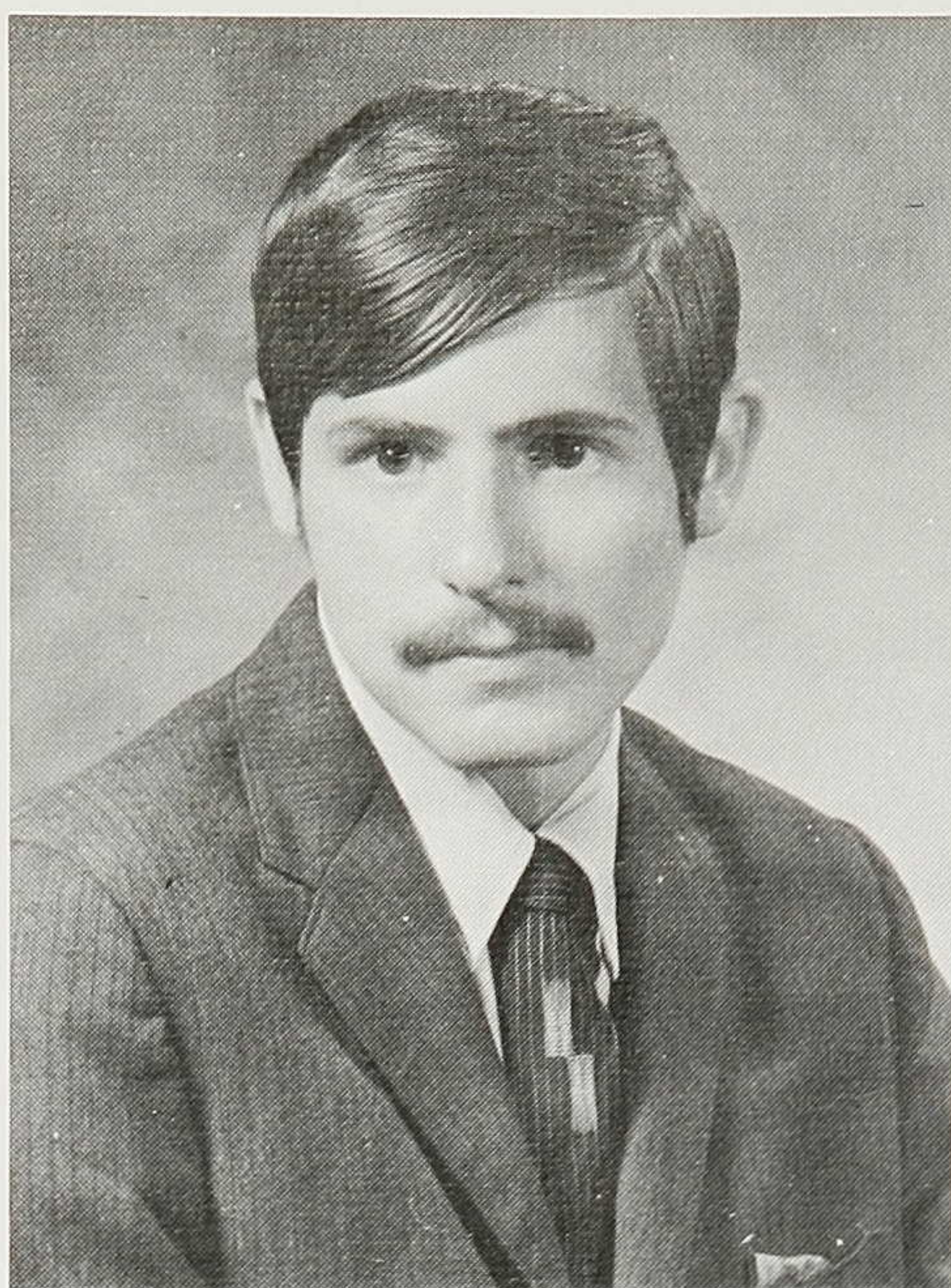
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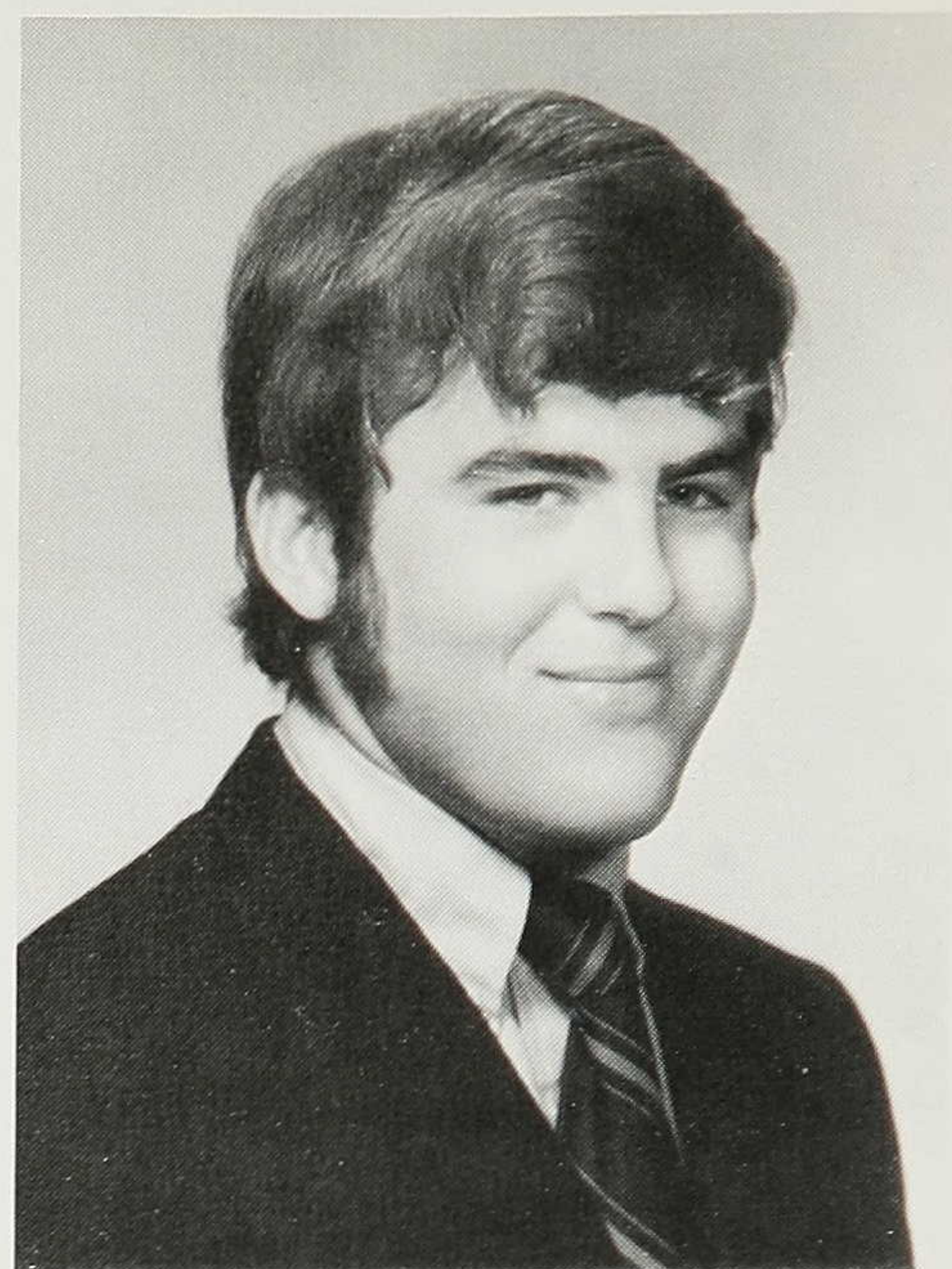
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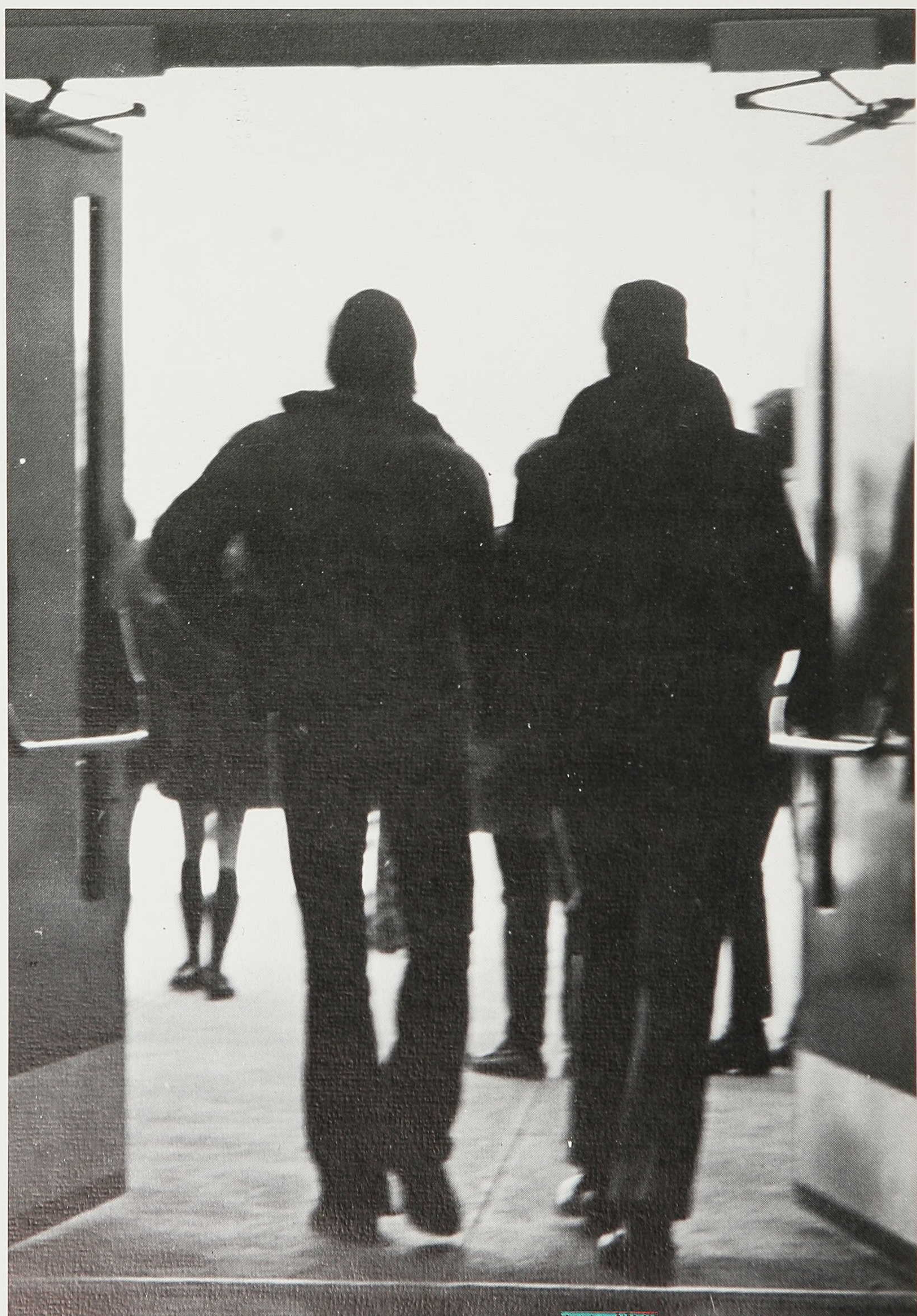
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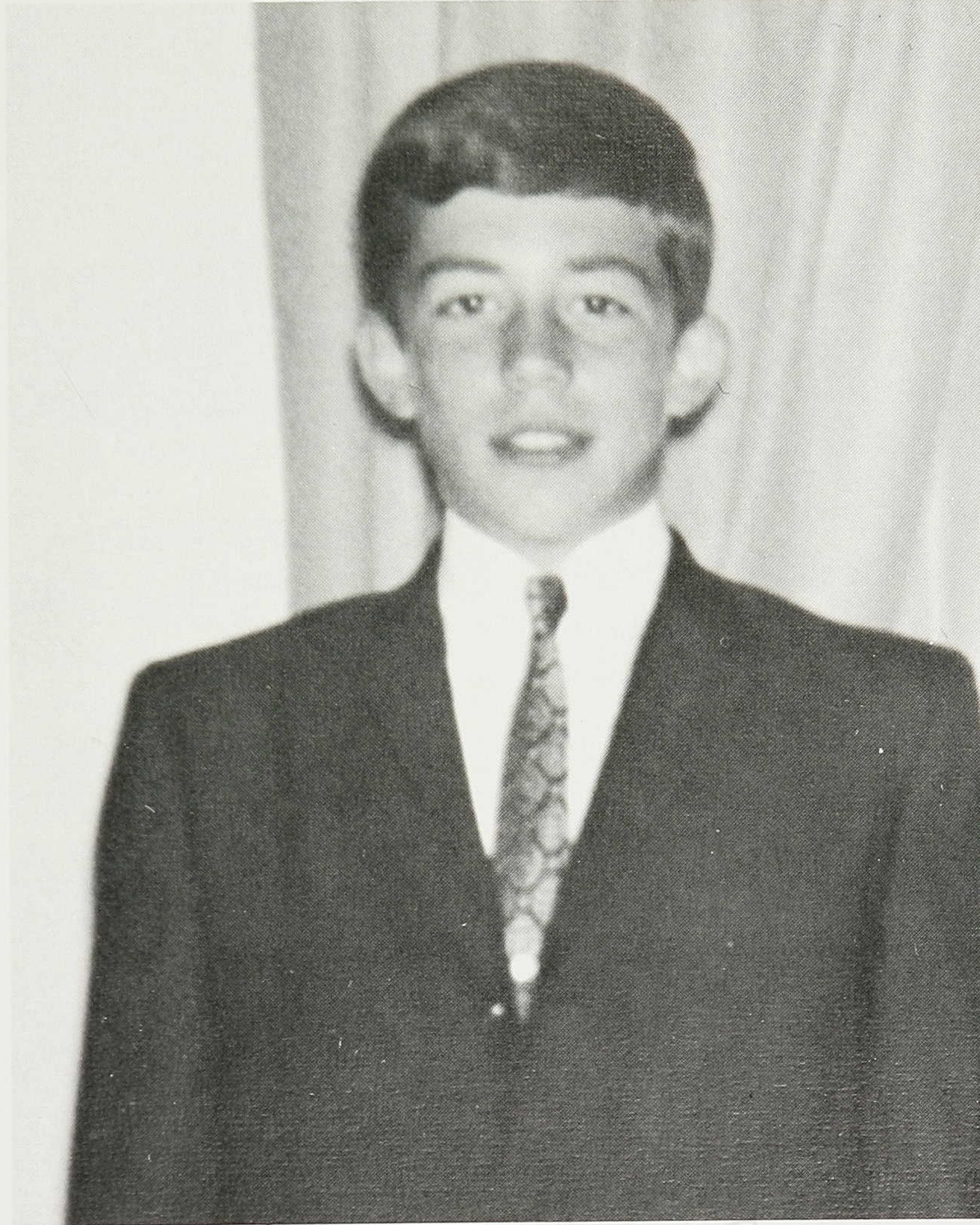
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DOUCETT, GARY V., Debating 3; Drama Club 2, 3; Cast, "The Crucible", "Emperor Jones" 2; Literary Quarterly "Mantra" 3; Home Room Treasurer 2.

DRAKE, CARLENE M., Band 1, 2, 3; G.A.A. 2, 3; Decorating Committee 3; Assistant to Advisor of Taconic Belles 3; Orchestra 3.

DUNNING, KENNETH, Football 3; Basketball 2, 3; Baseball 2, 3.

DUPRE, MURIEL, Pep Club 1, 2, 3; G.A.A. 1, 2, 3; Cheerleading 2.

DUPUIS, MICHELLE M., Pep Club 1, 2, 3; G.A.A. 1, 2, 3; Prom Committee 3; Cheerleading 2, 3; Decorating Committee 2, 3; Special Events 2, 3; Class Day Committee 3.

DURANT, MARK.

DUS, LINO S.

ELSWORTHY, LESLIE

EVANGELISTO, JAMES.

EVANS, PAMELA, Chorus 3; G.A.A. 2, 3.

EVANS, STEPHEN, Ski Team 2, 3; Track 3; Crew Team 3.

FALLEN, STEPHEN.

FALKOWSKI, PETER.

FARLEY, THOMAS M., Soccer 1, 2, 3; Track 2, 3; Home Room Representative 2.

FAVRE, JAMES, Student Government 2; Mantra 3; Prom Committee 2; Ring Committee 2.

FERLAND, MICHELLE, G.A.A. 1, 3; Pep Club 1, 3; Home Room Representative 1; Class Day Committee 3.

FERRARO, MARY LOUISE, Pep Club 1, 2, 3; G.A.A. 1, 2, 3; Pep Club Representative 1; Students Pen Representative 1; Class Day Committee 3; Drama Club 2; Special Events 3.

FERRY, GEORGE A.

FILKINS, DIANE E., G.A.A. 2; Dramatics Club 2; Business Staff of Yearbook 3; Safety Committee 2.

FINN, JAMES.

FISH, JAMES.

FITZGERALD, GARY J., Hockey 2, 3.

FITZGERALD, MAUREEN.

FLYNN, LINDA.

FORD, HAROLD

FORSGARD, KRISTINE L., Pep Club 1, 2; G.A.A. 1, 2; Newspaper, *IN GENERAL* 1; *BRAVE TALK* 2, 3; Editor in Chief of Newspaper 3; Student Government 2, 3; Drama Club 2; Sophomore Class Play 1; "The Crucible" 2.

FORTE, ANN MARIE, G.A.A. 1, 2, 3; Pep Club 2, 3; Book Store 3.

FRAIR, TIMOTHY, W.E.

FREDERICK, DONALD C.

FRENCH, DEBORAH, Pep Club, 1, 2; G.A.A. 1, 2.

FRENIER, PAUL F.

FRENIER, PETER

FRYC, PAMELA M., Christmas Committee 3; Banquet Committee 3; Prom Committee 3; Class Day Committee 3; G.A.A. 3.

FURLANO, NELSON E., Golf 1, 2.

GALANT, GARFIELD.

GALLO, STEPHEN.

GARY, RICHARD.

GAUDETTE, DIANE M., G.A.A. 1, 2; Pep Club 1; Home Room Treasurer 2, 3.

GEARY, DENNIS, Student Trainer 2; Pep Club 1.

GEER, JONATHAN M., Football 2, 3; Basketball Manager 2, 3; Track 1, 2, 3.

GENNARI, GLORIA, G.A.A. 1, 2, 3; Prom Committee 1, 2.

GERO, Edward F.

GIARDINA, DANIEL A., Soccer 2, 3; Baseball 2, 3; Wrestling 2.



GILBERT, CLAUDENE V., Pep Club 2, 3; G.A.A. 1; Decorating Committee 3; Prom Committee 3; Student's Pen 1; Junior Achievement 1, 2, 3.

GINGRAS, STEPHEN.

GOLIN, JOHN.

GOODRICH, MICHAEL, Baseball 1, 2, 3; Soccer 2; Pep Club 2, 3; Prom Committee 3; Christmas Decorating Committee 3.

GOODRICH, PATTIANN E., Taconic Belles 3; Prom Committee 3; Class Day Committee 3.

GOODRICH, PETER.

GORDON, EUNICE V.

GOSSELIN, PAUL

GUTTMANN, WERNER.

HAMILTON, C. J.

HARRINGTON, WILLIAM.

HESSLER, WILLIAM.

HILL, DEBORAH

GRAVES, CYNTHIA

GRAVES, RALPH, Pep Club 2, 3; Dramatic Club 3.

GRAY, LISA A., Pep Club 3; Prom Committee 3; Special Events 3.

GREENLEAF, GERALD G.

HAMLING, DANIEL A., Basketball 1, 2; Class Representative 2.

HAMM, DONALD J., *Mantra* 2, 3; Drama Club 2, 3; President of Drama Club 3.

HANZARAK, MELINDA KAY, Cheerleading 2, 3; Prom Committee 2, 3; Decorating Committee 2, 3; Fashion Show 2; G.A.A. 1, 2, 3; Pep Club 1, 2, 3; Special Events 2, 3; Home Room Representative 1; Cap and Gown Committee 3.

HARDENBURG, BARBARA J., Pep Club 1, 2; G.A.A. 1, 2; Christmas Decorating Committee 3.

HARRINGTON, JOHN E., Ski Team 3.

HARTMANN, BARBARA.

HASKINS, DOUGLAS.

HERMANSKI, JAMES, Newspaper 2, 3; Prom Committee 2; Special Events Chairman 2; Class Officer 3; Pep Club 3; Class Ring Committee 2.

HISERT, MICHAEL S.

HOFFMAN, CAREN, Drama Club 2; Cheerleading 2, 3; Prom Committee 2, 3; Special Events Committee 2, 3; Pep Club 2, 3; Fashion Show 2; Decorating Committee 2, 3; G.A.A. 1, 2; Cap and Gown Committee 3.

HOFFMAN, FREDERICK J. III, Football 1, 2, 3; Basketball 2, 3; Track 2; Golf 3.

HORNYAK, DAVID M., Football 2, 3; Track 2, 3; Wrestling 2, 3.

HOROMANSKI, JOAN E., Home Room Representative 1; Pep Club 2; Prom Committee 3; Special Events 3; Banquet 3; Ring Committee 2.



HOVER, GEORGE.

HOVER, ROBERTA M., Taconic Belles 3; G.A.A. 1, 2.

HOWARD, CHARLES.

HOWLAND, GARY.

HUGABONE, JUDITH M., G.A.A. 1; Fashion Show 2; *Mantra* 3; Bookstore 3.

HUTCHINSON, RICHARD.

IZZO, JOHN, Varsity Baseball 1, 2, 3.

JACOBY, CHRISTOPHER, Student Government 1, 2, 3; Football 1, 2, 3; Basketball 1, 2, 3; Baseball 1, 2, 3; United Students Fund 3; Home Room Representative 1, 2, 3.

JANAS, BARBARA, Cheerleading 2, 3; Pep Club 1, 2, 3; Prom Committee 2, 3; Ring Committee 2; Special Events 2, 3; G.A.A. 1, 2, 3; Decorating Committee 2, 3; Class Day Committee 3; Home Room Treasurer 3; Cap and Gown Committee 3.

JAQUINS, PETER.

JOHNSON, JEFFREY L., Varsity Basketball 1, 2, 3; Pep Club 1, 2, 3; Student Government 1; Prom Committee 2, 3.

JONES, CLIFFORD.

JONES, FRAN.

JONES, MERYL M., Pep Club 1, 2, 3; G.A.A. 1, 2, 3; Class Secretary 2; Prom Chairman 3; Special Events 2, 3; Class Day Committee 3; Cap and Gown Committee 3; Ring Committee 2.

KANE, JAMES P., Baseball Manager 1, 2.

KANE, MICHAEL.



KAY, SHERRIE.

KEEHNLE, KATHLEEN, G.A.A. 1; Taconic Belles 3.

KEEN, JOSEPH.

KENNEDY, MARGARET B., Pep Club 1, 2, 3; Drama Club 2, 3; *Mantra*, Business Manager 2, 3; Girls' Vice President 3; Ring Committee 2; Special Events Committee 2; Prom Committee 2.

KERN, ART.

KIERNAN, KATHY M.

KILFEATHER, LISA

KING, DANIEL.

KINGSLEY, DIANE

KINNAS, THOMAS.

KIRCHNER, MICHAEL.

KLINK, JOHN.

KNUTSON, KARLA, Poetry Editor of *Mantra* 3; Staff of *Mantra* 2.

KOPREK, JOSEPH W., Track 1.

KOZA, TEDDY, Home Room Representative 1.

KULAS, EDWIN.

KULESA, MARYANNE, Pep Club 1, 3; G.A.A. 1; Prom Committee 3.

KURJAN, DIANE, G.A.A. 1, 2; *Mantra* Staff 2, 3; Co-Business Manager of *Mantra* 3; Business and Art Staffs of Yearbook 3.

LAGROTTERIA, VALERIE JEAN, Pep Club 1, 2; G.A.A. 1; Junior Achievement 1; Copy Editor of Yearbook 3; Chorus 3; Special Events 2; Election Committee 3.

LAMBERT, DONNA.

LAMPIASI, SHAWN MICHAEL, Prom Chairman 3; Prom Committee 1, 2, 3; Pep Club 2, 3; Student Government 2; Student Government Alternate 3; Hockey 1, 2, 3; Track 3.

LANDER, SUSAN JEAN, Pep Club 1, 2, 3; Cheerleading 2, 3; Prom Committee 2, 3; G.A.A. 1, 2, 3.

LA ROCHELLE, PETER.

LARSON, CAROL ANN, Pep Club 1, 2, 3; Prom Committee 3; Yearbook 3; Home Room Treasurer 3; G.A.A. 1, 2, 3.

LARROW, JAMES.

LA VIGNE, DONNA.

LE BLANC, RICHARD D., Class Play 1; Track Team 1; Drama Club 2, 3; "The Crucible" 2; Debating Club 3; Newspaper 3.

LENZ, JACQUELINE, *Mantra* 3.

LESTER ROBERT D.

LICCARDI, THOMAS.

LINEHAN, KENNETH, Home Room Representative 3; Student Government 3; Prom Committee 3; Varsity Hockey 1, 2, 3; Varsity Soccer 2, 3.

LINSCOTT, VICKY, Pep Club 1; G.A.A. 1; Drama Club 1.

LUDBROOK, CYNTHIA J.

MACARTHUR, SCOTT W., Ski Team 2, 3; Golf Team 2, 3; Pep Club 2, 3.

MacDONALD, JULIE, Drama Club 3; Chorus 3.

MacMILLAN, CARL, Drama Club, 2, 3; *Brave Talk* 2, 3; *Mantra* 3; Debate Team 3; *Manitou*, Honors Editor 3; Environmental Studies Program 2.

MAGNER, JOHN F., Hockey 1, 2, 3; Pep Club 2, 3; Special Events 3.

MAHONEY, P. JOSEPH, Pep Club 1, 2, 3; Home Room Representative 1.

MAJCHROWSKI, JOSEPH, Home Room Representative 1; Track Team 3.

MAKES, NICHOLAS, Ski Team 2, 3; Pep Club 2, 3.

MALONEY, MARY, Pep Club 1, 2, 3; G.A.A. 1, 2, 3; Home Room Treasurer 2; Taconic Belles 3; Business Staff of Yearbook 3.

MALLOSSINI, KAREN.

MALLOSSINI, SHARON.

MALUMPHY, MICHAEL W.

MANNS, MARLEE I.

MARAUSZWSKI, DEBRA AUDREY.

MARKHAM, ROSEMARIE A., G.A.A. 1, 2.

MARS, STEPHEN.

MARTINI, CHRISTOPHER.

MASSERY, PHILIP E., Varsity Football 1, 2, 3; Track 1, 2; Wrestling 1.

MATHES, JOHN L.

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 MC DERMOTT, ROBERT.
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 MCGILL, GARY R., Soccer 2; Swimming 2.
 MCGUIRT, BRIAN E.
 MCKIM, BRIAN.
 MCLAUGHLIN, SUSAN M., Pep Club 1; G.A.A. 1.
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 MIERZEJEWSKI, CORRINE
 MONTI, LINDA.
 MOODY, BRENDA W.
 MOON, BOB, Soccer 1, 2, 3; Home Room Representative 2; Student Government 2; Home Room Treasurer 1, 2.
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 MROZINSKI, KRISTINE, Pep Club 1, 2, 3; Prom Committee Chairman 2; Ring Committee 2; Special Events Committee 2, 3; Class Secretary 3; G.A.A. 2.
 MURPHY, GARY, Pep Club 2, 3; Band 1, 2, 3; Basketball 1, 2, 3.
 MURPHY, MICHAEL, Hockey 1, 2, 3; Baseball 2, 3.
 MURPHY, RAYMOND.
 NACORCHUK, ELAINE LINDA, Pep Club 1, 2; G.A.A. 1, 2; *Mantra* 2, 3; Drama Club 2; Yearbook 3.
 NAGELSCHMIDT, CHARLES R.
 NEUBERT, PATRICIA L., Drama 1; G.A.A. 1, 2, 3; Pep Club 2, 3; Cheerleading 2, 3; Business Manager of Yearbook 3; Prom Committee 2.
 NIKITAS, STEVEN S., Pep Club 3; Home Room Representative 1.
 NORDEEN, LON O., JR., Newspaper 2, 3; Debating 3; Student Government 3.
 NORDEEN, LYNN YVONNE, Pep Club 1, 2, 3; G.A.A. 1, 2, 3; Yearbook 3.
 NORTON, MICHAEL J.
 NOTO, GUY.
 NYKORCHUK, STEPHEN M.
 O'BOYLE, DAVID J.
 O'BRIEN, DONALD, Football 2.
 O'BRIEN, NEIL E., Wrestling 1, 2, 3; Prom Committee 3; Decorating Committee 3.
 O'CONNELL, DEIRDRE, Drama Club 3.
 O'CONNELL, R. M., Basketball 1, 2, 3.
 OLSEN, CARL, Vocational Editor of *Brave Talk* 3.
 OSLUND, PATRICIA, Cheerleading 2, 3; G.A.A. 1, 2, 3; Pep Club 1, 2, 3; Drama Club 1; Prom Committee 2, 3; Fashion Show 1, 2.

OSTERHOUT, KAREN L.
 OSTRANDER, PATRICIA, Pep Club 1, 2, 3; G.A.A. 1, 2; Debating Team 3; Taconic Belles 3; Prom Committee 3.
 OTT, ROGER.
 PALMER, NANCY C.
 PARISE, MICHAEL JOHN, Wrestling Team 1, 2; Football 1, 2; Home Room Treasurer 2; Radio Club 2, 3.
 PARSLOW, GEORGE, Football 1, 2.
 PASTORE, ROBERT R., Golf 2, 3.
 PENNA, FRANK R.
 PETRUZELLA, TIMOTHY J., Baseball 1, 2, 3.
 PHILLIPS, LAURA, Pep Club 1, 2, 3; G.A.A. 1, 2, 3; Cheerleading Captain 2, 3; Prom Committee 3.
 PIRES, WILLIAM A., Soccer 2, 3; Pep Club 3; Audio Visual 3.
 PISANI, BENJAMIN.
 PITTMAN, JEANNETTE ANN, Pep Club 1, 2, 3; G.A.A. 1, 2; Class Treasurer 2; Home Room Treasurer 3; Prom Committee 3.
 POLIDORO, KAREN.
 PORTER, MARK E.
 POWERS, EDWARD, Home Room Representative 1; Vice President 2; President of Student Government 3.
 PRIMROSE, DENNIS.
 PUCKO, RICHARD G.
 PUGH, WANDA.
 PURRY, ROBERT L.
 RAINFORTH, RICHARD F., Ski Team 2, 3; Yearbook 2; Newspaper 2, 3.



RAMSEY, MICHAEL H.

RANDO, LEO, Student Government 2; Safety Committee 2.

RAPKOWICZ, PATRICIA ANN, Pep Club 1, 2, 3; Secretary of Pep Club 3; G.A.A. 1, 2, 3; Student Government 2; Prom Committee 2, 3; Special Events 2, 3; Ring Committee 2; Cap and Gown Committee 3; Decorating Committee 2, 3; Class Day Committee 3; Yearbook - Seniors Editor 3.

RAPKOWICZ, STEPHEN, Baseball 2, 3; Pep Club 3.

RATCLIFF, DAWN E., Pep Club 1, 2, 3; G.A.A. 1, 2, 3; Drama Club 2; Assistant Business Editor of Yearbook 3.

REDDY, JOAN E., Pep Club 1, 2, 3; Treasurer of Pep Club 3; G.A.A. 1, 2, 3; Prom Committee 2, 3; Special Events 3.

RHEAUME, EDMUND J.

ROBARE, VICKI F., Drama Club 2, 3.

ROBITAILLE, GARY.

ROBERTSON, BRUCE AHLEN, Home Room Representative 2.

ROCCA, RICHARD, Soccer 1, 2, 3; Pep Club 1; Home Room Treasurer 2; Basketball 2; Co-Captain of Soccer Team 3.

ROCKOCH, JAMES.

ROCKOCH, SALLY.

ROCKWELL, ROBERT E.

ROGERS, GAIL MARY.

ROGERS, GARY J.

RONAN, PATRICIA.

ROSS, STEPHEN.

ROY, JOHN.

RUD, ANTHONY G., Class Play 1; Soccer 1, 2; Track 1, 2; Co-Captain of Track 3; Ski Team 3; Newspaper 2; Sports Editor of Newspaper 3; Yearbook, Boys' Sports Editor 3.

RUEL, TIMOTHY W., Swim Team 2; Pep Club 2; Prom Committee 1; Student Government 1; Christmas Decorating Committee 1; After Prom Committee 3.

SADLOWSKI, MARGIE ROSE.

SCACE, ANNE L.

SCACE, SANDRA J., G.A.A. 1, 2, 3; Pep Club 1; *Mantra* 2; Yearbook, Business Staff 3; Drama Club 2.

SCHEULER, WILLIAM.

SCHEULER, DIANE C., G.A.A. 1, 2, 3; Pep Club 3.

SCHNOPP, JO ANN, G.A.A. Secretary 3; Pep Club 1, 2, 3; G.A.A. 1, 2, 3.

SCHULZE, JOHN.

SCUTT, DEAN C., Pep Club 3.

SHEPARD, SUSAN, Sophomore Executive Council 1; Pep Club 2; Circulation Staff of Newspaper 1; Student Council 2; Ski Club 2; G.A.A. 3; Business Staff of Yearbook 3.

SHERER, JOHN T., Radio Club 2; Track Team 2.

SHUFELT, MARYJANE, Pep Club 1, 2, 3; G.A.A. 1, 2, 3.

SHUTTS, BRUCE, Home Room Representative 1; Pep Club 1, 2, 3; President of Pep Club 3; Special Events 2, 3; Track 1; Basketball 2; Baseball 2, 3.

SIEGMUND, GESI.

SIME, LYNN, Pep Club 3.

SIMPSON, JOANN.

SINOPOLI, MICHAEL E.

SKIFF, TIMOTHY.

SKOCHINSKY, SUSAN N., Chorus 1, 2, 3; Drama Club 2, 3; Business Staff of Yearbook 3.

SLONSKI, STANLEY.

SMITH, DEAN.

SMITH, EDWARD, Soccer 2, 3; Pep Club 1, 2, 3.

SOLDATO, DAVID.

SOLDATO, WILLIAM C.

SOLDO, JILL, Library Club 3; Pep Club 1, 2, 3; Glee Club 1; French Club 1, 2; Dramatics 1, 2; Current Events Club 2; Junior Prom Committee 2.

SOREL, LAWRENCE J., JR., Football 1, 2; "The Crucible" 2; Radio Club 2, 3.

SOUTIER, GARY, Home Room Treasurer 2; Home Room Representative 2, 3.

SPERANZO, MARIANNE, Pep Club 1, 2, 3.





SPERLUNGO, KAREN M., Pep Club 1, 2, 3; G.A.A. 1, 2; Prom Committee 2, 3; Special Events Committee 2, 3; Usherettes for Junior Play 2.

SPETH, FRANK M., JR.

SPORBERT, FIONA, Home Room Treasurer 3; Girls' Vice President 2; Pep Club 1, 2, 3; G.A.A. 1, 2, 3; Home Room Representative 1.

STANKIEWICZ, ANTHONY L.

STAPLES, CAROL A.

ST. JAMES, DENNIS P., Drama Club 2, 3.

ST. JOHN, CRAIG.

STOCKTON, CHAUNCEY D., Home Room Representative 2, 3; Vice President of Student Government 3; Pep Club 2, 3.

STREET, BERNARD, Football 1, 2, 3; Captain of Football Team 3; Track 1, 2, 3; Student Government 3.

SULLIVAN, GREGORY D., Football 1, 2, 3; Wrestling 1, 2, 3; Golf 2, 3.

SUTTON, ROBERT, Home Room Representative 2.

SZYMANSKI, THERESE G., Chorus 1, 2, 3; G.A.A. 2, 3; Editor-in-Chief of Yearbook 3.

TANNER, BEVERLY, Pep Club 1, 2; G.A.A. 1.

TAYLOR, LAURIE L., Drama 2; Chorus 1, 2, 3; Business Staff of Yearbook 3.

TAYLOR, SHARON A.

TELFER, RANDALL L., Pep Club 3; Golf Team 2, 3.

TETLOW, GEORGE, Drama Club 2, 3; "The Crucible" 2; Debating Team 3.

TOMPKINS, WILLIAM B., Football 1, 2, 3.

TONE, KEVIN P., Band 1; Home Room Representative 1.

TOOMEY, MARGO, G.A.A. 1, 2; Pep Club 1.

TOOLEY, JACK R.

TROTTIER, TERRANCE S.

TROY, DON, Hockey 1, 2, 3; Student Government 1, 2, 3; Baseball 1, 2.

UNDERHILL, JAMES D.

VACCARO, MARTIN F., Student Government 3; Home Room Treasurer 3.

VALLONE, JAY.

VALLONE, JUDITH.

VILLANOVA, CECILIA, Home Room Treasurer 3.

VILLANOVA, GUINEVERE.

VINCENT, DIANE M.

WAGER, BETTY, G.A.A. 3; Pep Club 3.

WALAK, BEVERLY, G.A.A. 1, 2, 3; Treasurer of G.A.A. 2; President of G.A.A. 3; Home Room Representative 1; Pep Club 1, 2, 3.

WALKER, FRANK.

WATERS, WILLIAM R.

WEBB, TIMOTHY.

WEBBER, JEFFREY A., Library Volunteer 2; Junior Achievement 3.

WHITE, GUY B., Home Room Representative 3; Home Room Treasurer 2.

WHITTEMORE, JOHN B.

WICKER, URSULA M., G.A.A. 3; Pep Club 3.

WIGGLESWORTH, TIMOTHY.

WILKINSON, MICHAEL P.

WILLIAMS, LOU.

WILLIAMS, PETER.

WILSON, GREGG, Football 1, 2, 3; Basketball 1, 2, 3; Track 1, 2, 3; Co-Captain of Track Team 3.

WIXSOM, BARBARA, G.A.A. 1, 2, 3; Pep Club 2, 3; Taconic Belles 3.

WOITKOWSKI, JOANNE, *Mantra* 2, 3.

WOJIK, DAVID

WOJTKOWSKI, DAVID, Student Council 2, 3.

WOOD, MICHAEL J.

WOOD, SUSAN.

WOOD, THOMAS.

WRIGHT, KAREN.

YANSACK, PAUL, Football 1, 2, 3; Basketball 2, 3; Track 2, 3.

YON, JAY.

ZAWISTOWSKI, CHARLES.

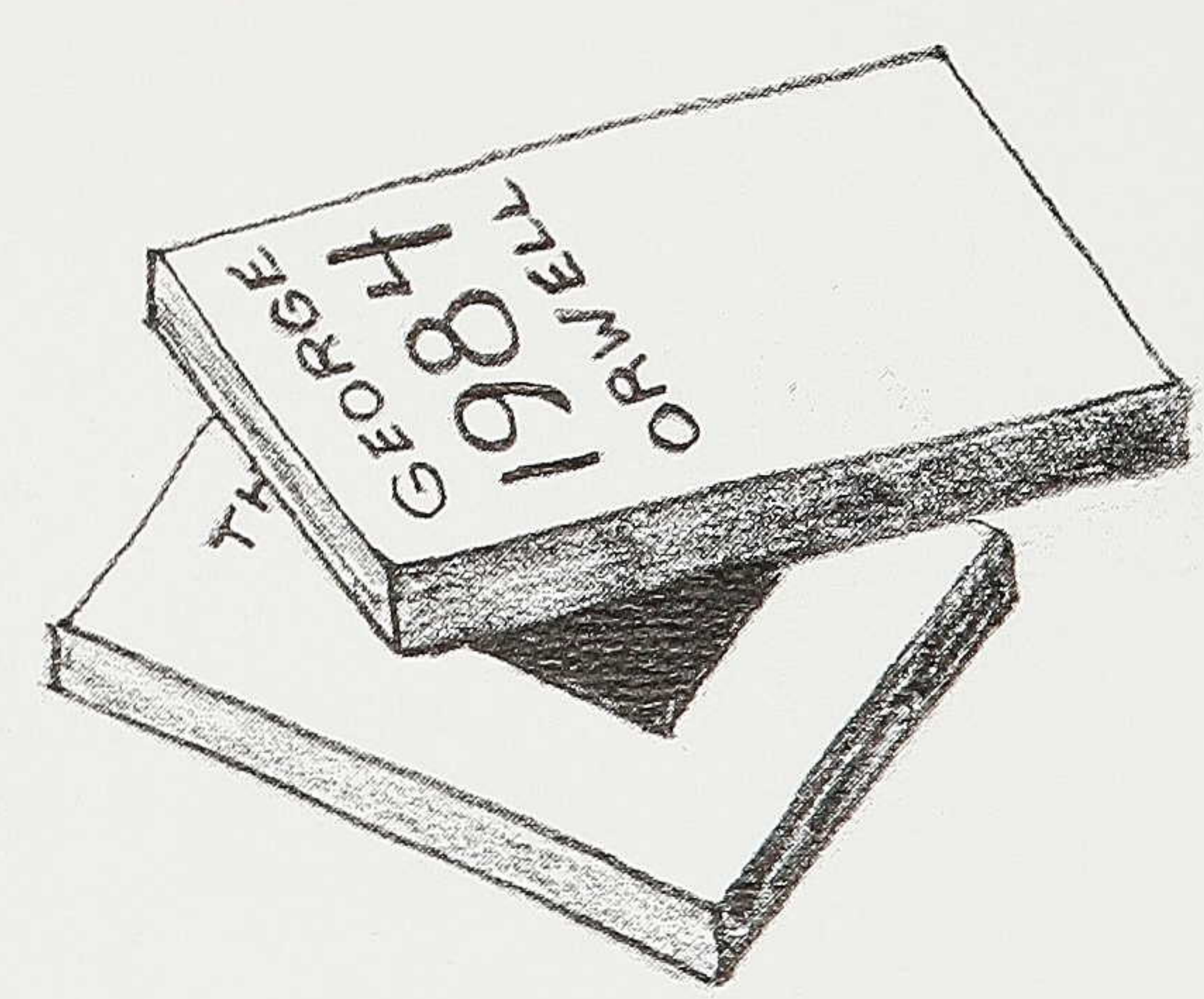
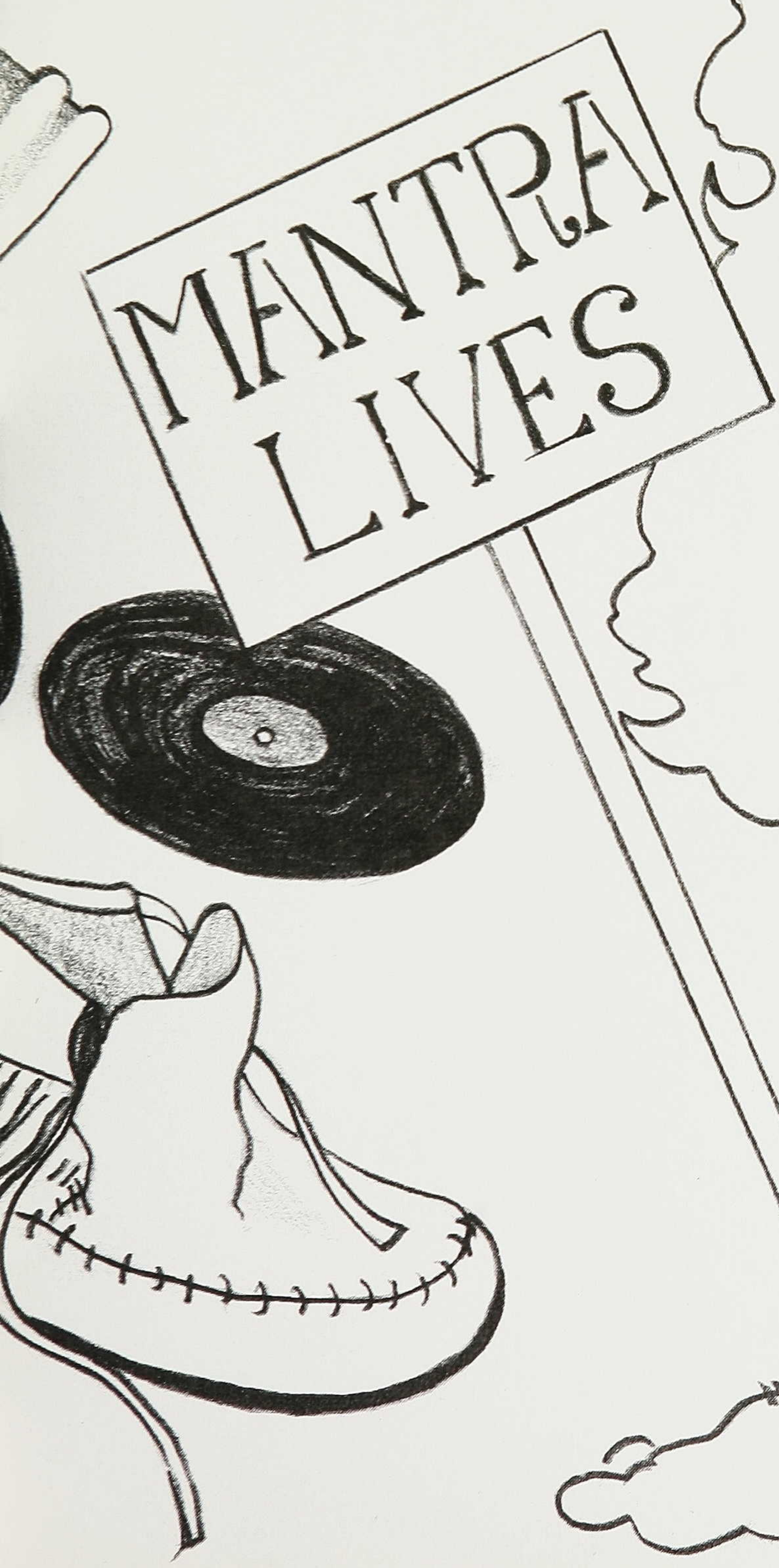
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SENIOR CLASS OFFICERS



Bill Donaldson, treasurer; Peggy Kennedy, girl's vice president; Jimmy Hermanski, Boy's vice president; Paul Blasioli, president; Kris Mirozinski, secretary.

Working with a fairly bankrupt class, our senior class officers managed to provide our seniors with a memorable last year of high school. We all owe them thanks for their hard work.



Mr. George Callaghan—Senior Class Advisor.

The class of 1971 certainly owes a great deal to this gentleman, Mr. George Callaghan. As our class advisor, he has shown much dedication and worked unbelievably hard.

Even though he takes his position very seriously, Mr. Callaghan has always had time to be friendly, and is never above a little bit of fun once in awhile. We are grateful indeed to have a class advisor so sensitive to our interests and devoted to making Taconic a better school for its students.

"Here's one way to get to class on time."

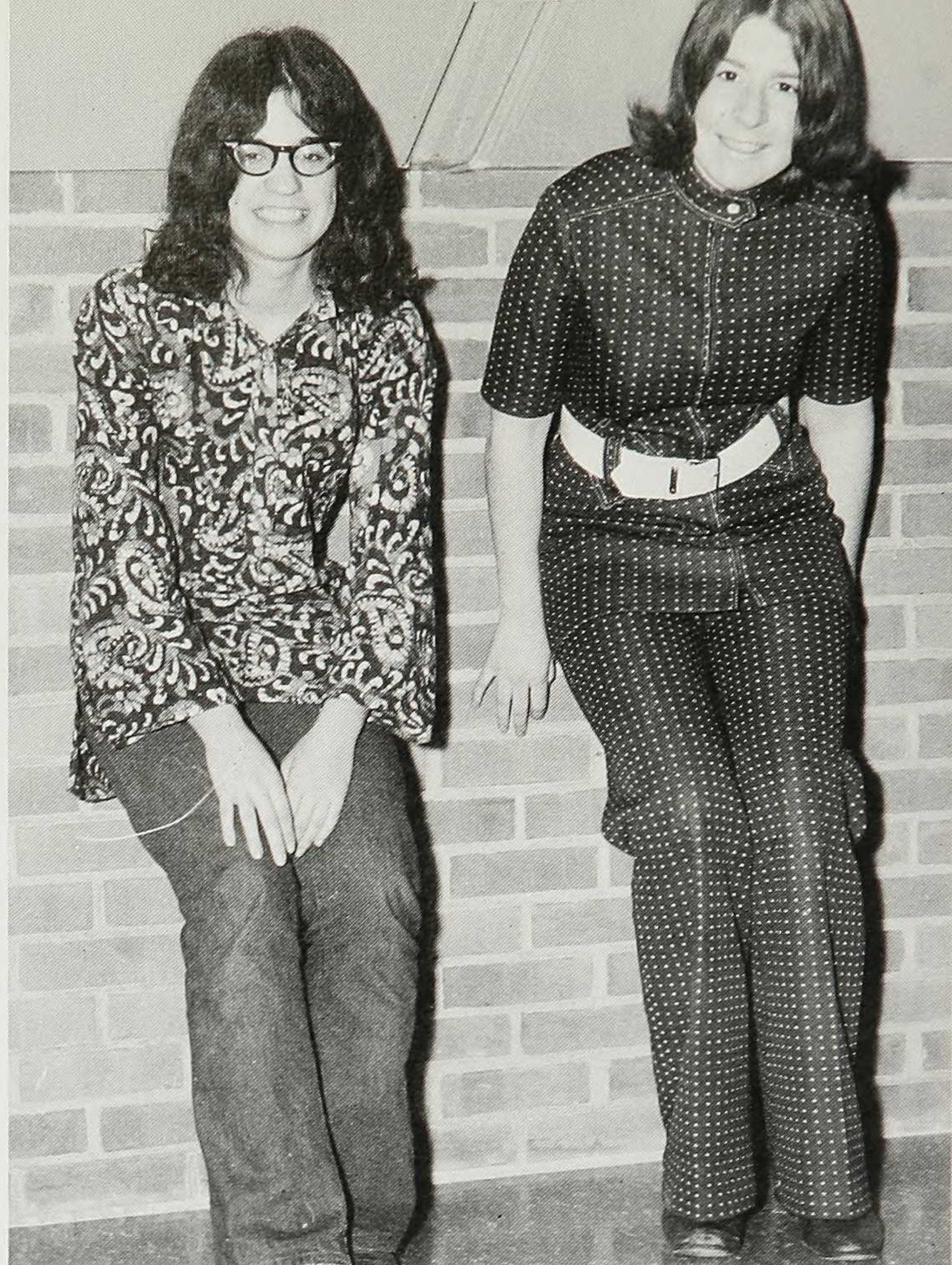
MANITOU

Business staff:

Diane Kurjan, Carol Larson, Dawn Ratcliff, Sandy Scape, Sue Skochinsky, Miss Homich, advisor, Sue Shepard, Lynn Nordeen.



"You're right, it is warmer out here."

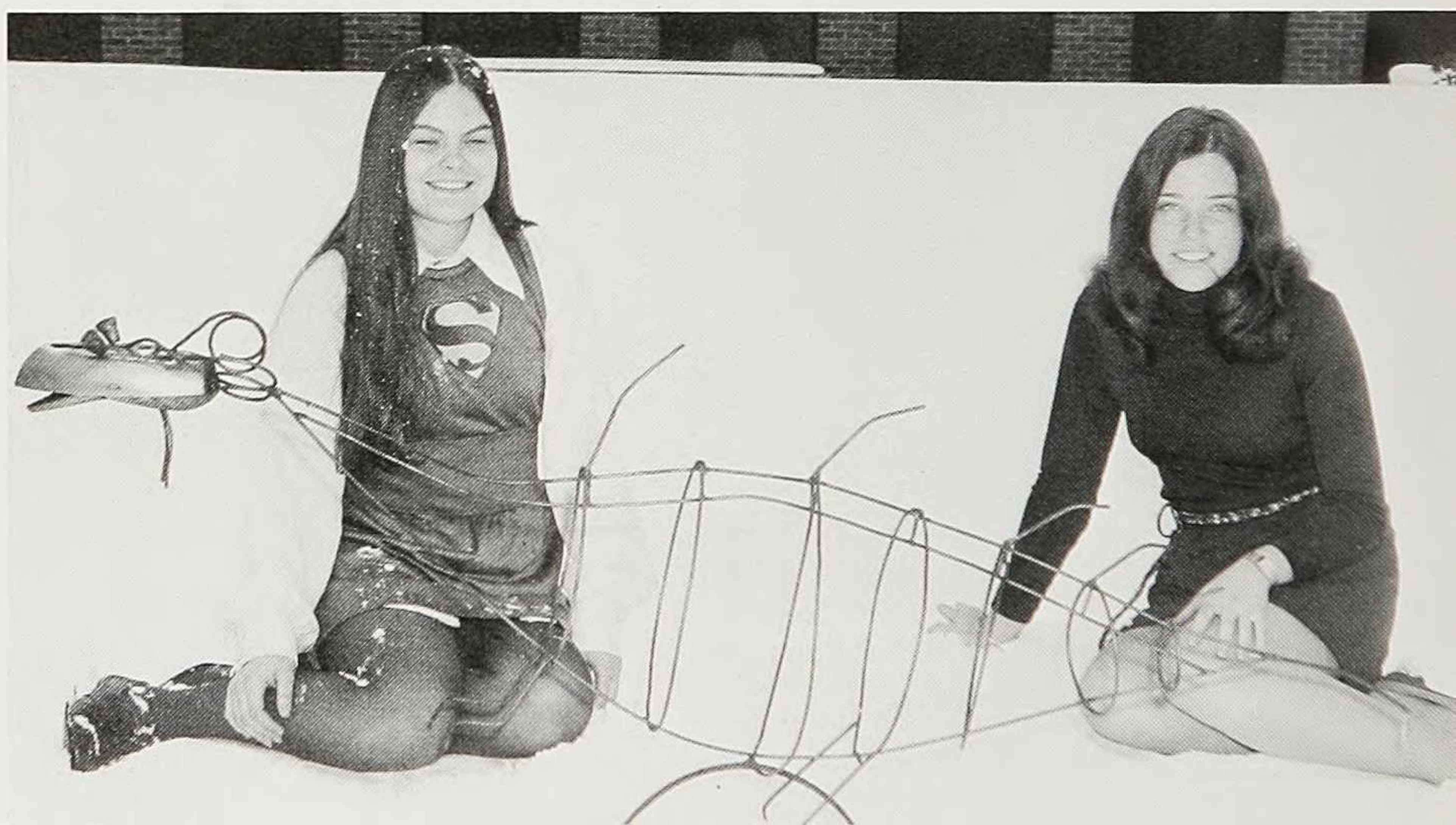


"Did you ever feel like you don't fit in?" Faculty Editors:
Sue Coleman, Cathy Colbert.



"Two company . . ."

Seniors Editors:
Pat Brutnell and Patti Rapkowicz.



"Where is everybody?"

Photographic Essay Editors:
Lynn Connors and Alynn Atherton.



"We want out!"

Activities:
Steve Collins, Carol Larson.



"I don't know what it is!"

Art staff:
Diane Kurjan, Holly Boice, editor, Kathy Chapman.



"How do you spell . . ."

Literary Editor Elaine Nacorchuk and Copy Editor Valerie Lagrotteria.

Although deadlines seemed to arrive as soon as they were assigned, we were able to complete the second edition of *Manitou*. The work on *Manitou* continues throughout the year for our advisor, Mrs. Perotta, and editor-in-chief Therese Szymanski. For the rest of us it meant one or two periods of frantic work followed by a long stretch of nervous anticipation over what the result of our labors would be.

Honors Editor Carl MacMillan and Sports Editor A. G. Rud.



"Dead Ringers."

Editor - in - chief Therese
Szymanski and Advisor
Mrs. Barbara Perrotta.



"Preppies."

MANTRA



Diane Kurjan, business manager; James Favre, art editor; Margaret Kennedy, business manager; Mr. Louis Roberts, advisor; Elaine Nacorchuk, editor-in-chief; Stephen Collins, prose editor; Karla Knutson, poetry editor.

Mantra again provided an outlet for the literary and artistic talents. Its staff strived to present its readers with a quality publication.

BRAVE TALK



A. G. Rud, sports editor; Kathy Burke, business manager; Steve Collins, feature editor; Miss Patricia Lewis, faculty advisor; Kristine Forsgard, editor-in-chief.

Brave Talk, for its second year, attempted to combine the student's interests in school and community. Though the newspaper found a scarcity of writers, it was able to publish several issues.

DRAMA CLUB



Sitting: Karl Reynolds, Laurie Taylor, Cathy Curran, Pat Ostrander, Gloria Olson, Don Hamm, Nancy Novak, Richard LeBlanc. Standing: Ken Clapper, Sue Skochinsky, Dale DeCarlo, Karen Clark, Philip Brady, Miss Karpeck, Gary Doucett, Lori Cody, Betty Iwanowicz, Joanne Markessinis, Steve Collins, Lynn Connors, Vicki Robare.



"The tragedy of Oedipus Rex begins."

The Taconic Masquers, as our drama club is known, provided their audiences with good entertainment. From the experimental one act plays of *On the Road to Nowhere* to the traditional musical *The Unsinkable Molly Brown*, the Masquers proved their versatility.



"Just tell me. Are you finally through with me?"



"Take a load off your feet Grandma!"



Carl MacMillan, Sally Nickum, George Tetlow, Donald Hamm, Pat Ostrander, Edward DiNicola, advisor, Gary Doucett, Peggy Kennedy, Dennis St. James. Absent: Joanne Biron, Julie MacDonald, Debbie Soule, Wendy Loomis.

CHEERLEADERS



Top Row: Sue Lander, Michele Dupuis, Melinda Hanzarak. Second Row: Patti Oslund, Barbara Janas, Laura Philips, captain, Pat Neubert, Debbie Dimanche. Kneeling: Karen Hoffman.

A really active group, these girls have the job of leading the enthusiasm for our teams at all the games. Besides this, they work with the Pep Club in generating excitement and crowds for each game.



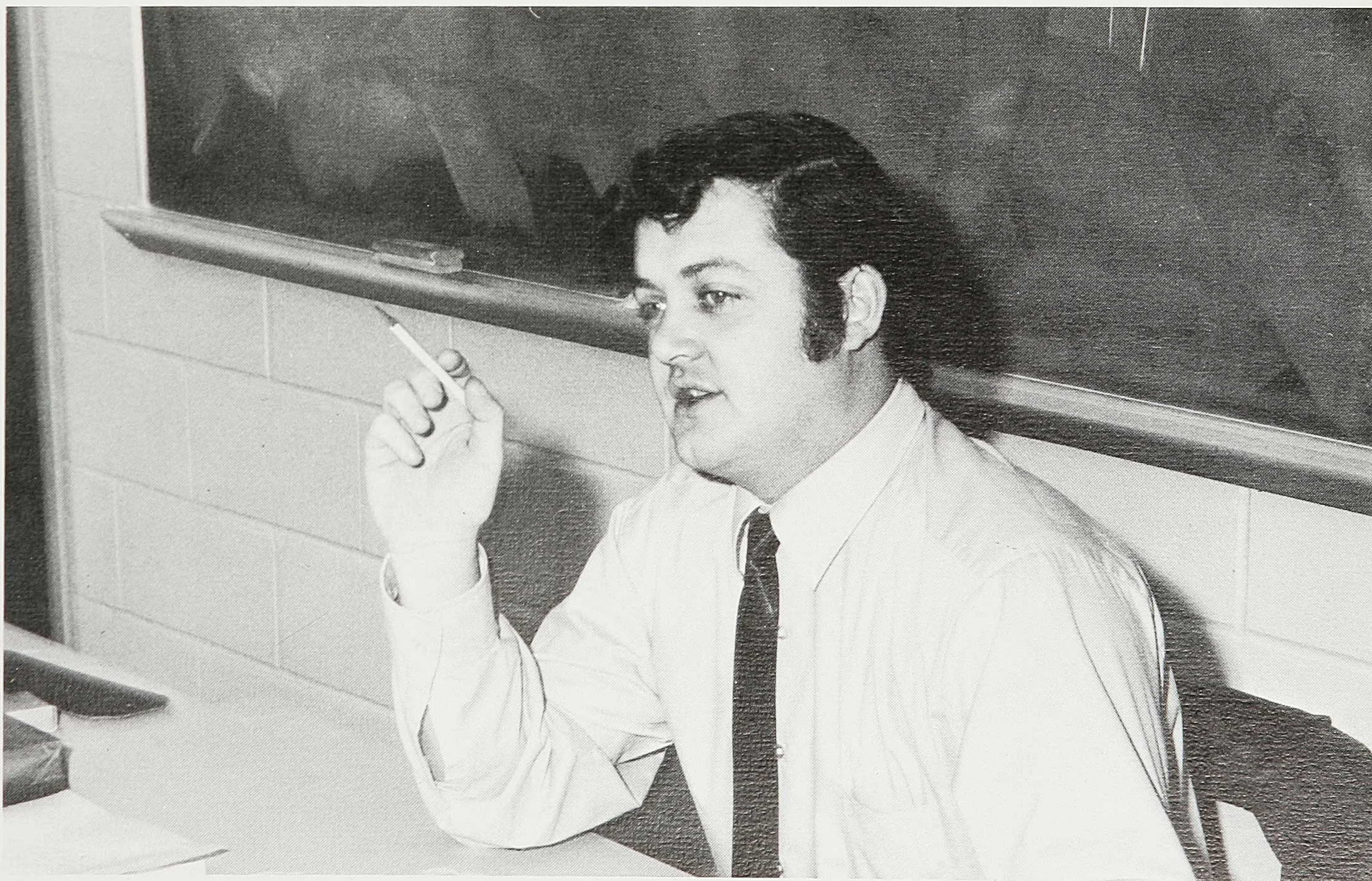
Miss Carol Boivin—advisor.

STUDENT GOVERNMENT

Taconic's student government and its officers always have a large task before them. Working to please all the segments of our school as a truly representative government, they must constantly be aware of what is going on throughout the school.



Sitting: Sue Rapkowicz, Historian; Robin Bradley, treasurer; Pam Rodriguez, assistant secretary. Standing: Edward Powers, president; Pat Brutnell, secretary; Chauncey Stockton, vice president.



Mr. Meaney, advisor.

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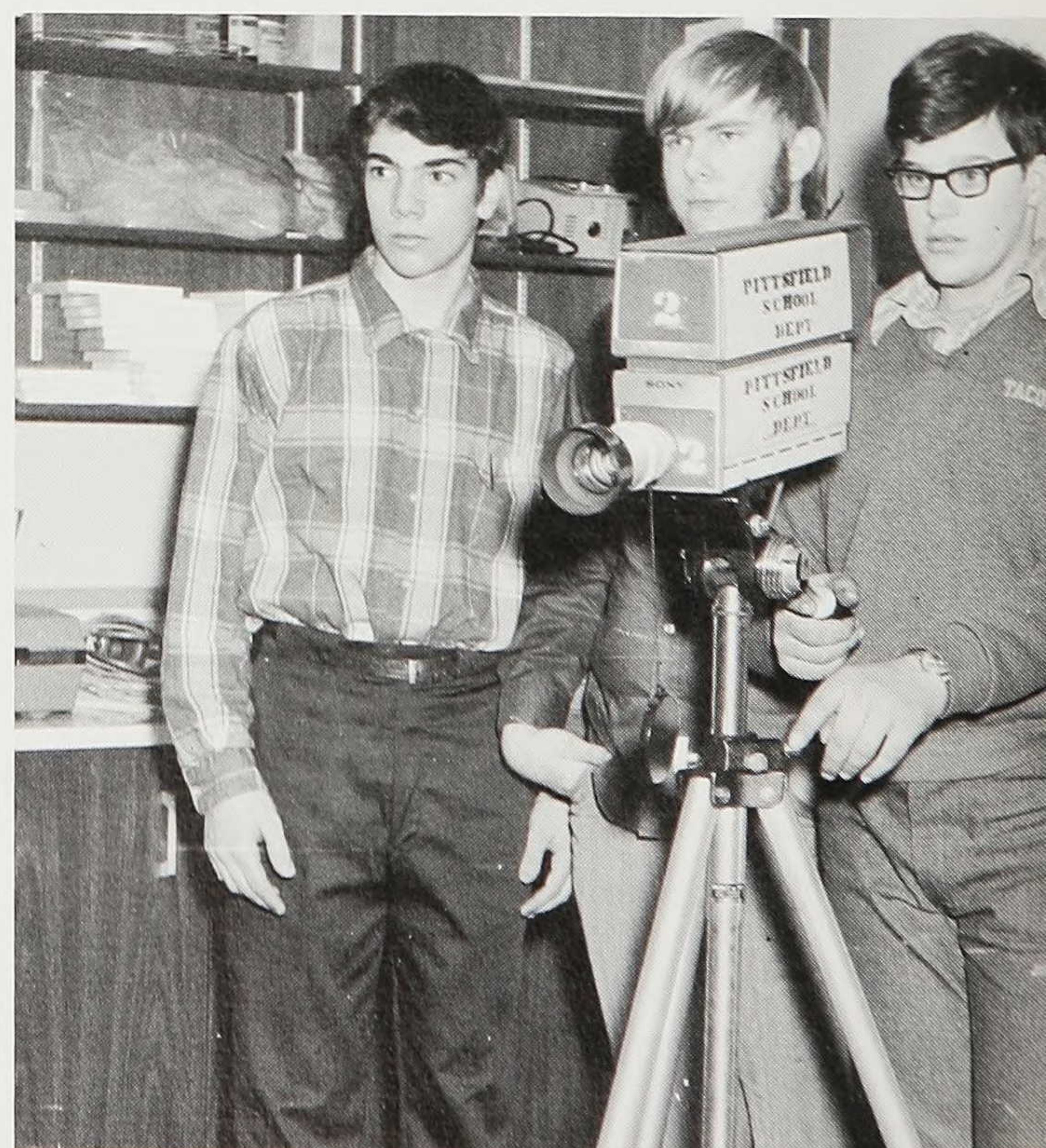


First Row: Miss June Tierney, advisor, Ann Hardenburg, Debbie Benham, Diane Bull, Pat Ostrander, Barb Dietrich, manager, Peggy Kennedy. Top Row: Eleanor Cohen, Judy Huggabone, Tony Monterosso, Jim Amaral, Jeff Goodman, Rick Pucko.

AUDIO

One of Taconic's innovations is its bookstore, founded this year. Besides providing funds for our Student Government and supplies for the students and faculty, it helps to break the traditional image of a high school.

The Audio Visual Club is in charge of much of the audio-visual equipment of the school. The members of this new club learn how to operate all the equipment and receive certificates showing what they have learned.



Anthony Monterosso, Jack Browne, Jeff Goodman, Ken Clapper, Pirers.



RADIO CLUB

First Row: Larry Sorel, president; Kathy Sluzarz, treasurer; Louis Skoletsky, secretary and sports; John DeForest, chief engineer; Mr. Cooper, advisor. Second Row: Alan Townes, public relations; Steve Nikitas, Ed Povencher; Ken Stuart; Mike Parise, Dick Combes, vice president. Third Row: Dennis Fitch, Bill Degnan, advertising manager; Jay MacInerney, Terry Holland, Joe Crane, Jack Browne, Tim O'Neill.

VISUAL



Taconic is proud to have the country's first high school radio station. Broadcasting from a room off the library, the Radio Club provides a pleasant atmosphere for everyone before school and at lunch. Another benefit that the club provides is the record shop which it operates.

CHORUS



First Row: Valerie Lagrotteria, Laurie Taylor, Pam Evans, Janice Clark, Dorla Knight, Jane Carrington, Karen Evans, Sue Skochinsky, Theresa Szymanski. Second Row: Chris Amuso, Charlene Marcil, Gail Denny, Paula Pettyjohn, Karen Ward, Debbie Jackson, Hester Kelly, Cherilyn Branton, Jo Miraglia. Back Row: Brian Smith, Ralph Sweeney, Dick Ingram, George Brewster, Tom Wall, Phil Brady, Mr. Forrest.

PEP

Taconic's chorus presented fine entertainment not only at its own concerts but also at rallies and other functions that are usually non-musical. We are lucky to have so many beautiful voices in our school.



Sitting: Joan Reddy, treasurer; Donna Bernardo, vice president; Patti Rapkowicz, secre-

G.A.A.



Kneeling: Lynn Nordeen, Donna Bernardo, Debbie Corkins, Patti Wheeler, Rosanne Phillips, Judy Senger. Sitting: Kay Harrison, Chris Dixon, vice president; Beverly Walak, president; Kathy Castronova, secretary; Nancy Green. Absent: Joanne Schnopp, treasurer.

CLUB



The G.A.A. sponsored many recreational activities throughout the year. The most memorable of these functions was the successful Ski Night.

Taconic's athletes and fans owe the Pep Club a hand for helping to generate excitement in our sports programs. Our fine teams were well encouraged thanks to the work of this able group.

tary. Kneeling: Mr. Christopolis, advisor; Bruce Shutts, president.

DEBATE TEAM



Sitting: Miss Rebecca Burnett, advisor; Lynn Connors, Jane Carrington, Gary Doucett.
Standing: Rick LeBlanc, Steve Collins, Pat Ostrander, Carl MacMillan. Absent: Vicki Robare, Shennan Danford.

Operating as the phantoms of our school, the Debate Team quietly built a good record of wins especially for a new team. Though none of the team members had debated officially before, we were represented by both novice and varsity teams in a highly competitive league.

1970-71 National Forensic Topics: Resolved: that the federal government should establish, finance and administer programs to control air and water pollution in the United States.

DEBATE TEAM SCHEDULE

October 29, double round at Taconic.

November 17, single round at St. Joseph's, North Adams.

December 10, single round at Wahconah.

January 21, single round at Taconic

April 1, double round at Pittsfield High

April 6, double round at St. Joseph's, Pittsfield.

Teams in the Berkshire Forensic League:

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LIBRARY CLUB

One of the least known and recognized clubs at Taconic is the hard working Library Club. Before school and during their studies they assist the librarian in keeping the Resource Center in order. Also, each year they sponsor an essay contest and several recitals.

BAND

The school band this year is under the very capable direction of Mr. Ellis. This group adds a lively note to the games and rallies and also performs at various school assemblies. Taconic should be proud to have a band which plays so well and with such spirit.



Front Row: Anne McNutt, Teresa Bona, Patricia Reinhart, Kathleen Sluzarz, Jean Petell, Carlene Drake, Jane Nugent, Gloria Olson. Second Row: Frances Zegarowski, Robert Ritcher, Richard Bouchard, Curtis Abbot, Kenneth Longstreeth, Dave Zahn, George Brewster. Third Row: Louis Skoletsky, Mike Zawistowski, Tom Briggs, Tom Roche, Mr. Ellis.

H o n o r s







National Merit Letter of Commendation Winners: Lawrence Sorel, Jeffrey Webber, Curtis Abbott, Theresa Szymanski, Mark Caravaty, Margaret Kennedy, Steven Nikitas, Alynn Atherton, Stephen Collins.



Jane Carrington, National Merit Semi-Finalist, is enrolled in A.P. English and A.P. United States History. She is a member of the varsity debate team and of Taconic's chorus. Jane will be a music major at Wellesley in the fall.

Paul Cormier, National Merit Semi-Finalist, is enrolled in A.P. Biology and Calculus. Paul is a fine member of Taconic's wrestling team. He plans to attend a liberal arts college and enroll in a pre-med program.





Elaine Nacorchuk, National Merit Semi-Finalist, is a C.P. student carrying Advanced Placement Chemistry and Calculus. Elaine is also editor-in-chief of "Mantra" and literary editor of "Manitou." She plans to attend a liberal arts college and major in Chemistry.

Anthony Rud, National Merit Semi-Finalist, is an outstanding member of the track team and this year is a co-captain. He is Sports' Editor of both "Brave Talk" and "Manitou." A.G. is enrolled in A.P. English and A.P. United States History which should well prepare him for being a history major at Dartmouth.





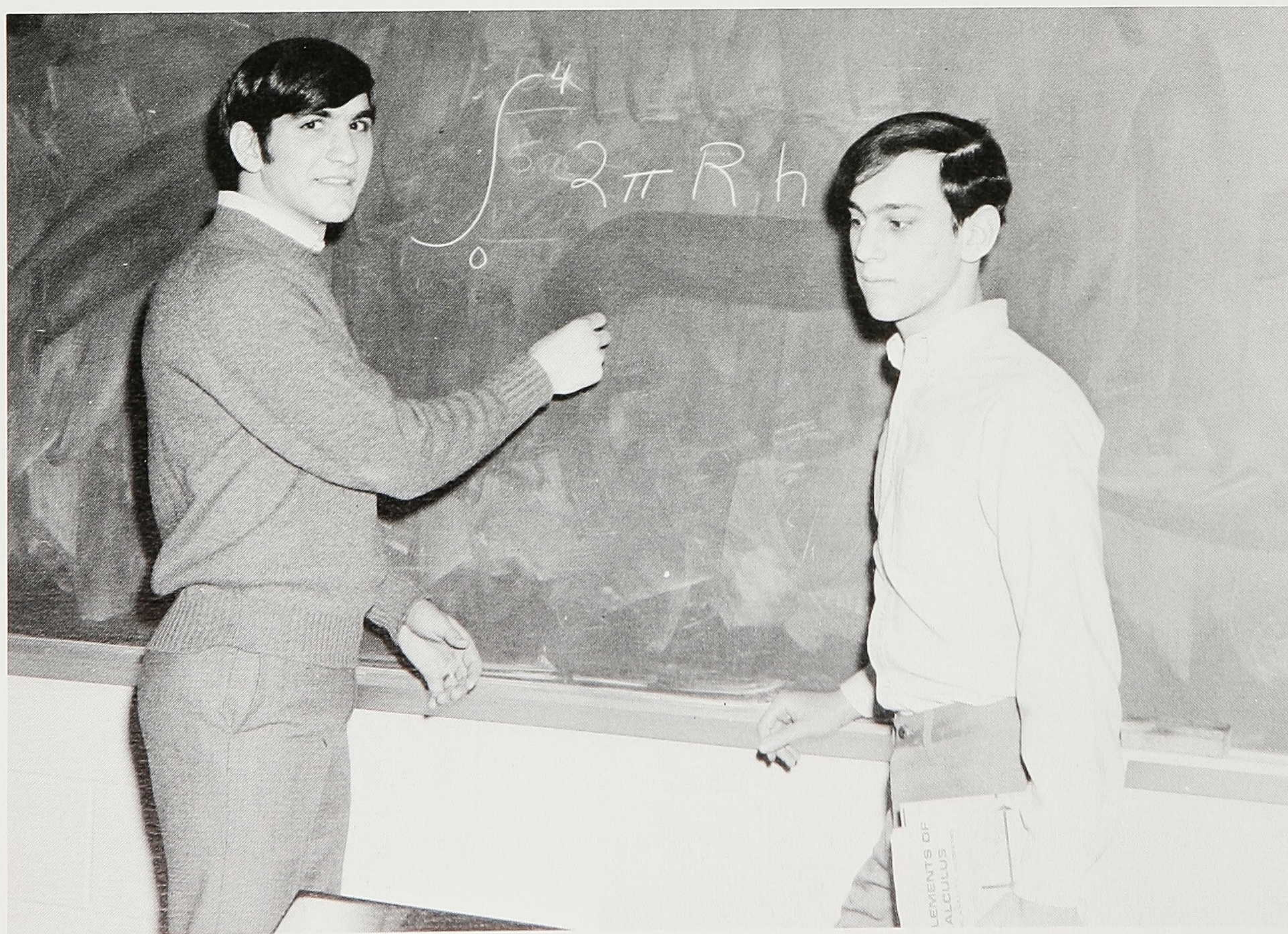
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Richard LeBlanc, National Merit Semi-Finalist, is enrolled in A.P. English, A.P. Biology, and A.P. United States History. He is on the varsity debate team, writes for "Brave Talk," and is a drama club member. Richard will attend a liberal arts college and major in political science.

Jane Carrington and Margaret Kennedy are the proud recipients of the National Council of English Teachers Award. There are twelve finalists in Massachusetts, four of them from Berkshire County. Peggy and Jane are the only finalists from Pittsfield. Peggy is enrolled in A.P. English and A.P. United States History. She is senior girl's vice-president and is active in the Student Government. Peggy is a member of the drama club and a business manager for "Mantra." She will attend a liberal arts college and major in psychology.



Barbara Dietrich is this year's winner of the Jewish War Veteran's Award. She is an A.P. United States History student and a Student Government representative. She also manages Taconic's bookstore. Barb will major in sociology at Westfield State College in the fall.



Paul Blasioli and Robert Pastore were winners of the Seventh Annual Olympiad High School Prize Competition in Mathematics. The competition is conducted by the Massachusetts Association of Mathematics Leagues and sponsored by the Actuaries' Club of Boston.

Paul is enrolled in A.P. Chemistry and A.P. Calculus. He is president of the senior class and a member of the baseball team. Paul hopes to attend Cornell where he will major in engineering.

Bob Pastore also takes A.P. Calculus and is a member of the golf team. Bob plans to enter a business college with a view toward an eventual career in that field.

Patricia Brutnell has won this year's Daughter of the American Revolution Award. She is secretary of the Student Government, a senior's editor of "Manitou," and a member of both the Pep Club and the Girl's Athletic Association. She is enrolled in A.P. English and A.P. European History. Pat hopes to attend Siena College where she will be an English major.



This year Steve Nykorchuk, Peter Jaquins and Thomas Wood have won the Vocational Essay contest, which entitles them to have their papers submitted to the State Department of Vocational Education for judging in competition with other Western Massachusetts Schools.

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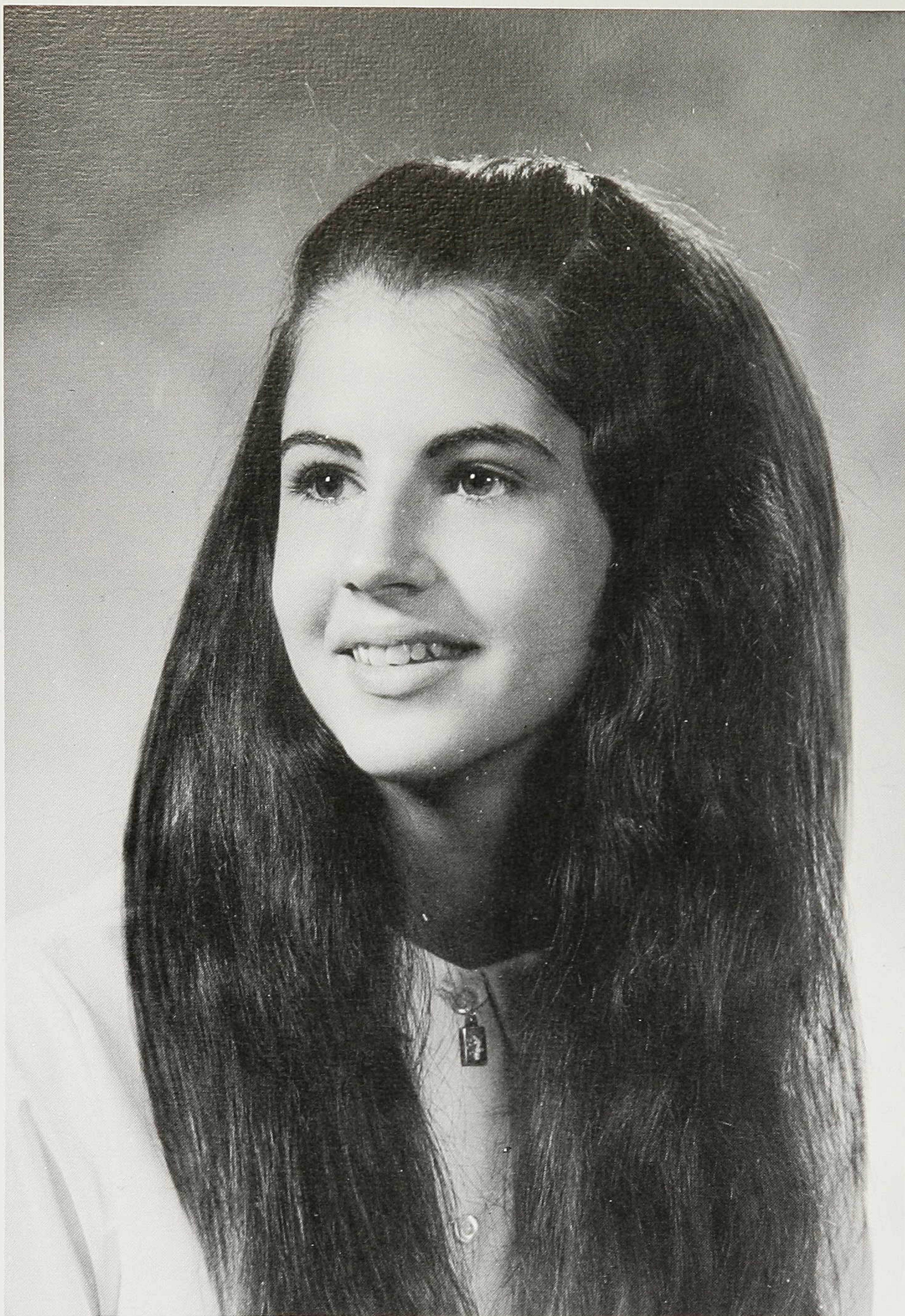
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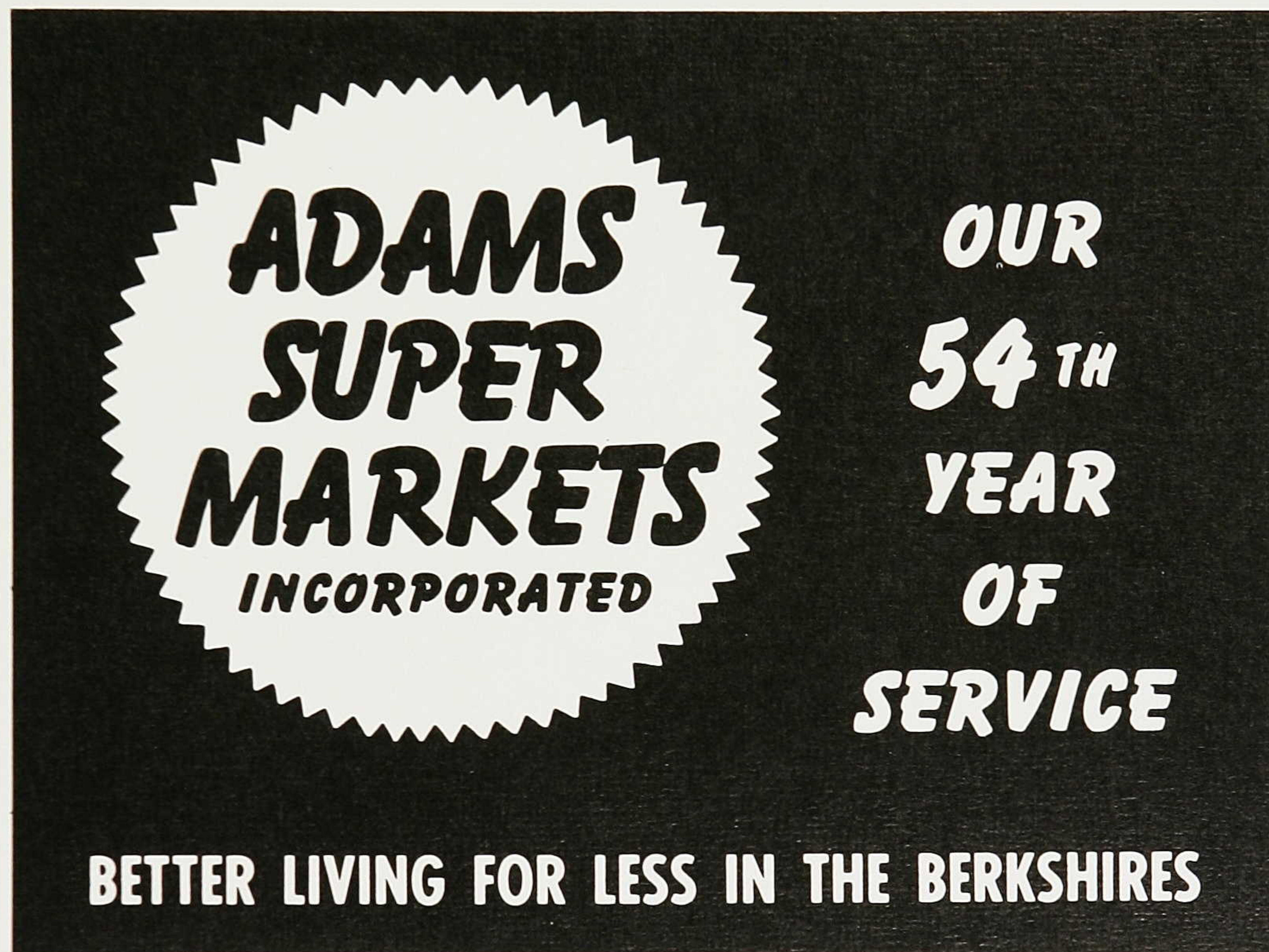
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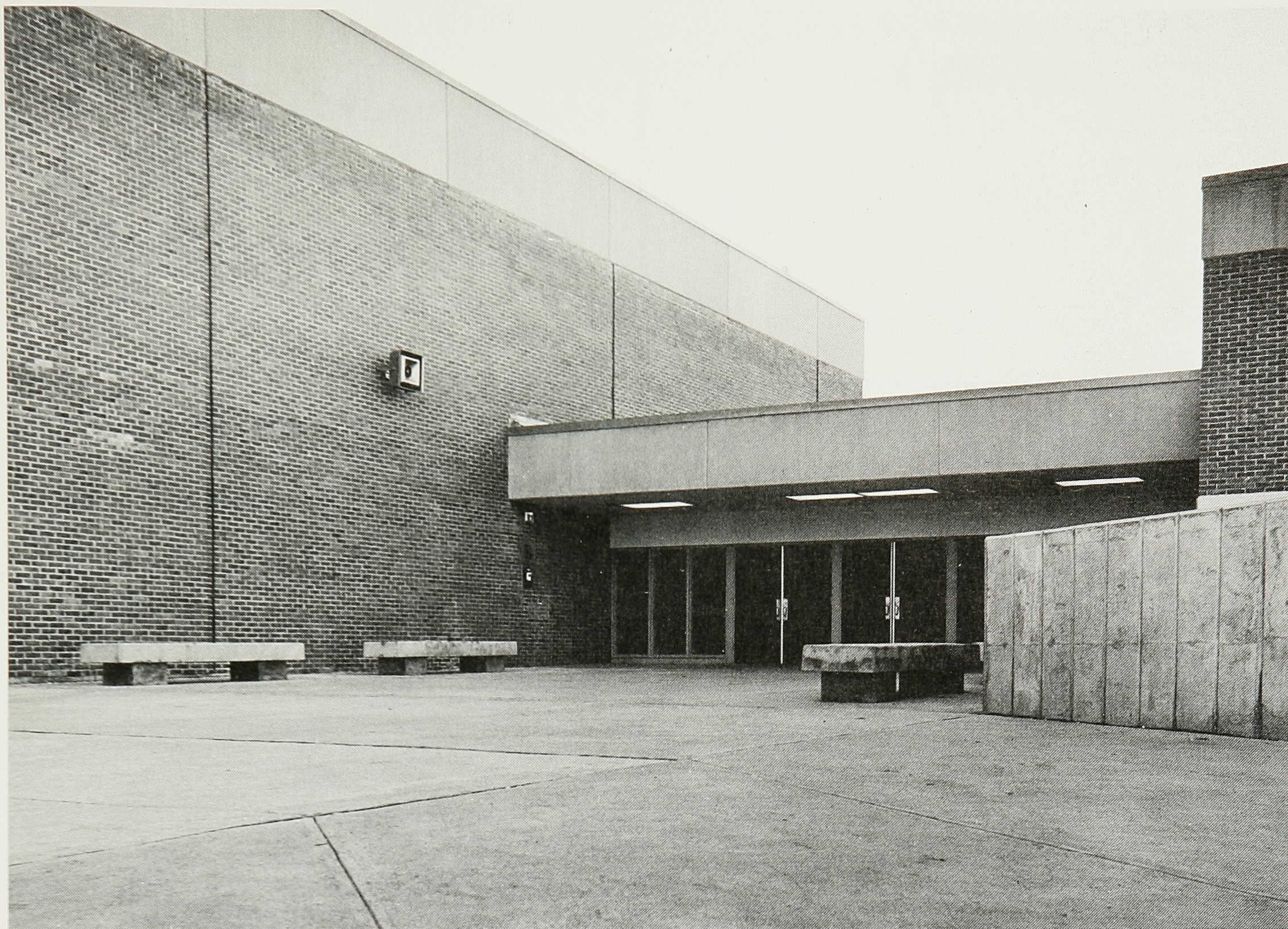
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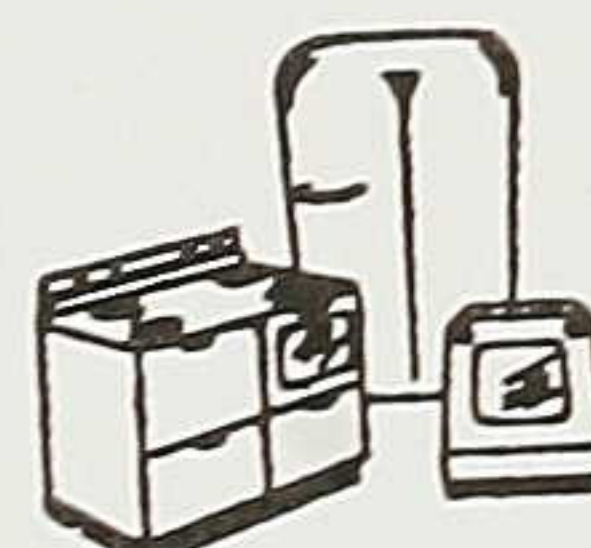
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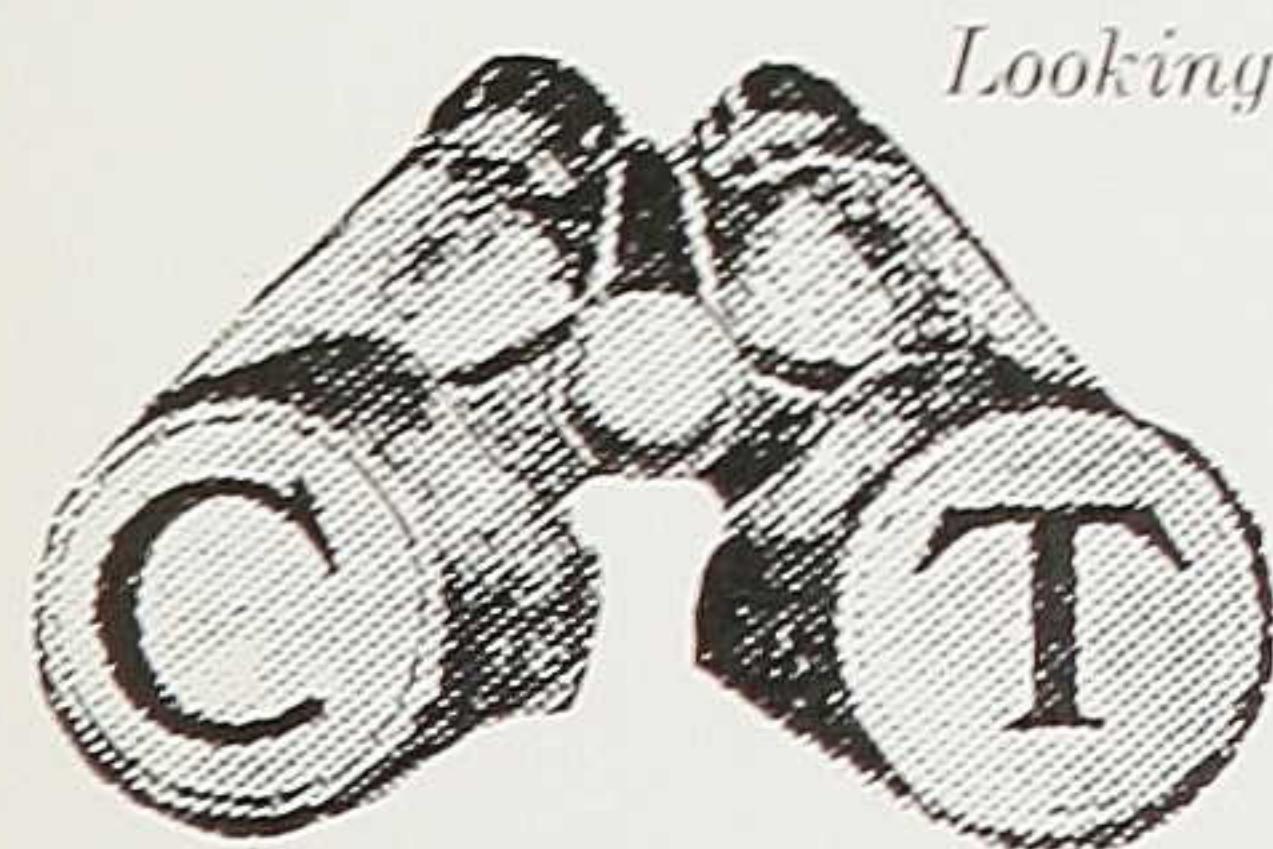
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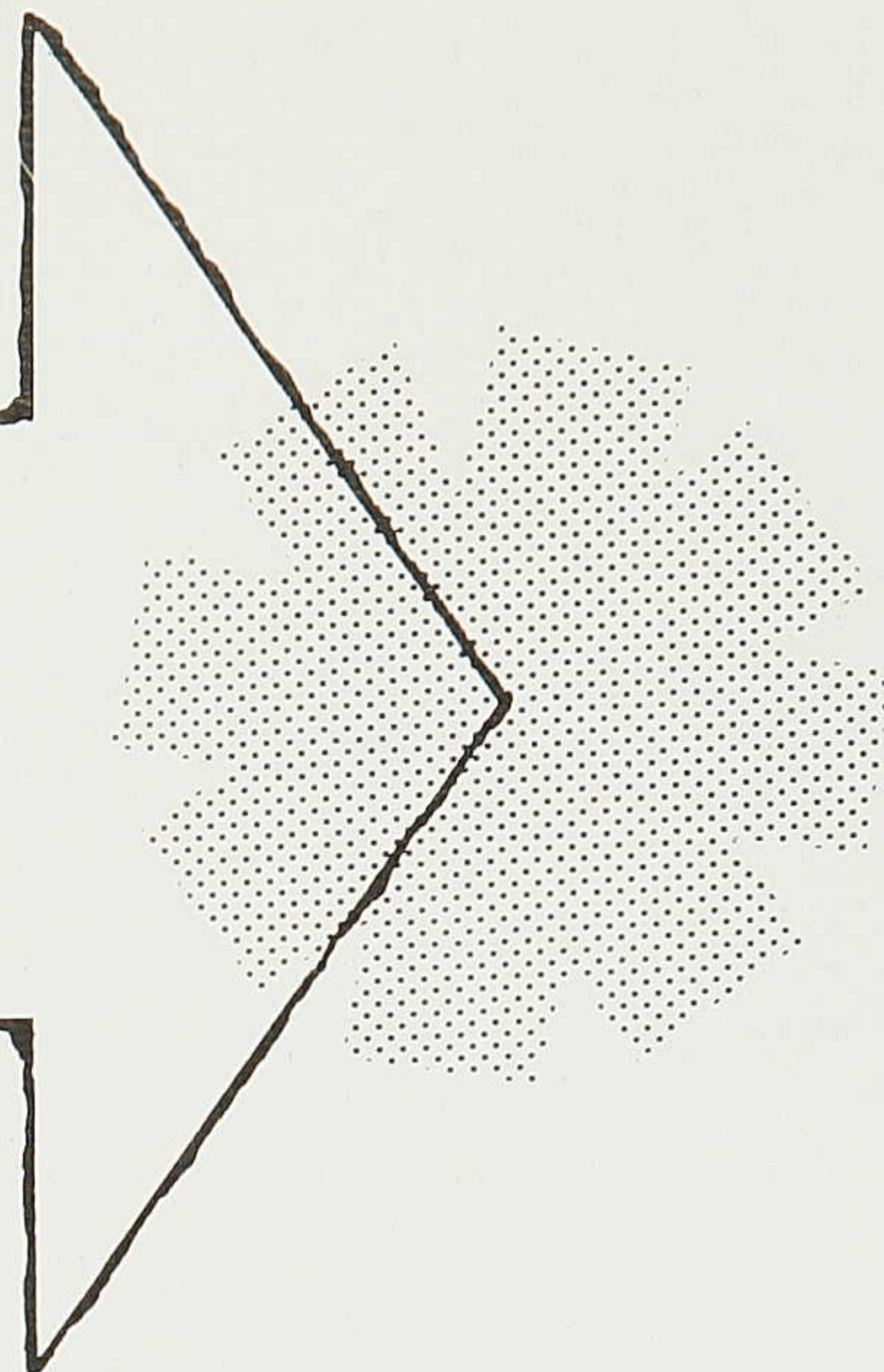
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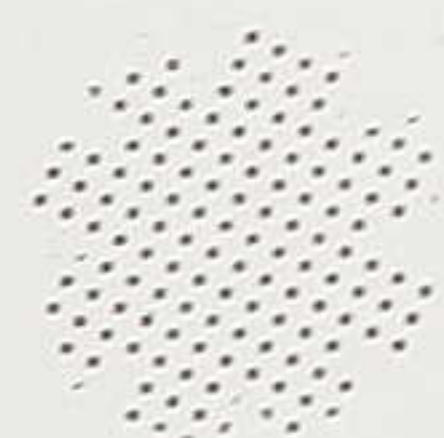
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Senior Week

Alone at last.



The Prom

The first of many traditional Senior Week events was the Junior-Senior Prom which was held at the Colonial Hilton. Everyone enjoyed the festive atmosphere of the Ballroom before going on to the After Prom at Eastover.

I could have danced all night.



"Belly up to the Bar, Boys!"



"I ain't down yet!"

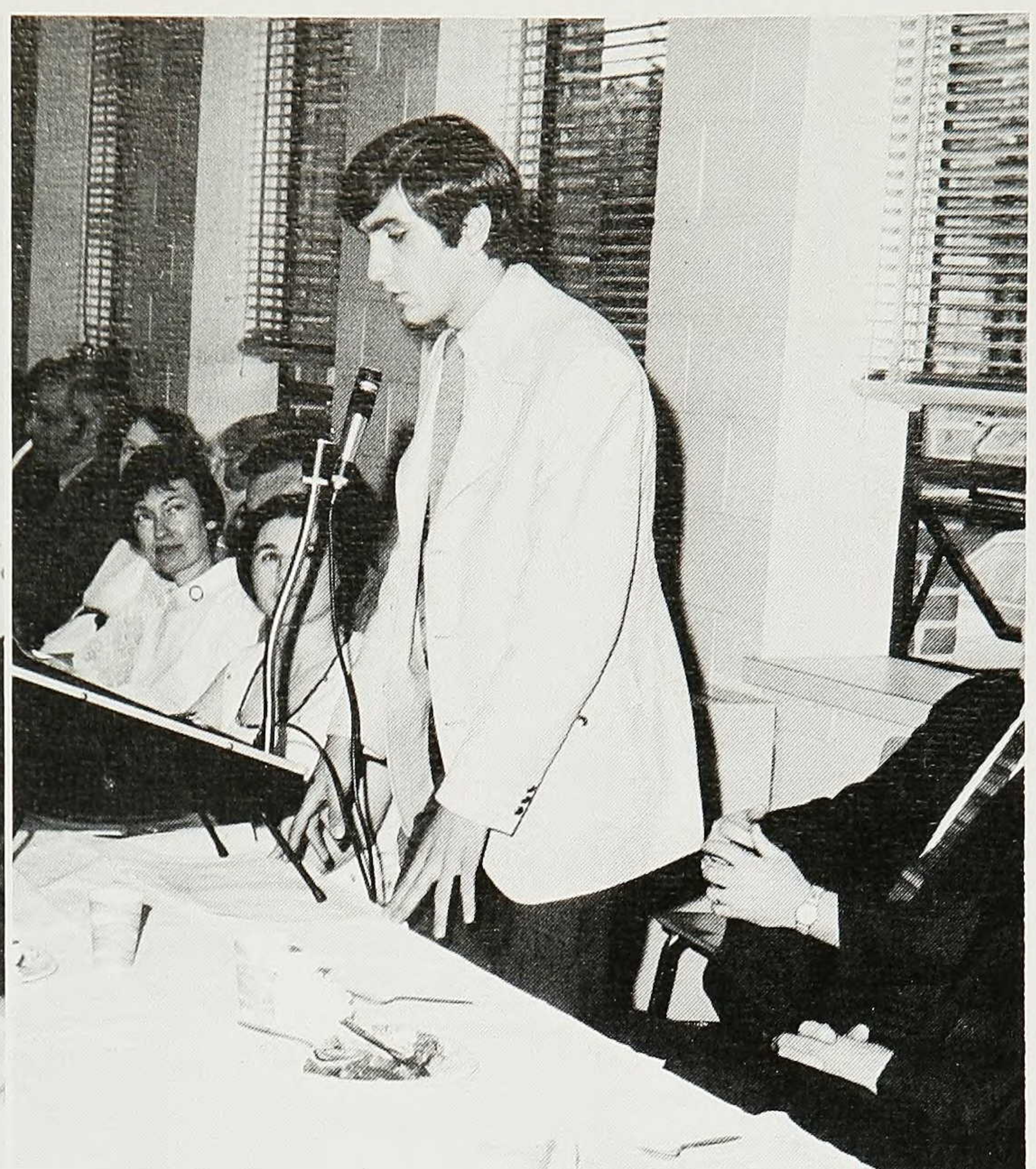
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This year we had the pleasure of seeing an exciting production of the musical "The Unsinkable Molly Brown" which played to a nearly full house for three nights. The excellent acting, singing and choreography were enhanced by the set design and the costuming. "Molly Brown" was a treat not only for those of us who saw it but also for the many students and teachers who took part in the show.

The Senior Banquet

The glass of fashion

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The Banquet was held indoors this year because of the threat of rain. The Food Trade students again prepared a wonderful meal. It was fun seeing the teachers serve the dinner and listening to the music provided by Mr. Cooper.



"Is it soup yet?"



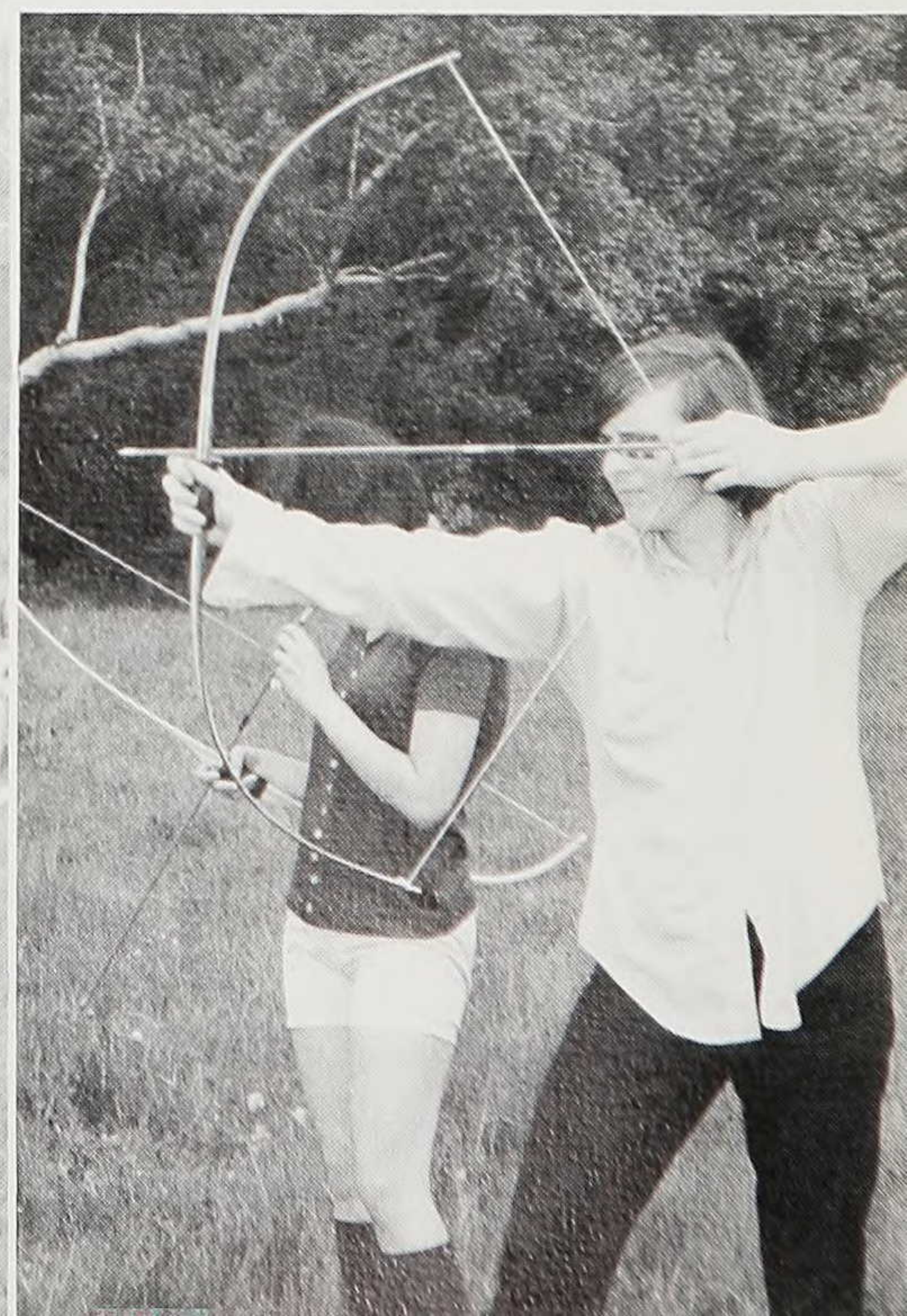
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What goes up must come down.



Class Day

Class Day was the last formal assembly of the Seniors at Taconic. Awards and scholarships were presented to students who participated in the many activities. The highlight was the Candlelight Ceremony when the class officers transferred their responsibilities to the Juniors. Two rock groups provided entertainment.



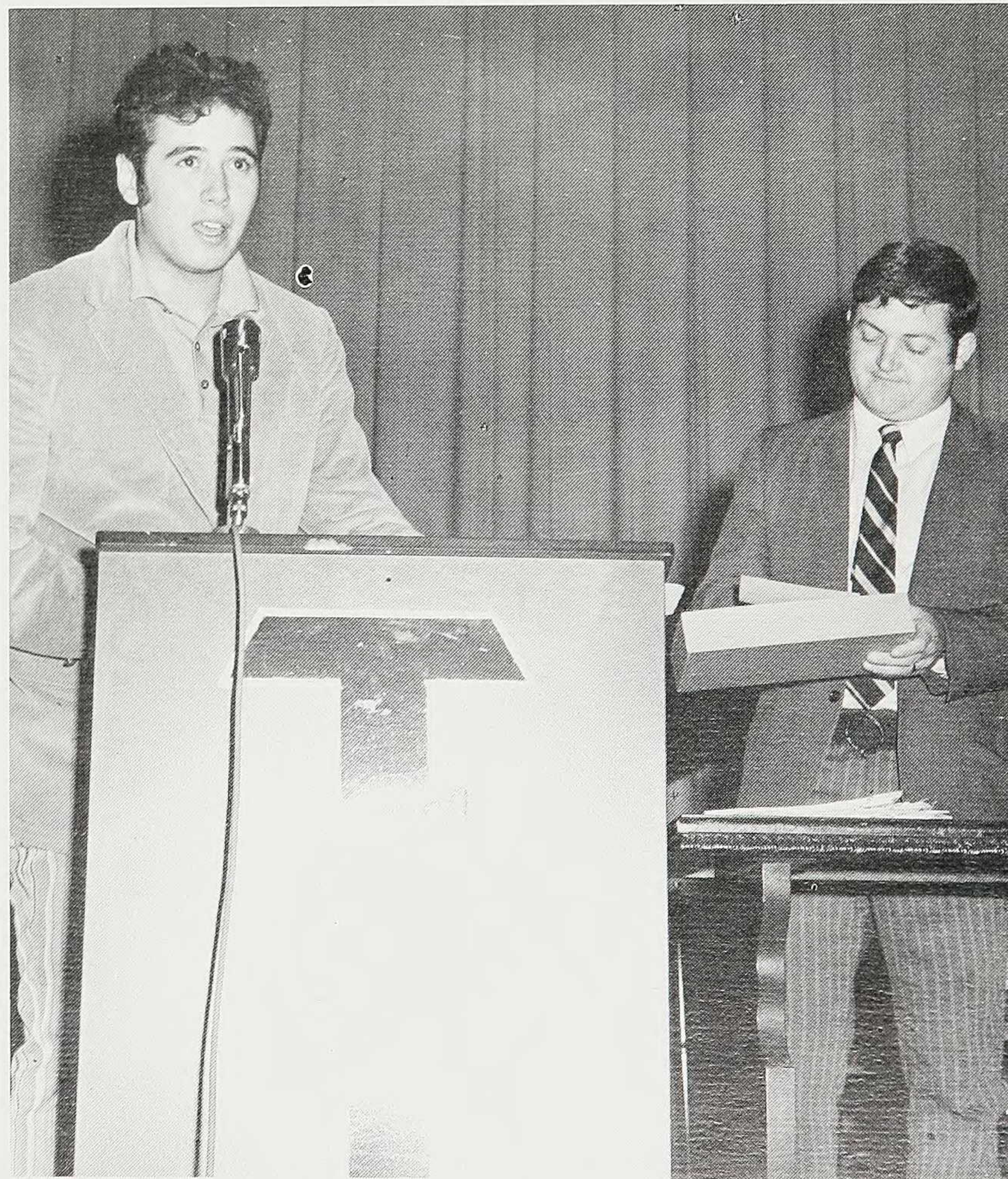
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Hail, hail, the gang's all here.



The times, they are a changing.



Accustomed as I am to public speaking.

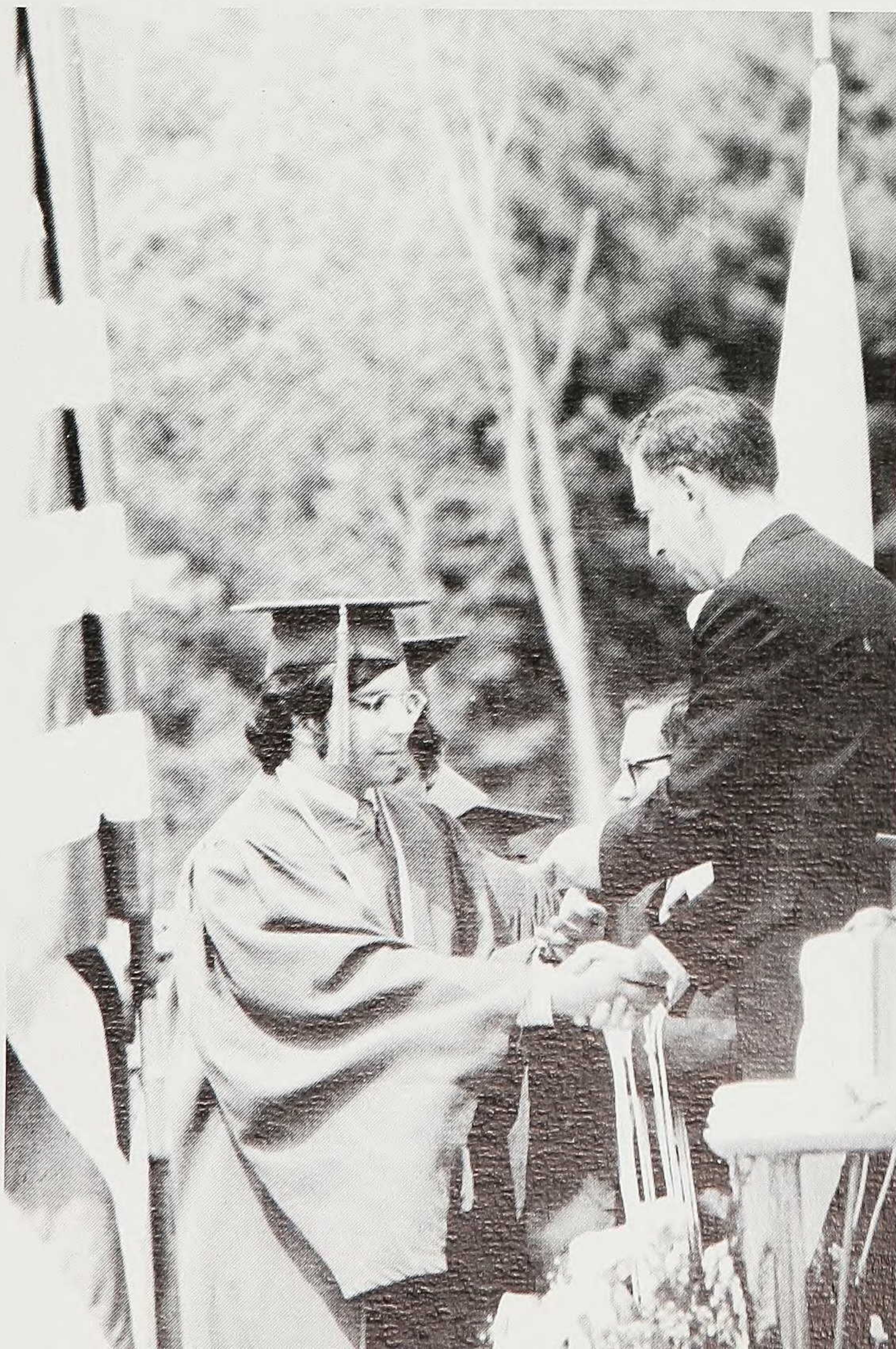
Graduation



June sixteenth was a beautiful day for the graduation of the Class of 1971. Class President Paul Blasioli spoke for all of us when he said that we are no longer a class but part of society. As we leave Taconic High School with our memories, we must remember that we are the hope of the future.

Best foot forward.

Remember — the left hand goes over the right.



We finally made it!



Baseball Team



Come on, boys, let's win!

The Taconic Braves baseball team fought valiantly all season but were plagued by bad weather and lack of experience. Providing a steadying influence for the team were Captain Mickey Goodrich, Mike Murphy and John Izzo.



Left to right: Coach R. DiOrio, G. Wilker, C. Mancivilano, M. Quadrozzi, D. Turner, D. Massena, K. Ireland, G. Rocca, R. Cory. Standing: Manager B. Pires, D. Troy, P. Campoli, C. Jacoby, J. Izzo, M. Murphy, K. Dunning, T. Beuth, P. Blasioli, D. Giardina, Captain M. Goodrich.

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| Scores: | | | |
| Hoosac | 9 | T.H.S. | 1 |
| Hoosac | 6 | T.H.S. | 1 |
| St. Joe (N.A.) | 10 | T.H.S. | 15 |
| St. Joe (P.) | 12 | T.H.S. | 0 |
| St. Joe (P.) | 8 | T.H.S. | 4 |
| Drury | 8 | T.H.S. | 1 |
| Drury | 6 | T.H.S. | 5 |
| P.H.S. | 10 | T.H.S. | 4 |
| P.H.S. | 4 | T.H.S. | 2 |
| Mt. Greylock | 4 | T.H.S. | 7 |
| Mt. Greylock | 13 | T.H.S. | 4 |
| Wahconah | 9 | T.H.S. | 3 |
| Wahconah | 5 | T.H.S. | 6 |
| Hudson | 15 | T.H.S. | 0 |
| Hudson | 7 | T.H.S. | 8 |
| Lee | 6 | T.H.S. | 2 |
| Springfield Tech | 2 | T.H.S. | 1 |



Oh! Those fast pitches hurt!



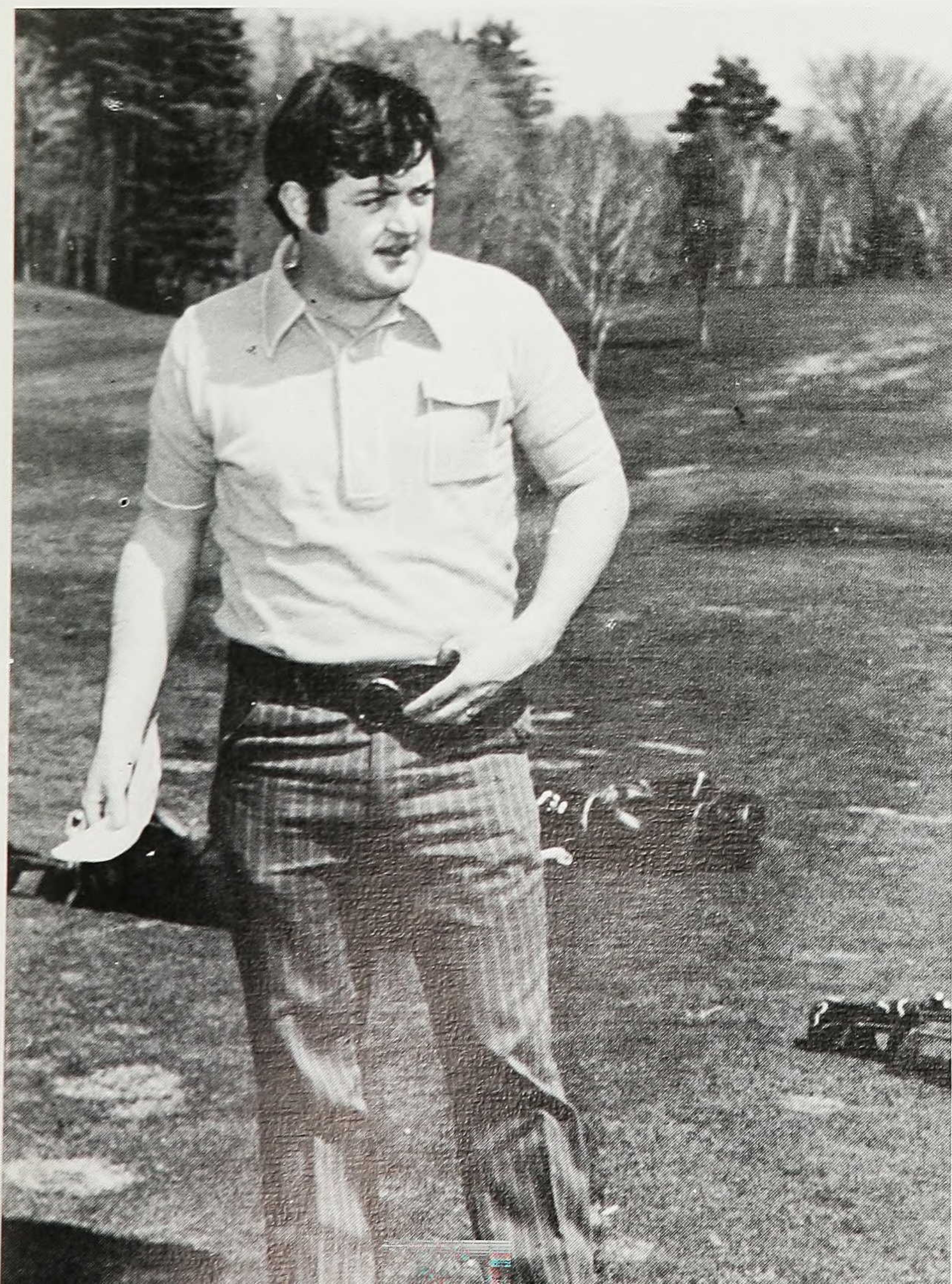
All the way home, Mike.



Try to hit this!



Left to right: P. Kacensky, Coach Meaney, J. Barry, N. Makes, S. MacArthur, R. Telfer, D. Jones.



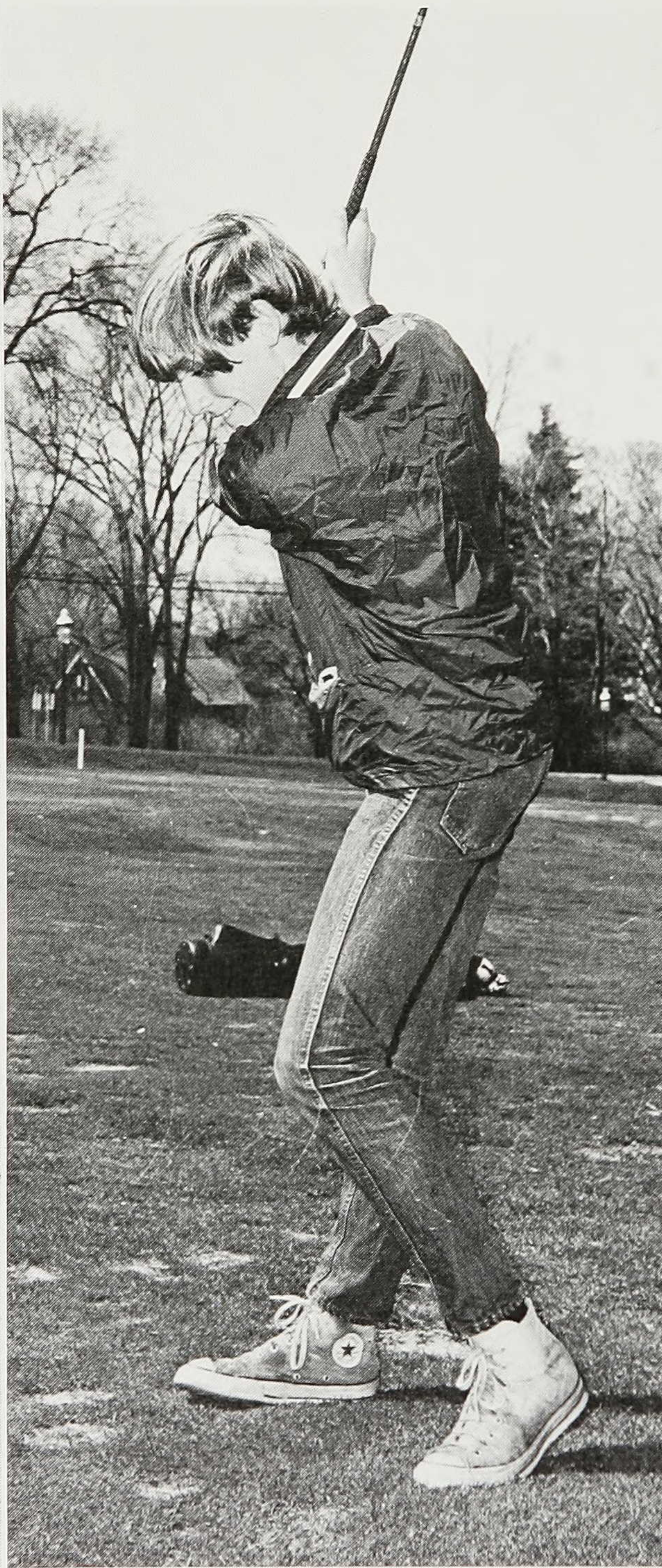
Golf Team

The Braves golf team lost Co-Captain Randy Telfer for most of the season because of an ankle injury. Despite this loss, fine performances were given by Co-Captain Scott MacArthur and first year man, Nick Makes. Pete Kacensky and Steve Chartier will provide solid support for next year's team.

Who moved that sand trap?



It's down there somewhere.



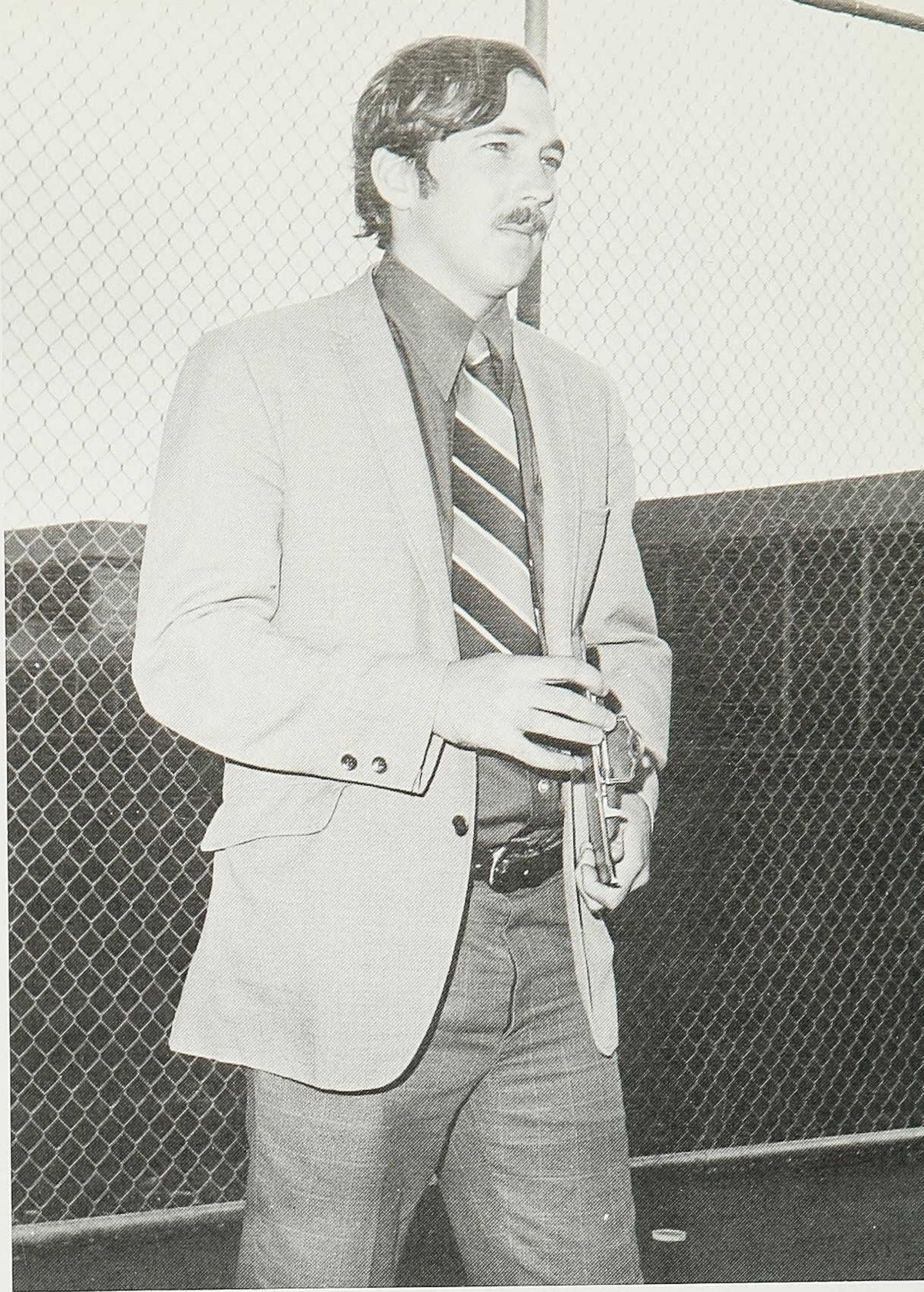
Nick displays winning form.



One stroke should do it.

Tennis Team

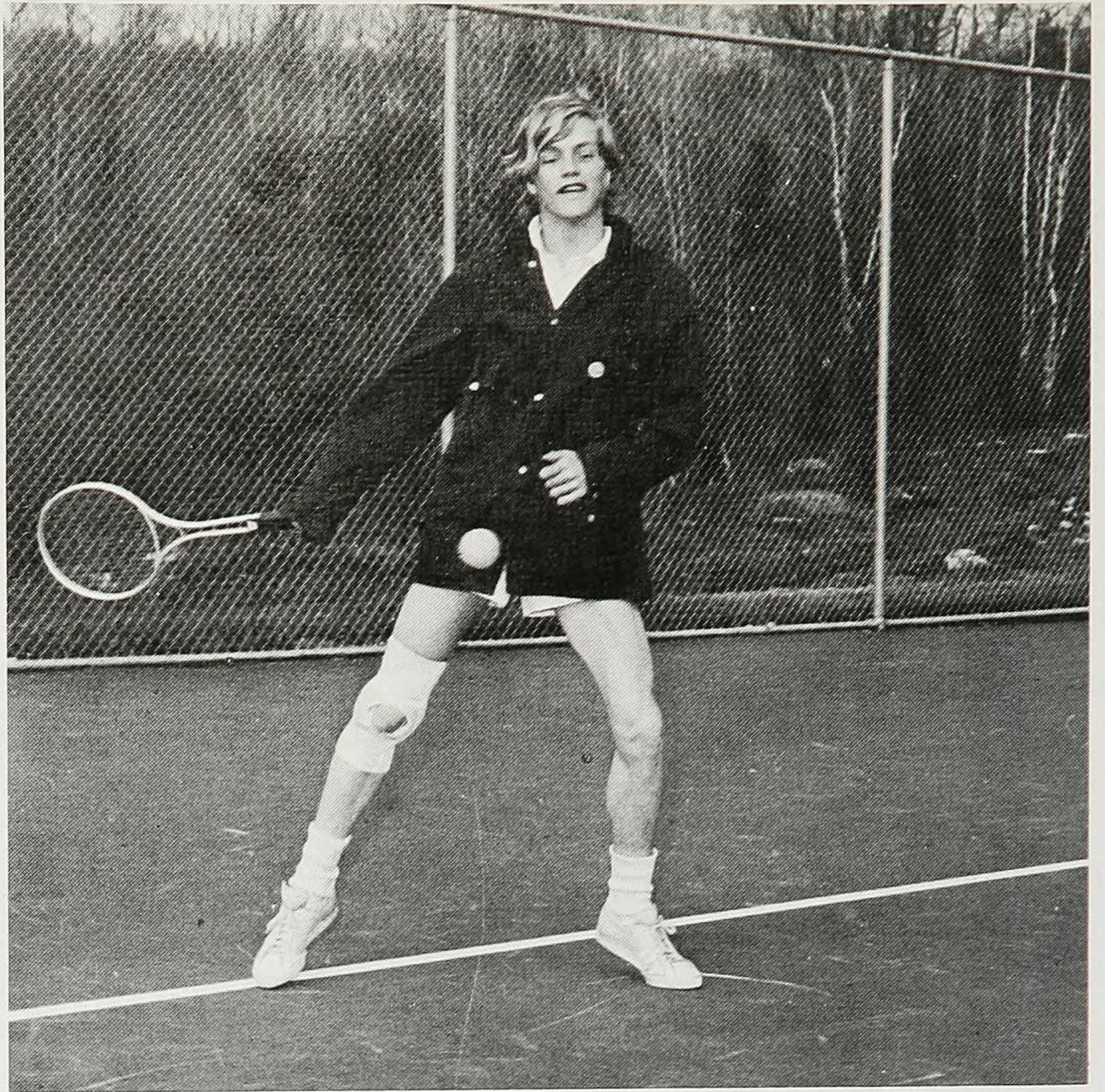
Having to rely upon many new players, Taconic fared poorly on the courts this year; however, Juniors Jay McInerny and Dick Coombes will be returning along with Sophomores Dave Larson, Larry Quirk and Fred Cook.



Coach Emery



Kneeling: C. Clark, L. Quirk, F. Cook, J. Hermanski, D. Larson. Standing: B. Emery, P. Fischer, D. Coombes, S. Elmstrom, J. McInerny, R. Kendall.



I like these easy shots.



Take That!

Hoosac
 Hoosac
 Cathedral
 P.H.S.
 P.H.S.
 Wahconah
 Wahconah
 Mt. Greylock
 Mt. Greylock
 West Springfield
 Greenfield

Scores
 3—2
 3—2
 5—0
 5—0
 5—0
 4—1
 forfeit
 4—1
 4—1
 3—2
 5—0

It's behind you, Larry.



First row: Co-Captain G. Wilson, D. Hornyak, D. Manners, D. Barris, T. Goodrich, C. Stockton, P. Yansak, J. Geer, B. Street, T. Zwinglestein, L. Black, J. Manners, Co-Captain A. Rud; second row: Manager J. Laramy, Coach D. Christopolis, J. Boyette, J. Demick, R. Gingras, B. Baron, K. Eksuzian, J. Curran, J. Racicot, P. Richardson, F. Hoffman, P. DeCarlo; third row: B. Hover, S. Evans, B. Cawley, B. Paulaski, C. McCarty, P. Sherar, R. Ingram, K. French, R. Plumb, S. Ketchum.



Track Team

The Braves Track Team completed their second season with another 4-2 record and third place in the Intercounty League behind Hoosac Valley and Pittsfield. Outstanding for Taconic were Co-Captain elect Ron Plumb in the sprints, Lawrence Black, Bernie Street and Bill Cawley, all of whom cleared six feet in the high jump.

Don't tell me you forgot your spikes!



John Curran wins again!



Bare feet is my secret.

Scores:

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| T.H.S. | 110 |
| T.H.S. | 76 |
| T.H.S. | 80 |
| T.H.S. | 64 |
| T.H.S. | 84 |
| T.H.S. | 50 |

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| Wahconah | 30 |
| Drury | 64 |
| Mt. Greylock | 60 |
| Hoosac Valley | 76 |
| Mohawk Valley | 56 |
| Pittsfield | 90 |

It didn't look this high down th



